

# MIDANPIRG ATM SG/3 Meeting Cairo, 22-25 May 2017

# Republic of Iraq

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## **Presentation Outline**

- ATS Routes improvements implemented
- ATS Routes planned for implementation
- Challenges delaying ATS Routes Implementation, if any
- Other implemented or planned ATM Operational Improvements
- Brief regarding the ongoing ATM projects/initiatives



## **ATS Routes improvements implemented**

1.6 The following figure shows route separation criteria, for which 9 NM buffer areas around the new ATS routes are displayed. Where those do not overlap, minimum routes spacing of 18 NM is assured.

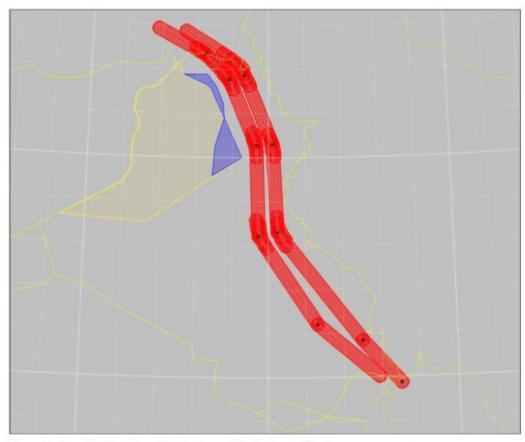
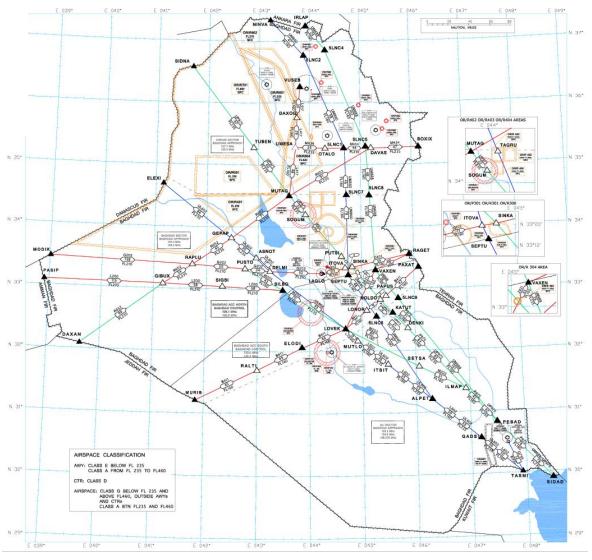


Figure 4: New ATS Routes – Route Separation between Routes



## **ATS Routes improvements implemented**





## **ATS Routes planned for implementation**

#### Medium Term Plans:

- 4 RNAV 1 North/South routes.
  - Expected Date Q1 2018.
  - Challenges Entry / Exit points with Turkey and Kuwait.
- Additional route options with Saudi Arabia

### Longer Term Plans:

- Additional RNAV 1 routes serving Europe/Gulf overflying Syrian airspace.
  - Expected Date TBD
  - Challenges;
    - Syrian conflict situation
    - Surveillance Installation in western Iraq



# Other implemented or planned ATM Operational Improvements

- Transition to Thales TopSky in Jan 2017
- 2 Additional Radar Installations
  - Radar Heads arrived in Iraq
  - Ground work has started in Baghdad and Kirkuk
- OLDI project kicked off with neighboring State visits planned during the summer
- Discussions with Air Defence for Radar Data Sharing
- Country wide ADS-B project under discussion



## Brief regarding the ongoing ATM projects/initiatives

- Initiative 1
  - New Routes published April 27, 2017.
  - Working with regional and international Civil Aviation Organisations and Airline operators, providing them with information to support the relaxation or revocation of safety advisories;
    - Full briefing and supporting documentation
    - Daily Security Reports
- Initiative 2
  - In collaboration with IATA, testing a CDM platform as a pilot project



## Thank you