

International Civil Aviation Organization Asia and Pacific Office

Twelfth Meeting of the Asia Pacific Accident Investigation Group (APAC-AIG/12)

(Bangkok, Thailand, 28-29 August 2024)

Agenda Item 3: Update on ICAO AIG-related requirements and activities

2023-24 ANNUAL WORK PROGRAMME TASK-6 IMPLEMENTATION PROGRESS OF AP-RASP ORG ROADMAP ACTION ITEM 'A.V.3'

(Presented by Task Force 6: Australia)

SUMMARY

This paper informs the meeting on the progress of TASK-6 of APAC-AIG Annual Work Programme 2023-24 and Decision APAC-AIG 11/10. Task-6 focused on the AP-RASP ORG Roadmap Action Item A.V.3 which is; 'Improve the communication of activities and coordination of schedules among regional bodies and meetings, regional workshops/ courses, e.g. via a one-stop calendar of regional events'. Task Force 6 endeavours to establish a one-stop calendar of regional events and urged APAC States/Administrations to commit to contribute their activities to the calendar on a quarterly basis.

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 During the APAC-AIG/11 meeting, a Task Force group was formed comprising of an Expert Group (EG) of volunteers to improve the communication of activities and coordination of schedules among regional bodies and meetings, regional workshops/ courses etc via a one-stop calendar of regional events.
- 1.2 This paper updates the APAC AIG of the progress of this task.

2. DISCUSSION

- 2.1 Many APAC Regional States/ Administrations hold events, workshops and courses that would be beneficial for other States to participate in to improve the accident investigation capability in the region.
- 2.2 Collecting and publishing a calendar of all the events scheduled for the region would improve communication and allow States to be aware of potential training opportunities.
- 2.3 The expert group of volunteers from Australia held two meetings to discuss the most appropriate way to collect information from States and the frequency of which a calendar should be published.

2.4 The expert group is recommending that:

Each quarter, States are contacted via email seeking the details of any upcoming events, workshops and courses that are open to external participation. Information collected will include; Date of event, topic and type of event (training/ workshop/ course), mode of delivery (in-person/virtual), contact details and any associated costs.

- a) Information collected will then be collated into an annual 12 month rolling calendar and be recirculated out to APAC AIG contacts quarterly
- b) The APAC regional office will also contribute other ICAO events to the calendar.

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

- 3.1 The Meeting is invited to:
 - a) Note the proposed draft calendar format; and
 - b) APAC Regional States/ Administrations to commit to contribute their activities to the calendar on a quarterly basis.

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