



INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION

Second Meeting of the Africa-Indian Ocean Aviation System Planning and Implementation Group Programme Review and Coordination Committee (PRCC/2)

Nairobi, Kenya, from 24 to 25 September 2026

Agenda Item 5: Future work programmes and schedule of next meetings of AASPG and its contributory bodies

(Presented by Secretariat)

SUMMARY	
This paper presents the proposed future work programmes and meeting plans of AASPG and its contributory bodies for the period to December 2027, for discussion. The action by the Meeting is in paragraph 3	
REFERENCES	
• AASPG Procedural Handbook • ICAO Council Decision C-DEC 219/7 • Report of AASPG/1 Meeting • Report of PRCC/1 Meeting • Reports on AAO/SG9, IIM/SG9 and SMO/SG2 Meetings	
Strategic Goals:	<i>A. Every Flight is Safe and Secure</i> <i>B. Aviation Is Environmentally Sustainable</i> <i>C. Aviation Delivers Seamless, Accessible, and Reliable Mobility for All</i> <i>D. No Country is Left Behind</i> <i>E. Economic Development of Air Transport</i>

1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The AASPG is primarily responsible for the development and maintenance of its primary regional plans, namely the AFI Air Navigation Plan (ANP, ICAO Doc 7474) and the Regional Aviation Safety Plan (AFI-RASP). The Group is also responsible for the identification and resolution of deficiencies pertaining to safety oversight and implementation activities. It is a planning and coordination mechanism and, while implementation is the responsibility of States, AASPG can play a significant

role in supporting the implementation of Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPs) as well as regional requirements.

- 1.2 AASPG monitors and reports progress on the implementation of the GASP and GANP, the regional objectives and priorities, and ensure harmonization with regional and national plans.

1 DISCUSSIONS

- 2.1. The AASPG Terms of Reference (ToRs) state that at each of its meetings, the Group should endeavor to agree on the date, venue and duration of its next meeting.
- 2.2. To achieve AASPG objectives, the frequency of the meetings will be on annual basis. However, to safeguard coherent and orderly safety and air navigation planning in the interest of States and airspace users in the AFI region, the Group may determine the need for any additional meetings that may arise.
- 2.3. In this regard, the Secretariat presents the proposal for activities of the AAO, IIM and SMO Sub-Groups, the AASPG Annual Report Team (AART), the PRCC and the AASPG for the period up to December 2027 as indicated in the attachment to this paper.

2 ACTION BY THE MEETING

- 3.1. The meeting is invited to:
 - a) Note the information provided in this working paper; and
 - b) Consider the future work programme and the meetings plan of AASPG and its contributory bodies provided in Appendix A to this working paper.

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APPENDIX-A: ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE**A. AAO/SG WORK PROGRAMME**

Year 2026		Year 2027	
Activity	Date	Activity	Date
Project PTCs Q4 Coordination Meeting	November 2026	Project PTCs Quarterly Coordination Meetings	Quarterly, 2027
Review of Regional Air Navigation Plan and Development of NANP.	December 2026	Report on Projects deliverables	Quarterly, 2027
Support to the resolution of Air Navigation deficiencies	As required	AAO, IIM and SMO Subgroups Bureaus' Coordination Meeting	June 2027
		AAO/SG10 Meeting	July 2027
		Updating of the Air navigation Plan	As required
		Support to the resolution of Air Navigation deficiencies	As required

B. IIM/SG WORK PROGRAMME

Year 2026		Year 2027	
Activity	Date	Activity	Date
Project PTCs Quarterly Coordination Meetings	December 2026	Project PTCs Quarterly Coordination Meetings	Quarterly, 2027
AAO, IIM and SMO Subgroups Bureaus' Coordination Meeting	December 2026	Report on Projects deliverables	Quarterly, 2027
Review of Regional Air Navigation Plan and Development of NANP	December 2026	AAO, IIM and SMO Subgroups Bureaus' Coordination Meeting	June 2027
Support to the resolution of Air Navigation deficiencies	As required	IIM/SG10 Meeting	July 2027
		Updating of the Air Navigation Plan	As required
		Support to the resolution of Air Navigation deficiencies	As required

C. SMO/SG WORK PROGRAMME, 2026/2027

Year 2026		Year 2027	
Activity	Date	Activity	Date
AFI-RASP 2026-2028 Edition Validation Workshop	19-23 October	Project PTCs Quarterly Coordination Meetings	Quarterly,2027
Project PTCs Quarterly Coordination Meetings	December 2026	Report on Projects deliverables	Quarterly,2027
		Validation workshop of the Conclusions & Decisions Monitoring Tool	April 2027
		Workshop to familiarize States with the functioning of the regional investigator pool and their responsibilities	May 2027
		AAO, IIM and SMO Sub-Groups Bureaus' Coordination Meeting	June 2027
		Workshop on Finalization and Validation of SSP Documentation	July 2027
		SMO/SG3 Meeting	July, 2027
		Updating of the AFI-RASP	As required
		Support to the resolution of safety deficiencies	As required

D. AART WORK PROGRAMME, 2026/2027

Year 2026		Year 2027	
Activity	Date	Activity	Date
Finalization and publication of the AASPG Aviation System Report 2024-2025-Edition	Q4 2026	Development and publication of the AASPG Aviation System Report 2026-2027 Edition	Q1-Q4 2027

E. PRCC AND AASPG WORK PROGRAMME, 2026/2027

Year 2026		Year 2027	
Activity	Date	Activity	Date
PRCC/2 Meeting	24 – 25 Sep. 2026	ANS Summit preparatory activities	Q4, 2027
AASPG/2 Meeting	2 – 6 Nov. 2026	PRCC/3 Meeting	Q3, 2027
ANS Summit preparatory activities	Q2, 2026	AASPG/3 Meeting	Nov. 2027

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