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Agenda Item 4: Review of ADS-C/CPDLC Operations and Performance

DATA LINK PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR SRI LANKA

(Presented by Sri Lanka)

SUMMARY

This paper presents data link performance of the ADS-C/CPDLC data in Colombo FIR (VCCF) for the period May – December 2024.

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 **Tables 1 to 4** summarize Automatic Dependent Surveillance Contract (ADS-C) and Controller-Pilot Data Link Communications (CPDLC) performance where the Required Surveillance Performance (RSP) and Required Communications Performance (RCP) criteria stipulated in ICAO Doc 4444 Procedures for Air Navigation Services Air Traffic Management (PANS-ATM).
- 1.2 Media type data (SATCOM/VHF/HF) and Aircraft operator/type data were presented from May to December 2024. Data for the months of January to April 2024 was unavailable due to a system upgrade.

2. DISCUSSION

VCCF FIR ADS-C RSP180 Performance – Media Type, RGS and GES

2.1 **Table 1** summarizes overall ADS-C performance per media type, Remote Ground Station (RGS) and Ground Earth Station (GES) for downlinks sent within the VCCF FIR during 2024, where messages met RSP180 95% criterion but marginally fall below the RSP180 99.9% criterion.

Table 1: VCCF FIR ADS-C Downlink Latency per Media Type, RGS and GES

| FIR | | | VCCF | | | | | | |
|----------------------|----------------|--|--|-------------|---------|--------------------|-------------|--|--|
| Criteria | | RSP180 | | | | | | | |
| Perio | d | May-June 2024 | | | July- | July-December 2024 | | | |
| | Meets Criteria | | 95% | 99.90% | Message | 95% | 99.90% | | |
| 99.0%-99 Under Cı | | Counts | %<=90sec | % <= 180sec | Counts | %<=90sec | % <= 180sec | | |
| By Media 1 | Гуре | | | | | | | | |
| SATC | MC | 79822 | 98.50% | 99.82% | 318548 | 98.22% | 99.59% | | |
| VHI | F | 22782 | 99.85% | 99.93% | 84348 | 99.69% | 99.86% | | |
| HF | | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| ALI | _ | 102604 | 98.83% | 99.84% | 402896 | 98.53% | 99.65% | | |
| By Remote | Station (RG | ation (RGS) Ground Earth Station (GES) | | | | | | | |
| Designator | Туре | (only RGS/GE | (only RGS/GES with message counts >100 recorded) | | | | | | |
| CMB1 | VHF | 21148 | 99.89% | 99.96% | 81184 | 99.76% | 99.89% | | |
| MAA1 | VHF | 876 | 99.08% | 99.54% | 2688 | 97.79% | 99.32% | | |
| MLE1 | VHF | 758 | 99.60% | 99.74% | 476 | 97.06% | 99.10% | | |
| APK1 | SAT | 61545 | 99.40% | 99.93% | 238346 | 99.38% | 99.89% | | |
| APK2 | SAT | 5568 | 97.72% | 99.28% | 11850 | 93.72% | 97.73% | | |
| EUA1 | SAT | 3529 | 96.05% | 99.83% | 9865 | 95.13% | 99.38% | | |
| IGW1 | SAT | 9180 | 93.86% | 99.44% | 58487 | 95.16% | 98.79% | | |

VCCF FIR ADS-C RSP180 Performance – Aircraft Operator/Type

2.2 **Table 2** summarizes overall ADS-C performance per Aircraft Operator/Type for downlinks sent within the VCCF FIR during 2024.

Table 2: VCCF FIR ADS-C Downlink Latency per Aircraft Operator/Type

| FIR | VCCF | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| Criteria | RSP180 | | | | | | | |
| Period | М | ay-June 20 | 24 | July-December 2024 | | | | |
| Colour Key Meets Criteria 99.0%-99.89% Under Criteria | Message Counts | 95% % <= 90sec | 99.90% % <= 180sec | Message Counts | 95% % <= 90sec | 99.90% % <= 180sec | | |
| By Aircraft Operator / Type (only message counts > 100 recorded) | | | | | | | | |
| AIC_B788 | 2581 | 99.65% | 100.00% | 8506 | 99.37% | 99.92% | | |
| ALK_A21N | 2904 | 98.59% | 99.14% | 6785 | 98.91% | 99.47% | | |
| ALK_A332 | 823 | 99.76% | 99.88% | 3345 | 99.61% | 99.88% | | |
| ALK_A333 | 4498 | 99.93% | 99.98% | 16299 | 99.97% | 99.99% | | |
| ETD_B77W | 3533 | 98.90% | 99.86% | 12221 | 99.09% | 99.84% | | |
| ETD_B789 | 4775 | 99.66% | 99.92% | 21492 | 99.67% | 99.98% | | |
| GIA_B77W | 10334 | 99.13% | 100.00% | 34003 | 99.13% | 99.96% | | |
| LNI_A333 | 1 | - | - | 15434 | 98.59% | 99.65% | | |
| LNI_A339 | • | - | - | 16261 | 99.88% | 99.96% | | |
| MAS_B738 | 4372 | 99.04% | 99.84% | 20029 | 98.34% | 99.70% | | |
| MAU_A339 | 1 | - | - | 220 | 99.09% | 100.00% | | |
| OMA_B788 | • | - | - | 1449 | 99.93% | 100.00% | | |
| OMA_B789 | 1445 | 99.58% | 100.00% | 2727 | 99.62% | 100.00% | | |
| QFA_B789 | 2290 | 99.52% | 100.00% | 16158 | 99.67% | 99.98% | | |
| QTR_A359 | 3135 | 99.65% | 99.71% | 14876 | 99.81% | 99.90% | | |
| QTR_A35K | 2760 | 99.93% | 100.00% | 3598 | 99.76% | 99.91% | | |
| QTR_A388 | 2878 | 99.93% | 99.97% | 10280 | 99.77% | 99.87% | | |
| QTR_B77W | 11909 | 97.78% | 99.81% | 41128 | 97.07% | 99.33% | | |
| QTR_B788 | 207 | 100.00% | 100.00% | 1485 | 99.80% | 100.00% | | |
| REU_B77W | 929 | 98.60% | 99.89% | 4180 | 98.64% | 99.98% | | |
| SIA_A359 | 5762 | 99.84% | 99.90% | 21695 | 99.71% | 99.79% | | |
| SIA_B744 | 180 | 99.44% | 100.00% | 254 | 99.61% | 100.00% | | |
| SVA_B744 | 2584 | 99.26% | 99.77% | 1879 | 99.04% | 99.57% | | |
| SVA_B77W | 11655 | 99.00% | 99.95% | 36334 | 99.18% | 99.96% | | |
| SVA_B789 | 373 | 99.73% | 99.73% | 3630 | 99.59% | 99.94% | | |
| SVA_B78X | 1406 | 99.72% | 99.86% | 7648 | 99.90% | 100.00% | | |
| UAE_A388 | 12374 | 99.91% | 99.97% | 45076 | 99.67% | 99.87% | | |
| UAE_B77W | 6875 | 99.17% | 99.96% | 24744 | 98.32% | 99.91% | | |

VCCF FIR CPDLC RCP240 Performance – Media Type, RGS and GES

2.3 **Tables 3A and 3B** summarize overall CPDLC performance per Media Type messages sent within the VCCF FIR during 2023, where performance met RCP240 95% criterion but unable to meet 99.9% criterion.

 ${\bf Table~3A:}~{\it VCCF}~{\it FIR}~{\it CPDLC}~{\it Performance}~{\it Latency}~{\it per}~{\it Media}~{\it Type,}~{\it RGS}~{\it and}~{\it GES}-{\it May-Jun}~2024$

| FIF | ₹ | VCCF | | | | | | |
|----------------|--|------------------------------------|---------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|---------|--|
| Criteria | | RCP240 | | | | | | |
| Peri | od | May - Jun 2024 | | | | | | |
| | | | 95% benchmark | | 99.9% Benchmark | | 95% | |
| Meets (| Colour Key Meets Criteria 99.0%-99.89% | | АСР | АСТР | АСР | АСТР | PORT | |
| Under Criteria | | Counts | % < = 180sec | % <= 120sec | % < = 210sec | % <= 150sec | %<60sec | |
| By Media | By Media Type | | | | | | | |
| SATO | ЮМ | 5590 | 97.70% | 99.41% | 98.65% | 99.71% | 97.96% | |
| VH | VHF | | 95.45% | 96.59% | 96.59% | 98.85% | 96.59% | |
| HF | | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Al | L | 5678 | 97.68% | 99.36% | 98.66% | 99.70% | 97.94% | |
| By Remote | Ground St | ation (RGS) | Ground E | arth Statio | n (GES) | | | |
| Designator | Туре | (RGS/GES with message counts >100) | | | | | | |
| APK1 | SAT | 3778 | 99.02% | 99.89% | 99.10% | 99.92% | 99.25% | |
| APK2 | SAT | 282 | 98.23% | 98.94% | 98.23% | 98.94% | 99.64% | |
| IGW1 | SAT | 1530 | 94.33% | 98.23% | 97.65% | 99.35% | 94.44% | |

 $\begin{tabular}{l} \textbf{Table 3B:} VCCF\ FIR\ CPDLC\ Performance\ Latency\ per\ Media\ Type,\ RGS and\ GES-Jul-Dec\ 2024 \end{tabular}$

| FIF | 2 | | VCCF | | | | | |
|----------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|---------|--|
| Criteria | | RCP240 | | | | | | |
| Period | | Jul - Dec 2024 | | | | | | |
| | | | 95% benchmark | | 99.9% Benchmark | | 95% | |
| 99.0%- | Criteria 99.89% | Message Counts | ACP | АСТР | ACP | АСТР | PORT | |
| Under Criteria | | counts | % < = 180sec | % <= 120sec | % < = 210sec | % <= 150sec | %<60sec | |
| By Media Type | | | | | | | | |
| SATO | SATCOM | | 96.85% | 99.22% | 99.01% | 99.47% | 96.36% | |
| VHF | | 528 | 96.59% | 99.62% | 99.21% | 99.81% | 97.61% | |
| Н | HF | | - | • | - | - | | |
| Al | L | 20337 | 96.84% | 99.22% | 99.01% | 99.48% | 96.38% | |
| By Remote | Ground Sta | ation (RGS) |) Ground E | arth Statio | n (GES) | | | |
| Designator | Туре | (RGS/GES with message counts >100) | | | | | | |
| APK1 | SAT | 15343 98.22% 99.92% 99.27% 99.89% | | | | 99.18% | | |
| APK2 | SAT | 739 | 96.89% | 99.19% | 99.05% | 99.32% | 97.46% | |
| IGW1 | SAT | 3446 | 95.11% | 96.20% | 96.37% | 97.94% | 95.14% | |
| CMB1 | VHF | 402 | 96.52% | 99.50% | 99.12% | 99.75% | 97.92% | |

- 2.4 In summary, the CPDLC performance by SATCOM and VHF were able to meet the 95% criterion but failed to meet 99.9% criterion as shown in Table 3A and 3B. There is no message count for HF in 2024.
- 2.5 For CPDLC performance differentiated by RGS/GES, all stations met the 95% threshold, except IGW1 during the first half of the reporting period. However, several stations failed to meet the 99.9% performance criterion. Instances of poor RGS/GES performance were reported to the service provider, and Sri Lanka will continue to monitor RGS/GES performance closely.

VCCF FIR CPDLC RCP240 Performance – Aircraft Operator/Type

2.6 **Tables 4A and 4B** summarize overall CPDLC performance per Aircraft Operator/Type for messages sent within the VCCF FIR during 2024.

Table 4A: VCCF FIR CPDLC Performance Latency per Aircraft Operator/Type –May-Jun 2024

| FIR | VCCF | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|--|--|
| Criteria | RCP240 | | | | | | | |
| Period | | May - Ju | | | un 2024 | | | |
| Colour Key Meets Criteria 99.0%-99.89% Under Criteria | Message Counts | 95% ber | ACTP | 99.9% Be | enchmark ACTP | 95% PORT | | |
| _ onder orderio | | % < = 180sec | % <= 120sec | % < = 210sec | % <= 150sec | %<60secs | | |
| By Aircraft Operate | or / Type (d | nly messa | ge counts: | >100 record | ded) | | | |
| ALK/A21N | 206 | 97.57% | 97.57% | 97.57% | 98.06% | 97.57% | | |
| ALK/A333 | 254 | 98.43% | 100.00% | 99.43% | 100.00% | 98.03% | | |
| ETD/B77W | 207 | 97.58% | 100.00% | 99.07% | 100.00% | 96.62% | | |
| ETD/B789 | 186 | 98.92% | 99.46% | 99.46% | 99.46% | 98.39% | | |
| GIA/B77W | 373 | 100.00% | 100.00% | 100.00% | 100.00% | 99.20% | | |
| MAS/B738 | 283 | 98.94% | 99.65% | 99.04% | 100.00% | 97.88% | | |
| QTR/A359 | 192 | 97.40% | 99.48% | 97.40% | 99.48% | 97.40% | | |
| QTR/A35K | 139 | 100.00% | 100.00% | 100.00% | 100.00% | 98.56% | | |
| QTR/A388 | 208 | 97.12% | 100.00% | 98.12% | 100.00% | 95.67% | | |
| QTR/B77W | 454 | 97.80% | 99.34% | 99.08% | 99.78% | 97.36% | | |
| SIA/A359 | 386 | 99.48% | 100.00% | 99.48% | 100.00% | 99.48% | | |
| SIA/B78X | 137 | 99.27% | 100.00% | 99.27% | 100.00% | 98.54% | | |
| SVA/B77W | 474 | 99.79% | 100.00% | 99.79% | 100.00% | 98.95% | | |
| UAE/A388 | 634 | 98.74% | 99.84% | 99.14% | 100.00% | 98.26% | | |
| UAE/B77W | 179 | 98.88% | 100.00% | 99.08% | 100.00% | 97.77% | | |

Table 4B: VCCF FIR CPDLC Performance Latency per Aircraft Operator/Type-Jul-Dec 2024.

| FIR | VCCF | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|--|--|
| Criteria | RCP240 | | | | | | | |
| Period | July - De | | | | | | | |
| Colour Key Meets Criteria 99.0%-99.89% | Message Counts | 95% ber | nchmark | 99.9% Be | enchmark ACTP | 95% PORT | | |
| Under Criteria | | | | %<=210sec | | %<60secs | | |
| By Aircraft Operato | or / Type (o | nly messa | ge counts : | >100 record | ded) | | | |
| ALK/A21N | 380 | 97.95% | 99.44% | 99.14% | 99.63% | 97.21% | | |
| ALK/A333 | 881 | 98.43% | 99.91% | 99.00% | 99.94% | 97.31% | | |
| ETD/B77W | 562 | 97.28% | 99.85% | 99.28% | 99.85% | 96.22% | | |
| ETD/B789 | 1076 | 97.42% | 99.82% | 99.60% | 99.91% | 97.07% | | |
| GIA/B77W | 1357 | 98.77% | 100.00% | 99.07% | 100.00% | 98.10% | | |
| MAS/B738 | 1028 | 96.47% | 98.70% | 98.83% | 99.47% | 96.17% | | |
| QTR/A359 | 1163 | 96.90% | 99.91% | 99.21% | 99.91% | 96.30% | | |
| QTR/A35K | 323 | 98.58% | 100.00% | 99.13% | 100.00% | 98.35% | | |
| QTR/A388 | 645 | 97.72% | 100.00% | 99.28% | 100.00% | 96.64% | | |
| QTR/B77W | 2117 | 95.98% | 98.96% | 99.06% | 99.53% | 95.18% | | |
| SIA/A359 | 1615 | 98.82% | 99.81% | 99.09% | 99.88% | 98.70% | | |
| SIA/B78X | 664 | 99.25% | 99.85% | 99.25% | 99.85% | 98.80% | | |
| SVA/B77W | 1788 | 98.55% | 99.94% | 99.31% | 100.00% | 97.32% | | |
| UAE/A388 | 3423 | 96.64% | 99.56% | 99.37% | 99.62% | 96.23% | | |
| UAE/B77W | 816 | 96.87% | 100.00% | 99.24% | 100.00% | 96.36% | | |

2.7 All the performance reports were sent to CAA for further action and will continue to monitor the performance.

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

- 3.1 The meeting is invited to:
 - a) note the information contained in this paper; and
 - b) discuss any relevant matters as appropriate.

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