

REGIONAL AIRSPACE SAFETY MONITORING ADVISORY GROUP (RASMAG)
TERMS OF REFERENCE OF THE RASMAG

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The objectives of the Group are to:

- a) facilitate the safe implementation of reduced separation minima and CNS/ATM applications within the Asia and Pacific (APAC) region in regard to airspace safety monitoring; and
- b) assist States to achieve the established levels of airspace safety for international airspace within the ~~Asia and Pacific~~ APAC region.

To meet these objectives the Group shall:

- a) review airspace safety performance in the ~~Asia and Pacific~~ APAC region at the regional level and within international airspace;
- b) review and develop as necessary, guidance material for airspace safety monitoring, assessment and reporting activities, including the duties, responsibilities and scope of regional monitoring entities;
- c) recommend, and facilitate as necessary, the implementation of airspace safety monitoring and performance assessment services;
- d) review and recommend on the competency and compatibility of monitoring organizations and recommend to APANPIRG specific airspace responsibility for individual regional monitoring entities;
- e) review, coordinate and harmonize regional and inter-regional airspace safety monitoring activities;
- f) review regional and global airspace planning and developments in order to anticipate requirements for airspace safety monitoring and assessment activities;
- g) address other airspace safety related issues as necessary;
- h) facilitate the distribution of safety-related information to States; ~~and~~
- i) identify air navigation deficiencies in the field of airspace safety and ensure States develop and implement appropriate corrective action plans to resolve those deficiencies;
- j) review and update the air navigation deficiencies in the field of airspace safety (as listed in the APANPIRG database) to reflect the current situation; and
- k) provide to APANPIRG comprehensive reports on regional airspace safety and coordinate with other contributory bodies of APANPIRG as appropriate.

TASK LIST

To review the safety monitoring programmes in the ~~Asia and Pacific~~ APAC region for implementation and operation of:

- a) reduced vertical separation minimum (RVSM);
- b) reduced horizontal (lateral and longitudinal) separation minima using PBN;
- c) aircraft separation applications using data link, e.g. ADS and CPDLC; and
- d) ATS unit to ATS unit operational messaging using AIDC.

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