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Information of general interest is available at:

<https://www.icao.int/Meetings/A40/Pages/default.aspx>

Schedule of Meetings: Thursday, 3 October 2019

Sixth Plenary Meeting	0900 to 1200 hours	Assembly Hall 4th floor, Conference Centre
Twelfth Meeting of the Executive Committee	1400 to 1700 hours	Assembly Hall 4th floor, Conference Centre

ASSEMBLY DOCUMENTATION IN ELECTRONIC FORMAT

Website: All Assembly documentation is available at www.icao.int/a40.

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Yesterday's meetings, Wednesday, 2 October 2019

Tenth Meeting of the Executive Committee

At its Tenth Meeting, held on Wednesday, 2 October 2019 at 0900 hours, the Executive Committee considered its draft Report to the Plenary on Agenda Item 19 (*Increasing the efficiency and effectiveness of ICAO*) (WP/582). A small drafting group was established to review the proposed amendments to the text and to Resolution 19/1.

The Executive Committee then reviewed the following draft Reports to the Plenary and took the actions indicated:

WP/572	Report on Agenda Item 23 (<i>Technical Assistance Programme</i>)	Approved without changes. Agreed to recommend to the Plenary the adoption of Resolution 23/1 (no changes).
WP/624	Report on Agenda Item 24 (<i>Technical Cooperation – Policy and Activities</i>)	Approved without changes. Agreed to recommend to the Plenary the adoption of Resolution 24/1 (as amended).
WP/587	Report on Agenda Item 26 (<i>Other High-Level Policy Issues to be considered by the Executive Committee</i>)	Approved with changes. Agreed to recommend to the Plenary the adoption of Resolution 26/1 (no changes) and Resolution 26/2 (as amended).
WP/573	Report on Agenda Item 15 (<i>Environmental Protection – General Provisions, Aircraft Noise and Local Air Quality – Policy and Standardization</i>)	Approved with changes. Agreed to recommend to the Plenary the adoption of Resolution 15/1 (no changes).

The Executive Committee, thereafter, commenced consideration of its draft Report to the Plenary on Agenda Item 16 (*Environmental Protection – International Aviation and Climate Change – Policy and Standardization*) (WP/574). At the time of adjournment, a number of amendments to the text had been proposed. It was agreed to return to this Agenda Item at the next meeting.

Eleventh Meeting of the Executive Committee

At its Eleventh Meeting, held on Wednesday, 2 October 2019, at 1400 hours, the Executive Committee returned briefly to Agenda Item 16 (*Environmental Protection – International Aviation and Climate Change – Policy and Standardization*) (WP/574) to constitute a second small drafting group to review the proposed amendments to the text and to report on the outcome of its work later in the meeting.

The Executive Committee, thereafter, reviewed and approved without changes the draft text for the General Section of its Report to the Plenary (WP/598).

It then resumed consideration of Agenda Item 19 (*Increasing the efficiency and effectiveness of ICAO*) on the basis of an oral report on the outcome of the work of the first small drafting group which had been established at the previous meeting to review proposed amendments to the text and to Resolution 19/1 contained in WP/582. The Committee approved the report on Agenda Item 19, as amended, and agreed to recommend to the Plenary the adoption of Resolution 19/1, as amended.

The Executive Committee later resumed consideration of Agenda Item 16. The results of the second small drafting group's work were presented, as were the amendments to Resolution 16/1 proposed earlier by China, India and the Russian Federation which were posted on the A40 website. The various issues raised were noted. It was agreed that further consultations would be held with the States concerned and that a report thereon would be presented at a later meeting.

The Executive Committee then commenced consideration of its draft Report to the Plenary on Agenda Item 17 (*Environmental Protection – Carbon Offsetting and Reduction Scheme for International Aviation (CORSIA)*) (WP/575). A number of amendments to the text were proposed. China and the Russian Federation were asked to jointly present a paragraph describing their position for inclusion in the Report. The Committee would return to this Agenda Item at a later meeting.

ICAO – SKYTALKS

SKYTALKS are held in the workshop area, 4th floor foyer (room 4.15.72).

For the detailed schedule of SkyTalks during A40, please consult the following page:

<https://www.icao.int/A40-SkyTalks-schedule>

Announcements

Distribution of Gifts and Promotional Materials

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The World of Civil Aviation Report: 75th Anniversary Edition

The special edition of the World Civil Aviation Report reviews how ICAO and its Member States are tackling some of the main challenges in civil aviation today, such as the unfettered usage of unmanned aircraft (drones), the ability to continuously track commercial aircraft over oceanic areas, a more efficient use of airspace around airports and many more emerging topics. As a Head of Delegation you are welcome to visit the ICAO Products and Services booth and pick up your complimentary copy. For more information, please consult the following page: <https://www.unitingaviation.com/strategic-objective/economic-development/the-world-of-civil-aviation-icaos-2019-report/>.

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