



## **TENTATIVE AGENDA**

(Presented by the Secretariat)

- Agenda Item 1:** Review follow-up actions on:
- a) report of AERMETSG/8 and GREPECAS/14 Meetings; and
  - b) relevant Conclusions implemented of previous GREPECAS Meetings.
- Agenda Item 2:** Implementation of the World Area Forecast System (WAFS):
- a) review the outcome of WAFSOPSG/3 Meeting;
  - b) review the status of implementation of ISCS; and
  - c) review the status of implementation and utilization of the WAFS products.
- Agenda Item 3:** Implementation of the International Airways Volcano Watch (IAVW)
- a) review the outcome of IAVWOPSG/3 Meeting;
  - b) review the status of implementation of IAVW; and
  - c) SIGMET related Issues
- Agenda Item 4:** Exchange of OPMET information
- a) review regional requirements for OPMET information; and
  - b) review the results of coordinated OPMET exchange controls.
- Agenda Item 5:** Review of the CAR/SAM ANP/FASID, Part VI – MET
- Agenda Item 6:** Planning and implementation of ATM systems
- Agenda Item 7:** Status of MET deficiencies (GREPECAS List of MET Deficiencies)
- Agenda Item 8:** Future Work Programme
- Agenda Item 9:** Any other business

## EXPLANATORY NOTES ON THE TENTATIVE AGENDA OF THE AERMETSG/8 MEETING

**Agenda Item 1:** Review follow-up actions on:

- c) report of AERMETSG/8 and GREPECAS/14 Meetings; and
- d) relevant Conclusions o implemented of previous GREPECAS Meetings.

Under this Agenda Item, the Subgroup will review the actions taken by GREPECAS in relation to Conclusions formulated by the Eight Meeting of the AERMET Subgroup, held in Santiago, Chile, 9 to 13 October 2006, as well as by the Air Navigation Commission (ANC), by CAR/SAM States/Territories and by ICAO Secretariat. As well, a review of GREPECAS Conclusions/Decisions formulated in previous meetings and of Recommendations and Conclusions pending of implementation, formulated by the RAN CAR/SAM/3 Meeting, held in Buenos Aires, Argentina, from 5 to 15 October 1999 will be made.

**Agenda Item 2:** Implementation of the World Area Forecast System (WAFS):

- a) review the outcome of WAFSOPSG/3 Meeting;
- b) review the status of implementation of ISCS; and
- c) review the status of implementation and utilization of the WAFS products.

Under this Agenda Item, information will be presented to the Subgroup on the status of implementation of conclusions of the Third Meeting of the World Area Forecast System Operations Group (WAFSOPSG/3) (Paris, France, 26 – 29 September 2005), in CAR/SAM States/Territories. The sub-group is also expected to assess the level of implementation of ISCS in the CAR/SAM Regions as well, to review the status of implementation and utilization of the WAFS products

**Agenda Item 3:** Implementation of the International Airways Volcano Watch (IAVW)

- a) review the outcome of IAVWOPSG/3 Meeting;
- b) review the status of implementation of IAVW; and
- c) SIGMET related Issues

Under this Agenda Item, information will be presented to the Subgroup on the Third Meeting of International Airways Volcanic Watch Operations Group (IAVWOPSG/3) (Bangkok, Thailand, 19 – 23 March 2007), the IAVW implementation status in CAR/SAM States/Territories, as well the status of implementation of the issuance of SIGMET in the CAR/SAM Regions.

**Agenda Item 4:** Exchange of OPMET information

- a) review regional requirements for OPMET information; and
- b) review the results of coordinated OPMET exchange controls.

A review of OPMET requirements of OPMET data in CAR/SAM States/Territories will be made under this agenda item, as well of the result of coordinated OPMET exchange controls.

**Agenda Item 5:** Review of the CAR/SAM ANP/FASID, Part VI – MET

Under this agenda item the meeting will review and update, based on operational requirements, if necessary, CAR/SAM FASID MET Tables.

**Agenda Item 6:** Planning and implementation of ATM systems

Under this Agenda Item the meeting will analyze the results of the tasks being developed by the Subgroup MET/ATM/OP Task Force on the CNS/ATM concept of the Subgroup.

**Agenda Item 7:** Status of MET deficiencies (GREPCAS List of MET Deficiencies)

A review and update of the GREPCAS List of MET deficiencies, will be made under this agenda item, based on the document: “*Reporting of deficiencies in the field of Aeronautical Meteorology*” prepared by ICAO following Recommendation 13/9 of the RAN CAR/SAM/3 (Buenos Aires, Argentina, October 1999).

**Agenda Item 8:** Future Work Programme

Under this Agenda Item, it is expected that the Subgroup review the Terms of Reference and Work Program and composition of the Subgroup, as well as the disbanding and/or establishment of additional task forces to those included in the Report on the Eighth Meeting of the GREPCAS Aeronautical Meteorology Subgroup (AERMETSG/8). In the business plan environment, the programme must have well-defined deliverables with performance measures (e.g. level of implementation).

**Agenda Item 9:** Any other business

Taking into consideration that the ARMETSG Chairman and Vice- Chairman are no longer officers of the MET authority (National Meteorological Service) of Argentina and Cuba, respectively, under this Agenda Item, the meeting will elect the Chairman and Vice- Chairman of the Subgroup. Additionally, the Subgroup will consider any other matter that could not be handled under preceding agenda items.