



## INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION

### First Meeting of the Africa - Indian Ocean Aviation System Planning and Implementation Group (AASPG/1)

Libreville, Gabon, 3 - 7 November 2025.

#### Agenda Item 3: AASPG Coordination

##### 3.1. Outcomes of the PRCC/1 Meeting

*(Presented by the Secretariat)*

SUMMARY	
This working paper presents the outcomes of the First Meeting of the AASPG Programme Review and Coordination Committee (PRCC/1) held in Dakar, Senegal, from 11 to 12 September 2025.	
<b>Action by the Meeting is in paragraph 3</b>	
<b>REFERENCE(S)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ AASPG Procedural Handbook</li> <li>▪ APIRG/27 &amp; RASG-AFI/10 Report</li> </ul>
<i>Strategic Objectives</i>	<i>A – Safety, B – Air Navigation Capacity and Efficiency</i>

## 1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The Programme Review and Coordination Committee (PRCC) is a contributory body of the AASPG, established to support the Group in effectively discharging its responsibilities. It is mandated to coordinate and guide planning and implementation activities within the framework of AASPG, to facilitate the preparation of AASPG Sessions, and strengthen coordination with other Planning and Implementation Regional Groups (PIRGs), Regional Groups and international organizations identified by AASPG. The PRCC specifically ensures continuity between the AASPG meetings and take necessary action to avoid implementation delays.
- 1.2 The PRCC/1 meeting was held in Dakar from 11 to 12 September 2025 with the following objectives:
  - To review the outcomes of the AASPG Sub-groups meetings and activities, and assess related projects achievements and challenges;
  - To discuss the preparation for the AASPG/1 meeting including the draft agenda

and tasks assignment;

- To consider the future work programmes and schedule of meetings for AASPG and its Contributory bodies; and
- To review the status of the Annual safety and Air Navigation Report.

## **2. DISCUSSION**

- 2.1. The opening ceremony was chaired by Dr Diaga Basse, Director General of the Senegal Civil Aviation and Meteorology Authority (ANACIM) and former Vice-chairperson of the RASG-AFI, while the meeting was remotely chaired by Ms. Paule Assoumou Koki, Director General of the Cameroon Civil Aviation Authority and Chairperson of AASPG, Mr. Nathan Kaluba (Zambia) assisted by the Chairperson of the AAO/SG,.
- 2.2. The chairs of the Airspace and Aerodrome Operations (AAO), Infrastructure and Information Management (IIM) and the newly established Safety Management and Oversight Subgroup (SMO) Subgroups participated in the meeting.
- 2.3. The ICAO WACAF Regional Director served as secretary, assisted by the ESAF Regional Director, Deputy Regional Directors, and Regional Officers from both Regional Offices.

### **Implementation of air navigation goals, targets and indicators, including the priorities set in the regional air navigation plan**

- 2.4. The meeting reviewed the reports of the eighth meetings of the AAO and the IIM Subgroups, as well as the first meeting of SMO/SG. It commended the work achieved and provided guidance on the finalization of the reports and related working papers to be presented to AASPG/1.
- 2.5. The meeting noted concerns regarding the lack of data on the implementation of the Basic Building Blocks (BBBs), by States. It requested the Secretariat to develop an add-on module to the AANDD Platform to facilitate monitoring and reporting on BBB implementation.
- 2.6. The PRCC also reviewed progress made in the preparation of the Air Navigation Services (ANS) Summit commending the Subgroups for identifying relevant projects to be included in the ANS Summit Project Catalogue. The Secretariat was tasked to map and consolidate these projects ahead of the event.

### **Preparation of the AASPG/1 Meeting**

- 2.7. The Committee reviewed and provided guidance for the finalization of the draft agenda for AASGP/1, in line with the Air Navigation Commission's recommendation for a uniform approach to for Planning and Implementation Regional Group (PIRG) meeting agendas.
- 2.8. The revised draft prepared by the Secretariat was approved.

## **Review of the PRCC Terms of Reference (ToRs)**

- 2.9. In accordance with standard practice for AASPG contributory bodies, the meeting reviewed and confirmed the terms of reference (TOR) of the PRCC.

## **Future work programmes and schedule of next meetings of AASPG and its contributory bodies**

- 2.10. The meeting reviewed and endorsed the proposed future work programme and meeting schedule for the AASPG and its contributory bodies for the period 2025-2026 period.

## **Coordination of the Annual Safety and Air Navigation Report**

- 2.11. The Secretariat updated the Committee on the publication of the second annual air navigation report as well as on the status of the development of the combined Annual Safety and Air Navigation Report.
- 2.12. The PRCC noted challenges in gathering data from States and stakeholders and commended the Report Team for its commitment. The Committee urged all the stakeholders to provide the required information to ensure timely completion. The Secretariat, in coordination with the Annual Safety and Air Navigation Report Team, was tasked to finalize and release the report by 31 December 2025.

## **3 ACTION BY THE MEETING**

- 3.1 The meeting is invited to:
- a) Take note of the information in this paper; and
  - b) Provide further guidance as appropriate.