



Agenda Item 6: RASG-PA Plan of Activities for 2013
6.2 Work Programme for 2013

PROPOSED RASG-PA WORK PROGRAMME FOR 2013

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

The Regional Aviation Safety Group – Pan America (RASG-PA) develops its annual work programme based on its primary goal to be the focal point to ensure harmonization and coordination of safety efforts aimed at reducing aviation safety risks in the North American, Central American, Caribbean (NAM/CAR), and South American (SAM) Regions and to promote implementation of the resulting safety enhancement initiatives by all stakeholders.

To fulfill its work programme, RASG-PA is dependent on the financial support and in-kind donations of its members. This support is crucial to the advancement of initiatives and projects developed and championed by RASG-PA.

Each year, based on current activities, initiatives, and membership guidance, RASG-PA develops a tentative work programme to provide the necessary guidance and the forum to accomplish its mission.

References:

- RASG-PA Procedural Handbook
- RASG-PA Meetings reports 2008 – 2012

Strategic Objective

This working paper is related to Strategic Objective A – Safety

1. Introduction

1.1 The Regional Aviation Safety Group – Pan America promotes safety enhancement initiatives based on the ICAO Global Aviation Safety Plan (GASP).

1.2 RASG-PA activities are dependent upon the participation of its members in order to continue to provide the framework from which regional, sub-regional and national implementation plans will be developed and implemented in the Pan American Region.

2. 2012 Activities

2.1 For reference, the table in **Appendix A** reflects completed RASG-PA activities (to date) for 2012 and the tentative activities scheduled for the remainder of year. An annual RASG-PA meeting is required as stated in the RASG-PA Procedural Handbook.

2.2 The table in **Appendix B** reflects the RASG-PA Aviation Safety Workshops that have been completed or are scheduled for 2012. For reference, WP/05 provides more information regarding the organization of these workshops.

3. Proposed RASG-PA work programme for 2013

3.1 In order to accomplish the projects and initiatives developed and championed by RASG-PA and its working groups, the attached tentative work programme is submitted for RASG-PA ESC consideration and approval.

PROPOSED RASG-PA WORK PROGRAMME – 2013

ACTIVITY	DATES	LOCATION	PARTICIPANTS
RASG-PA Executive Steering Committee (ESC) Teleconferences	Bi-monthly	Not applicable	ESC
Aviation Safety Training Team (ASTT)	Meetings TBD	TBD	ASTT MEMBERS
Pan America - Regional Aviation Safety Team (PA-RAST/12)	19-21 February	Mexico City	PA-RAST
RASG-PA Executive Steering Committee (ESC/16)	12-13 March	Lima, Perú	ESC
Pan America - Regional Aviation Safety Team (PA-RAST/13)	21-23 May	Miami	PA-RAST
Annual Safety Report Team (ASRT)	June/July	Lima, Perú	ASRT
RASG-PA Executive Steering Committee (ESC/17)	24 June	San Jose, Costa Rica	ESC
Fourth Pan American Aviation Safety Summit	25 - 26 June	San Jose, Costa Rica	RASG-PA Members and Aviation Community
Sixth Regional Aviation Safety Group – Pan America (RASG-PA/6) Meeting	27 – 28 June	San Jose, Costa Rica	RASG-PA Members
Pan America - Regional Aviation Safety Team (PA-RAST/14)	23-27 September	Brazil	PA-RAST
RASG-PA Executive Steering Committee (ESC/18)	15-16 October	Brazil	ESC

**RASG-PA AVIATION SAFETY WORKSHOPS
2013 TENTATIVE SCHEDULE**

ACTIVITY	DATES	LOCATION	PARTICIPANTS
RASG-PA Aviation Safety Workshop I	TBD	TBD	RASG-PA Members and aviation stakeholders
RASG-PA Aviation Safety Workshop II	TBD	TBD	RASG-PA Members and aviation stakeholders
RASG-PA Aviation Safety Workshop III	TBD	TBD	RASG-PA Members and aviation stakeholders
RASG-PA Aviation Safety Workshop IV	TBD	TBD	RASG-PA Members and aviation stakeholders
RASG-PA Aviation Safety Workshop V	TBD	TBD	RASG-PA Members and aviation stakeholders

**RASG-PA PROJECT GSI/3 – PROTECTION OF SAFETY INFORMATION SEMINARS
2013**

ACTIVITY	DATES	LOCATION	PARTICIPANTS
RASG-PA PROJECT GSI/3 Seminar	TBD	SAM Region	State CAAs
RASG-PA PROJECT GSI/3 Seminar	TBD	CAR Region	State CAAs

4. Conclusion

4.1 The RASG-PA work programme results in numerous activities based on priorities established by the RASG-PA ESC and member States.

4.2 To effectively implement and accomplish RASG-PA initiatives and safety activities aimed at improving the regional safety and efficiency of civil aviation, RASG-PA members, in close coordination with the ESC, should participate and provide resources and in-kind support to promote and accomplish RASG-PA work programme initiatives for 2013.

5. Action by the Meeting

5.1 The RASG-PA Meeting is invited to:

- a) accept and approve the proposed RASG-PA activities for 2013;
- b) promote additional RASG-PA activities for 2013;
- c) offer to host a RASG-PA aviation safety workshop/seminar for 2013; and
- d) develop a plan to promote or provide additional financial or in-kind support for RASG-PA activities for 2013.

APPENDIX A
RASG-PA ACTIVITY SCHEDULE – 2012

ACTIVITY	DATES	LOCATION	PARTICIPANTS
RASG-PA Executive Steering Committee (ESC) Teleconferences	Monthly	Not applicable	ESC
Pan America - Regional Aviation Safety Team (PA-RAST/08)	12-13 March	Kingston, Jamaica	PA-RAST
RASG-PA Executive Steering Committee (ESC/12)	14-15 March	Kingston, Jamaica	ESC
Annual Safety Report Team (ASRT)	21-15 May	Lima, Peru	ASRT
Pan America - Regional Aviation Safety Team (PA-RAST/09)	18 June	Bogota, Colombia	PA-RAST
RASG-PA Executive Steering Committee (ESC/13)	19 June	Bogota, Colombia	ESC
ALTA/ICAO Third Pan American Aviation Safety Summit	20-21 June	Bogota, Colombia	RASG-PA members and aviation community
Pan America - Regional Aviation Safety Team (PA-RAST/10)	13-14 August	Seattle, Washington, USA	PA-RAST
RASG-PA Executive Steering Committee (ESC/14)	15-16 August	Seattle, Washington, USA	ESC
Pan America - Regional Aviation Safety Team (PA-RAST/11)	18-19 October	Santiago, Chile	PA-RAST
RASG-PA Executive Steering Committee (ESC/15)	21 October	Santiago, Chile	ESC
Fifth Regional Aviation Safety Group – Pan America (RASG-PA/5) Meeting	22-24 October	Santiago, Chile	RASG-PA members
Aviation Safety Training Team (ASTT)	November/ December	To be determined	ASTT

APPENDIX B

REGIONAL AVIATION SAFETY GROUP-PAN AMERICA SAFETY WORKSHOP SCHEDULE – 2012	
---	---

ACTIVITY	DATES	LOCATION	PARTICIPANTS
RASG-PA Aviation Safety Workshop I	January	Mexico	RASG-PA members and aviation community
RASG-PA Aviation Safety Workshop II	June	Colombia	RASG-PA members and aviation community
RASG-PA Aviation Safety Workshop III	November	Venezuela	RASG-PA members and aviation community

— END —