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**The Twentieth Meeting of the APANPIRG ATM/AIS/SAR Sub-Group
(ATM/AIS/SAR/SG/20)**

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TERMS OF REFERENCE OF ATM/AIS/SAR Sub-Group

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

This paper highlights the Terms of Reference of the ATM/AIS/SAR Sub-Group for review by the meeting.

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 The current Terms of Reference (TOR) of the ATM/AIS/SAR Sub-Group is as follows:

TERMS OF REFERENCE

**AIR TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT/AERONAUTICAL INFORMATION SERVICES
AND SEARCH AND RESCUE (ATM/AIS/SAR) SUB-GROUP OF APANPIRG**

1. Ensure the continuing and coherent development of the ASIA/PAC Regional Air Navigation Plan in the ATM/AIS/SAR fields in accordance with the Global Air Navigation Plan and the Global Aviation Safety Plan;
2. Review and identify deficiencies that impede the implementation or provision of efficient ATM/AIS/SAR services in the Asia/Pacific region;
3. Monitor CNS/ATM systems research and development, trials and demonstrations in the fields of ATM/AIS/SAR and facilitate the transfer of this information and expertise between States;
4. Make specific recommendations aimed at improving ATM/AIS/SAR services by the use of existing procedures and facilities and/or through the evolutionary implementation of CNS/ATM systems;
5. Review and identify inter-regional co-ordination issues in the fields of ATM/AIS/SAR and recommend actions to address those issues; and
6. Ensure ATS environmental initiatives are consistently identified and progressed, and act as the Asia/Pacific regional focal point for the reporting of outcomes from ATS environmental initiatives.

(Last updated APANPIRG/19, September 2008)

2. ACTION BY THE MEETING

- 2.1 The meeting is invited to review the TOR as above and propose amendments, if any.

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