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Agenda Item 3: Air Navigation Developments
3.4 Other Air Navigation Developments

**AIR TRAFFIC SERVICES QUALITY ASSURANCE SPECIAL IMPLEMENTATION PROJECT FOR THE
CARIBBEAN REGION (CAR ATS QA SIP)**

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

This paper provides a status report on the SIP conducted in some of the E/CAR States/Territories.

1. Introduction

1.1 ICAO Council, at the eighth meeting of its 171st session, approved the Air Traffic Services Quality Assurance Special Implementation Project for the Caribbean Region (CAR ATS QA SIP), aimed at assisting States in establishing ATS quality assurance programmes and ATS QA units for the existing ATS units that provide services to the FIRs. OECS, Barbados and Trinidad and Tobago were part of this SIP.

2. Discussion

2.1 The experts on ATS quality assurance successfully conducted the SIP in Antigua from 14 to 18 June 2004, in Barbados from 7 to 13 June 2004 and in Trinidad and Tobago from 16-27 August 2004.

3. Suggested Action

3.1 The Meeting is invited to take note of the information provided in this working paper, and the States concerned are encouraged to implement the recommendations of the SIP report.

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