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MEASURING PERFORMANCE AND TRACKING SEAMLESS ASIA SKIES PROGRESS

(Presented by IATA)

SUMMARY

This purpose of this paper is to propose a process to develop Regional goals to track progress and assist implementation of Seamless ATM across Asia Pacific.

This paper relates to −

Strategic Objectives:
    A: **Safety** *– Enhance global civil aviation safety*
    C: **Environmental Protection and Sustainable Development of Air Transport** *– Foster harmonized and economically viable development of international civil aviation that does not unduly harm the environment*

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1   At APSAPG1 IATA proposed that the SEAMLESS ATM PLANNING Group should recommend the inclusion of performance target in the development of the Seamless ATM Plan

1.2   The meeting rejected this proposal on that basis that Asia/Pacific had individual jurisdictions, unlike the United States and to some extent, Europe.

1.3   In this paper we revisit our proposal at APSAPG1 to set performance targets to guide implementation.

2. DISCUSSION

2.1   ICAO has commenced a study of a set of operational performance objectives related to the recently approved Aviation System Block Upgrades. These performance objectives are designed to facilitate global comparison of ongoing programs across four performance improvement areas (PIA):

- PIA 1 - Airport operations

- PIA 2 - Globally interoperable systems and data

- PIA 3 - Optimum capacity and flexible flight

- PIA4 – Efficient flight path

3. **ACTION BY THE MEETING**

3.1   The meeting is invited to:

   a) note the information contained in this paper;

   b) note the ICAO work to develop performance objectives;

   c) recommend to APANPIRG to set a working group to develop performance metrics to track progress in improving the capacity of the Asia Pacific ATM environment; and

   d) discuss any relevant matters as appropriate.

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