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**Eighteenth Meeting of the Meteorological Information  
Exchange Working Group (MET/IE WG/18)  
and  
Tenth Meeting of the Meteorological Services  
Working Group (MET/S WG/10)**

Web-conference, 27 to 31 July 2020

**Agenda Item 4: Guidance material related to meteorological information exchange**

**UPDATE TO THE ROBEX HANDBOOK**

(Presented by Thailand)

**SUMMARY**

This paper presents of OPMET Information from Bangkok Regional OPMET Centre to update information in ROBEX Handbook as provided by Thailand.

**1. INTRODUCTION**

1.1 The Regional OPMET Bulletins Exchange (ROBEX) defines the responsibilities of the Regional OPMET Centres (ROC) and the procedures to be followed. It defines also the content and format of the ROBEX bulletins.

1.2 The operation of the ROBEX scheme included exchange of OPMET bulletins between the originating stations or NOCs in their area of responsibility and Regional OPMET Centre (ROCs). The operational exchange has been carried out according to the agreed transmission schedules, the bulletin contents were specified in the ROBEX Handbook.

**2. DISCUSSION**

The suggested updated included:

2.1 Appendix A: Collection and Dissemination of METAR (SA) Bulletins

1. RMV REPORT SATH32 VTBB VTSH VTSK
2. RMV REPORT SATH33 VTBB VTUJ

Time when bulletin available (Column - Available)

3. SATH31 VTBB VTCL change from O/R to 2300-1200
4. SATH32 VTBB VTSR change from O/R to 2300-1300

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- 5. SATH33 VTBB VTUI change from O/R to 2200-1500
- 6. SATH33 VTBB VTUL change from O/R to 2300-1200
- 7. SATH33 VTBB VTUO change from O/R to 2200-1300
- 8. SATH33 VTBB VTUV change from O/R to 2200-1400

2.2 Appendix B: Collection and Dissemination of Long TAF (FT) Bulletins

- 1. RMV REPORT FTTH32 VTBB VTSH VTSK
- 2. RMV REPORT FTTH33 VTBB VTUJ

**3. ACTION BY THE MEETING**

- 3.1 The meeting is invited to review the proposed updates to the ROBEX Handbook.

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