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Agenda Item 6: Guidance and education related to the provision of meteorological services

UPDATES TO THE ASIA/PACIFIC SIGMET GUIDE

(Presented by Indonesia)

SUMMARY

This paper proposes changes to the ICAO Location Indicator for Jakarta FIR and Ujung Pandang FIR contained in the Asia/Pacific Regional SIGMET Guide to align with ICAO Document 7910.

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 ICAO Document 7910 Location Indicators (Doc 7910/182) contains a list of ICAO four-letter location indicators for geographical locations throughout the world.
- 1.2 SIGMET Information includes the ICAO location indicator of the ATS unit serving the FIR which the SIGMET refers to and ICAO location indicator of the issuing MWO. For those location indicators, MWO should refer to Doc 7910.
- 1.3 The Asia/Pacific Regional SIGMET Guide is used as a guide to publish and exchange SIGMET information in the Asia Pacific region.

2. DISCUSSION

- 2.1 Indonesia has two FIRs: Jakarta and Ujung Pandang.
- 2.2 Location indicator for Jakarta FIR and Ujung Pandang FIR in Doc. 7910/182 have been changed from WIIZ to WIIF for Jakarta, and WAAZ to WAAF for Ujung Pandang. Location indicators for Jakarta and Ujung Pandang in the APAC Regional SIGMET Guide are currently indicated as WIIZ and WAAZ.
- 2.3 Updates need to be done on the ICAO location indicator for Jakarta and Ujung Pandang in Appendix D of the Asia/Pacific Regional SIGMET Guide as follows:

APPENDIX D: WMO HEADINGS (WMO AHL) FOR SIGMET BULLETINS

MWO Location	ICAO Location Indicator	MWO SIGMET Heading			FIR/ACC Served	Remarks
		WS	WC	WV	ICAO Loc. Indicator	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
INDONESIA						
JAKARTA/Soekarno-Hatta (Comm Center)	WIII	WSID20	WCID20	WVID20	WHZ WIIF	
UJUNG PANDANG/Hasanuddin (Comm Center)	WAAA	WSID21	WCID21	WVID21	WAAZ WAAF	

- *strikeout* (~~text to be deleted~~) = deleted text,

- *grey shading* (text to be inserted) = added text

- 2.4 Updates to the APAC Regional Air Navigation Plan Volume II Table MET II-1 will be submitted separately to the ICAO APAC office through a Proposal for Amendment (PfA).

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

- 3.1 The meeting is invited to:

- i. review the proposed updates to the Asia/Pacific Regional SIGMET Guide;
- ii. request the ICAO Secretariat to make the required changes to the Asia/Pacific Regional SIGMET Guide.
