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**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-7 IMPLEMENTATION  
PROGRESS OF AP-RASP ORG ROADMAP ACTION ITEM ‘A.V.7’**

*(Presented by Australia/ATSB)*

**SUMMARY**

This paper informs the meeting on the progress of TASK-7 of APAC-AIG Annual Work Programme 2023-24 and Decision APAC-AIG 11/10. Task-7 focused on the AP-RASP ORG Roadmap Action Item A.V.7 which is; ‘*Establish an Independent Aircraft Accident and Incident Investigation Authority (AAIIA) as required by Annex 13, as well as related investigation system and procedures*’. Task Force 7 aims to assist APAC States/Administrations in establishing an AAIIA as required by Annex 13, as well as related investigation system and procedures.

**1. INTRODUCTION**

1.1 A Task Force group was formed during the APAC-AIG/11 meeting comprising of an Expert Grouping (EG) of volunteers with AIG expertise to support the regional goal of Asia Pacific – Regional Aviation Safety Plan (AP-RASP) to support Regional States/Administration to establish an independent accident investigation authority (AIA) as required by Annex 13, as well as in the development of investigation system and procedures by 2025.

**2. DISCUSSION**

2.1 The task force has developed a Survey Questionnaire to understand the current status of establishing an independent AIA in the APAC Regional States/Administration. This survey has been sent in the State letter reference T 6/8.3 – AP063/24 (FS) on 15 May 2024 to APAC Regional States/Administration. Appropriate answers in replying to the Survey Questionnaire shall assist the Working Group (WG) in identifying the challenges and support required by States/Administration in the establishment of an independent AIA. APAC Regional States/Administration has been encouraged to review and submit comments on the survey no later than 25 June 2024.

2.2 The task force is awaiting the consolidation of the survey responses provided by the APAC Regional States/Administration so as to strategize on providing the type of support needed by the APAC Regional States/Administration in establishing an independent AIA.

**3. ACTION BY THE MEETING**

3.1 The Meeting is invited to encourage APAC States/Administration that have not responded to the Survey should provide their responses.

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