

## ICAO Action

The Operations Panel (OPSP) and the Instrument Flight Procedure Panel (IFPP) are coordinating the development of the operational concept for area navigation (RNAV) visual approaches as well as standardized flight procedure design criteria. This work will result in changes to the *Procedures for Air Navigation Services — Aircraft Operations* (PANS-OPS, Doc 8168) and potentially to the *Procedures for Air Navigation Services — Air Traffic Management* (PANS-ATM, Doc 4444).

It is estimated that amendments to the existing provisions will be in force by 2016.