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Regional Projects (MENA ARCM & MID-FPP)



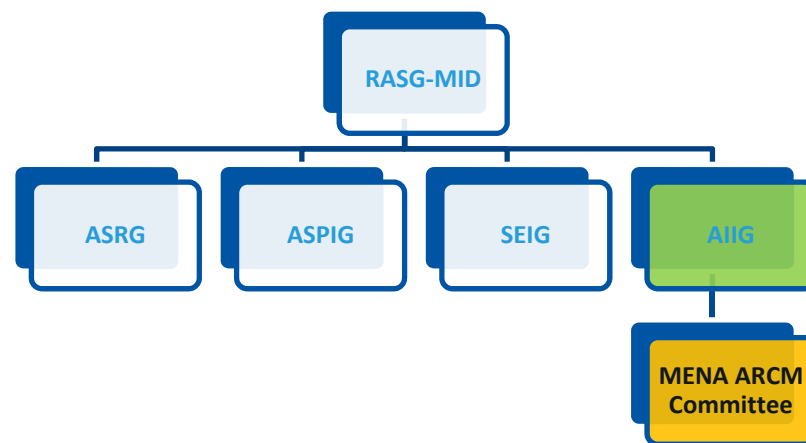
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- **The Strategy** for the enhancement of cooperation among the MENA States in the provision of AIG functions was endorsed by the **DGCA-MID/4 meeting** (Muscat, Oman, 17 – 19 October 2017).
- The **DGCA-MID/5** (Kuwait, 4 – 6 November 2019) meeting, through **Conclusion 5/4**, endorsed the MENA AIG Regional Cooperation Mechanism (**MENA ARCM**)
- **The RSC/7 meeting** (Cairo, Egypt, 3 – 5 March 2020), through Conclusion 7/13, **endorsed** MENA AIG Regional Cooperation Mechanism (**MENA ARCM**) **Action Plan**
- **The AIIG/1 virtual** meeting (7-9 September 2021) **reviewed the Draft MENA ARCM MoU and agreed to its presentation to the 5th DGCA-MID** virtual meeting for endorsement





- The meeting may wish to note that the **5th virtual DGCA-MID** meeting reviewed and **endorsed the MENA ARCM MoU**
- The meeting may also wish to note that the MENA AIG Regional Cooperation Mechanism (**MENA ARCM**) **MoU** (in both languages Arabic and English) has been **circulated to the States for signature** through a State Letter SL File Ref.: ME 4/1.9 - 21/182, dated 1 November 2021 and a reminder dated on 13 January 2022.
- So far, **five (7) seven States have signed** the MENA ARCM MoU namely Iraq, Iran, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, UAE, and Yemen.



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Action by the Meeting

- a. *encourage States to sign the MENA AIG Regional Cooperation Mechanism (MENA ARCM) MoU, if not yet done.*



Background and Context

- ✦ The DGCA-MID/5 meeting (Kuwait, 4-6 November 2019) noted with appreciation that ICAO MID Office managed to secure the required funds, through voluntary contributions from States and ICAO, which will support the launching of the Programme and cover the expected expenses for the 1st year.
- ✦ The Program will be executed as a TCB project based on the Project Document (*ProDoc*) signed by the ICAO and the participating States.
- ✦ Participating States are grouped in the following categories:
 - Active States
 - User States
 - Donors
 - Observers
- ✦ Currently, MID FPP ProDoc has been signed by six (6) States: Jordan, Kuwait (Active), Lebanon, Syria, UAE (Host) and Yemen. Saudi Arabia notified that they will initially join the Program as a Donor.
- ✦ The Programme Manager was recruited by ICAO TCB and remotely boarded since 17 Jan 2022.
- ✦ The first meeting of the MIDFPP Steering Committee (SC/1) was successfully held virtually on 26 and 27 January 2022.



High Level Objectives

- ✦ The MID FPP will build its capacity to provide assistance, training, quality assurance, procedure & airspace design, operational approval to the Participating States and will focus mainly on the implementation of PBN in Terminal Area (TMA) and vertically guided Instrument Approach Procedures (IAP)





MID FPP premises

One of main MIDFPP objectives in 2022: Securing location and training facility (physical, virtual)

The grounds of SZC comprises of two main buildings in Abu Dhabi

ACC Building



MID FPP Manager Office

EACC Building



Classrooms

MID FPP Office & adjacent meeting rooms





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Action by the Meeting

- a. *encourage States and stakeholders to support the MID FPP.*



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