

International Civil Aviation Organization

Eleventh Meeting of the Air Traffic Management Sub-Group (ATM/SG/11) of APANPIRG

Singapore, 2 – 6 October 2023

Agenda Item 2: Review of Related High Level Meetings

APAC ANSP COMMITTEE

(Presented by the APAC ANSP Committee Secretariat)

SUMMARY

This paper presents an update on the newly created APAC ANSP Committee.

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The 57th Conference of Directors General of Civil Aviation, Asia and Pacific Regions, which took place in July 2022 in Incheon, Republic of Korea, agreed on the Action Item 21:
 - "a) forming a committee of ANSPs, involving CANSO and IATA, to cooperate in the implementation of regional Air Navigation Services (ANS) initiatives including the ICAO Asia/Pacific Seamless ANS Plan;
 - b) coordinate with ICAO for the purposes of aligning the activities of the committee with the Asia/Pacific Seamless ANS Plan and informing APANPIRG and DGCA Conference of activities and progress".
- 1.2 Consequently to the above, the First Meeting of the APAC ANSP COMMITTEE took place at the ICAO Regional Office in Bangkok, Thailand, on 17-18 April 2023, with eighty three (83) participants from twenty (20) Member States/Special Administrative Regions and two (2) International Organizations.

2. DISCUSSION

- 2.1 The work of the Committee has been organized in four work streams (WS):
 - WS1: "Step up investments in ANS capacity and capabilities and share requirements and best practices in the procurement of ANS systems";
 - WS2: "Accelerate the development and implementation of Seamless ANS and collaborate on green initiatives to enhance ANS sustainability";
 - WS3: "Collaborate on business continuity and contingency planning"; and
 - WS4: "Support the operations of oceanic ANSPs".
- 2.2 Several online meetings among the members of the four work streams have been organized since April to define the tasks in each work streams.

- 2.3 A Discussion Paper about the progress of the APAC ANSP Committee will then be presented at the next DGCA58 Conference in Bangladesh in October 2023. This DP will provide detailed definition of the tasks of each four work streams and the planned deliverables, as well as a complete list of members in each work stream.
- 2.4 A State Letter has been issued to inform about the next onsite meeting of the APAC ANSP Committee which will take place on 22-23 October in Singapore, taking advantage of the ICAO Air Navigation World 2023 ATM Procedures for Today event on 23-27 October.
- 2.5 ANSPs willing to join the APAC ANSP Committee are invited to contact the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Raphael Guillet, Chief of the ICAO APAC Regional Sub-Office, rguillet@icao.int.

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

- 3.1 The meeting is invited to:
 - a) note the information contained in this paper; and
 - b) encourage APAC ANSPs to join the APAC ANSP Committee and to contribute toward the planned deliverables.

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