

## Update on the ICAO work programme on Conflict Zones and way forward

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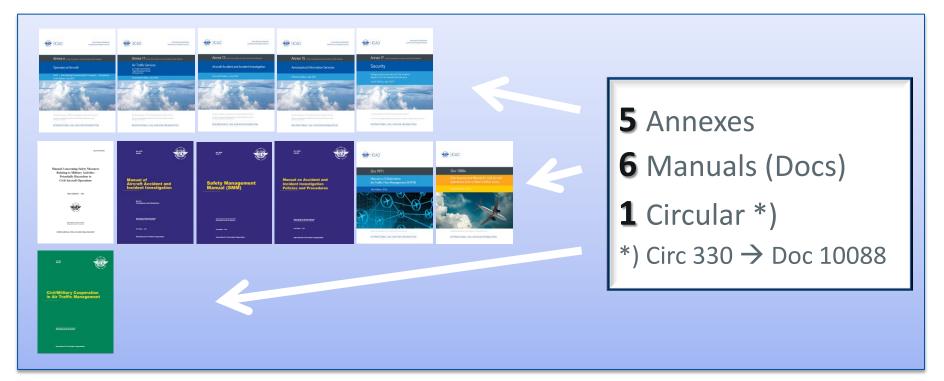
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**ICAO Conflict Zone Work Programme** 

# Involved ICAO provisions





#### ANNEXES

Annex 6 – *Operation of Aircraft,* Part I – International Commercial Air Transport – Aeroplanes Annex 11 – *Air Traffic Services* 

Annex 13 – Aircraft Accident and Incident Investigation

- Annex 15 Aeronautical Information Services
- Annex 17 Security

#### **GUIDANCE MATERIAL**

Doc 9554, Manual concerning Safety Measures Relating to Military Activities Potentially Hazardous to Civil Aircraft Operations

Doc 9756, Manual of Aircraft Accident and Incident Investigation, Part I

Doc 9859, Safety Management Manual

Doc 9962, Manual on Accident and Incident Investigation Policies and Procedures

Doc 9971, Manual on Collaborative Air Traffic Flow Management

Doc 10084, Risk Assessment Manual on Civil Aircraft Operations over or near Conflict Zones Doc 10088, Manual on Civil/Military Cooperation in Air Traffic Management \*)

\*) replaces Circular 330



#### TIMELINE 2018 - 2020 Improvement of related ICAO provisions

## ANNEXES 6, 13, 11, 15, 17

DOCs

AN 6: State Letter AN 13: review ANC AN 11 and 15: ANC approved AN 17: published

9554, 9756 Part I: started 9962, 10088: ongoing 9859, 9971, 10084: published

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**Results** 

## **IMPROVEMENTS** Annex 17 - Security

<u>Published</u> (2017)  $\rightarrow$  to adjust NCASP elements: Expanding existing State requirement to constantly review, **besides** the level, also **the nature** of the threat to civil aviation in its territory **and the airspace above** 

<u>New requirement</u> (Nov 2018): the appropriate authority to establish and implement procedures to share, as appropriate, relevant information with operators, ANSPs or other entities concerned in a practical, timely manner to assist them to conduct security risk assessments relating to their operations

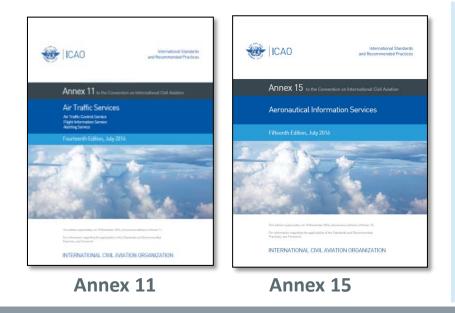






# **ONGOING IMPROVEMENTS**

## Risk assessment and sharing information – Air Traffic Services



#### New requirements (2020)

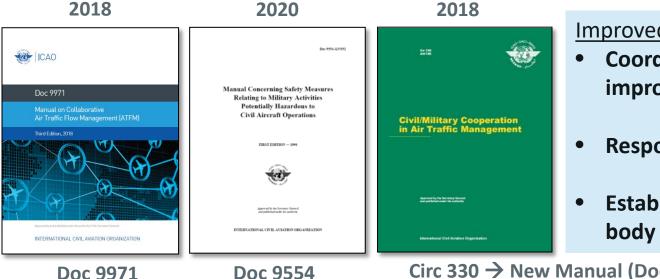
- ATS ensures to conduct a risk assessment of airspace concerned for hazardous activities to civil aircraft and take mitigating actions when necessary
- conflict zone is a reportable hazard for civil aviation in NOTAM, include nature, extent of threat, and consequences





## **PUBLISHED & ONGOING IMPROVEMENTS**

## **ATS Contingency and Civil - Military Coordination**



#### Improved guidance: 2018 - 2020

- **Coordination and contingency** improvements during conflicts
- **Responsibilities of parties**
- **Establish joint high-level policy** body for oversight

Circ 330  $\rightarrow$  New Manual (Doc 10088)



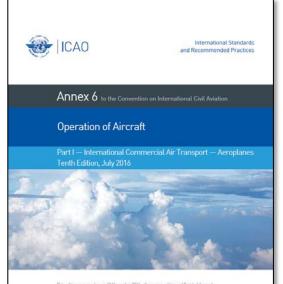


## **ONGOING IMPROVEMENTS**

### Annex 6 – Operation of Aircraft, Part I

#### New requirement (2020)

- Operator ensures to conduct before the flight a risk assessment for the entire flight plan route, including alternates, and when necessary to take mitigating actions
- Note with reference to new *Risk Assessment Manual for Civil Aircraft Operations Over or Near Conflict Zones* (Doc 10084)



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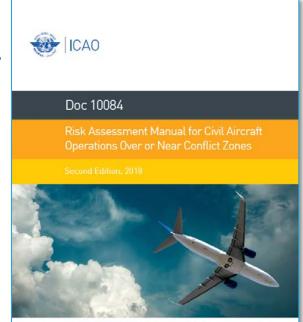


## PUBLISHED IMPROVEMENTS

Doc 10084 – Risk Assessment Manual for Civil Aircraft Operations Over or Near Conflict Zones

<u>1<sup>st</sup> Edition</u> (2016): Conflict zones defined and advice to States and operators about risks of overflying conflict zones <u>2<sup>nd</sup> (non-restricted) Edition</u> (2018):

- Improved ICAO framework and procedures
- Responsibilities of all stakeholders
- Consolidated source material for risk assessments
- Risk information sharing mechanisms
- Guidance what to do with threat and risk information
- Best practices



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#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition Doc 10084

# So, what's new?



History and related work in progress
Glossary
Related ICAO publications
Chapter 1. Introduction

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aircraft operators, and service providers for exchange and promulgation of information App D-1



# State that manages the airspace

Primarily relevant Annex 17 provisions

→ Establish and implement procedures for risk assessment mechanisms to share information own territory and airspace above it

Also some Annex 11 and 15 provisions

- $\rightarrow$  Geographical area of CZ and contingency plans
- $\rightarrow$  Promulgation of information



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# Aircraft Operator

Primarily Annex 6 provisions

→ Not to commence the flight before appropriate risk assessment of the entire route, incl. en-route alternates, and if necessary, take mitigating actions for a safe and secure flight



# Air Navigation Service Provider

Primarily Annex 11 provisions

→ Development and promulgate contingency planning

- → Perform risk assessment for activities potentially hazardous for civil aircraft and if necessary take mitigating actions
- → Civil Military ATS coordination



# State of the Operator

Primarily Annex 17 provisions

- → Assure protection and safety of passengers, crew, ground personnel and general public safeguarding acts of unlawful interference
- → Establish an organization and structure to ensure the safety, regularity and efficiency of flights



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Based on Annex 11 provisions

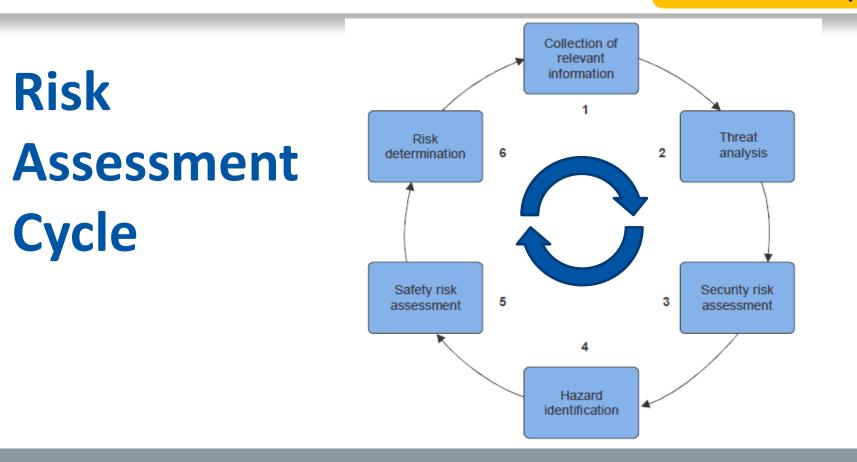
→ When necessary, initiate and coordinate appropriate contingency actions with stakeholders involved

Practice example with industry

→ ICAO – IATA Contingency Coordination Team (CCT) (airspace avoidance in ICAO Middle East and North Africa region)



#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition Doc 10084 Risk Assessment Cycle

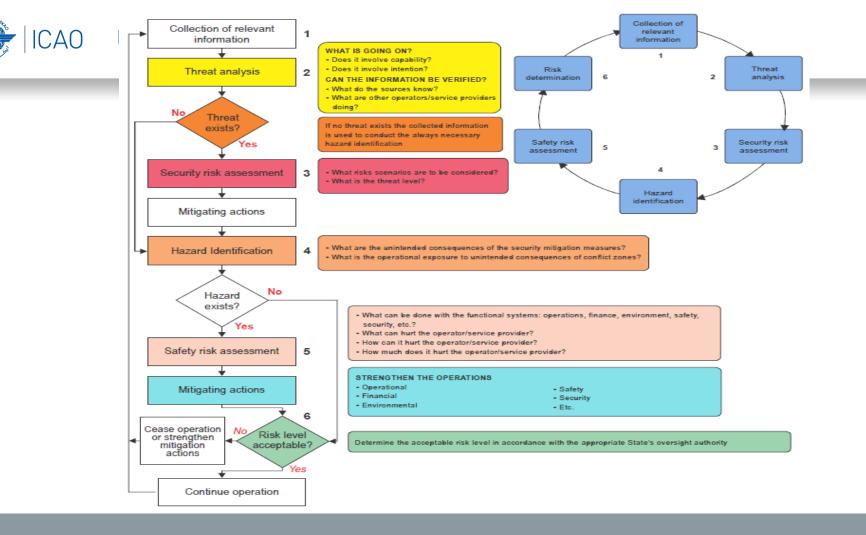




2<sup>nd</sup> Edition Doc 10084 Risk Assessment Cycle



- 1. Collection of Relevant Information
- 2. Threat Analyses
- 3. Security Risk Assessment
- 4. Mitigating Actions
- 5. Hazard Identification
- 6. Unintended Consequences of Security RA Mitigating Actions
- 7. Safety Risk Assessment
- 8. Mitigating Actions Functional Systems
- 9. Unintended Consequences of Safety RA Mitigating Actions
- 10. Acceptable Risk Level





# Mitigating actions – Functional Systems

- Operations
- Safety
- Security
- Environment
- Maintenance
- Quality
- Finance

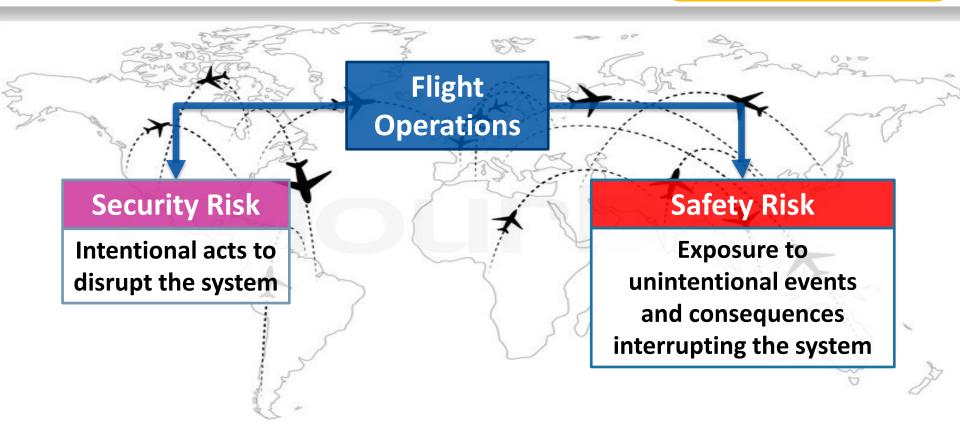
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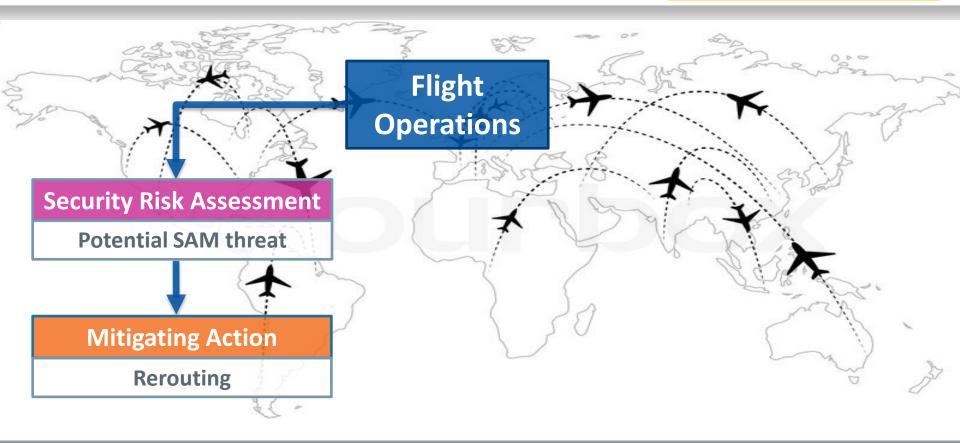




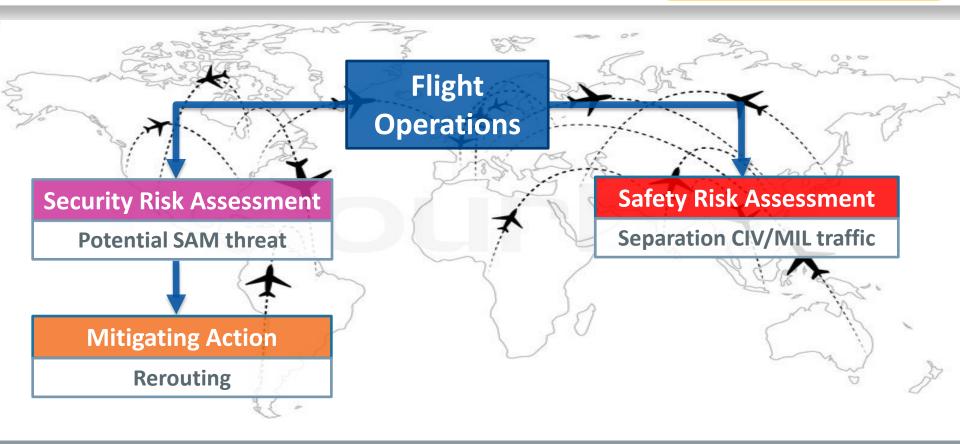
#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition Doc 10084 Security and Safety Risks



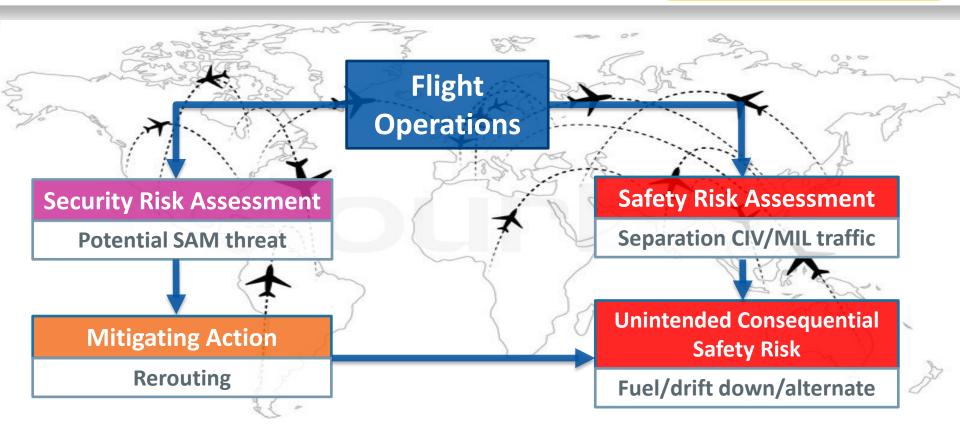




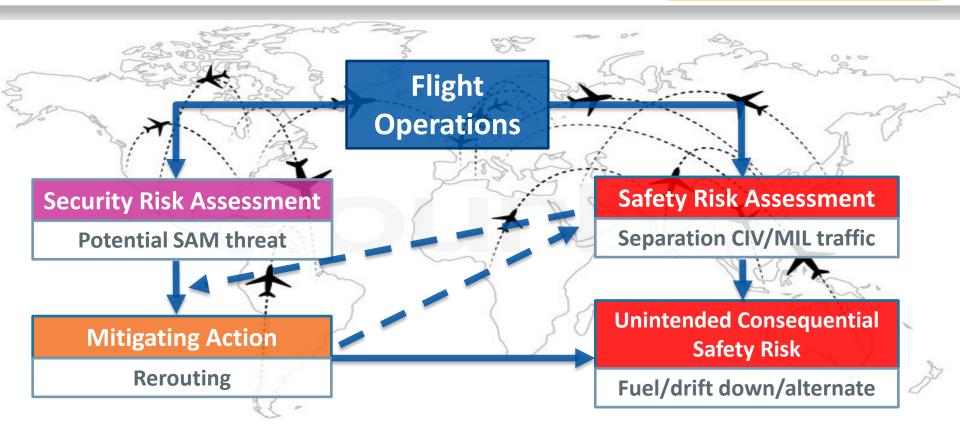














## **Overflying CZ: aircraft A330 (approx 300 POB)**

#### **Example assumptions**

- In the case of a potential SAM attack, the only mitigation action available is likely to be avoidance of the affected airspace
- For explanatory purposes of the risk assessment process a potential attack with MANPADS is given below FL320





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#### 1. Collection of relevant information

CZ: conflict between non-state armed groups and government No indications that the non-state groups possess medium or long range SAMs with a greater range than MANPADS

#### 2. Threat analysis

**Q:** Does it involve Intention and Capability? A: Both YES for MANPADS

Q: Can the information be verified?

A: Security info, public info; e.g. NOTAMs potential risk airspace below FL320 (Note: variation in NOTAMs depending source)

#### **Q: Does the treat exist? A: YES**





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#### 3. Security Risk Assessment (SeRA)

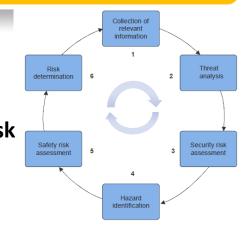
Q: Threat (Intent + Capability)  $\rightarrow$  Consequence  $\rightarrow$  Vulnerability  $\rightarrow$  Risk A: (T) Yes + Yes  $\rightarrow$  (C) High  $\rightarrow$  (V) High  $\rightarrow$  (R) High (below FL320)

#### 4. Security risk mitigating actions

A: NOT necessary for flights above FL320

#### 5. Hazard Identification

Q: What is the operational exposure to unintended consequences of the conflict zone? A: (1) Drift down (N-1) ceiling FL250 or (2) emergency decent (decompression) to FL100 or higher e.g. MSA (FL140) with mountainous terrain





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6. Unintended Consequences of SeRA Mitigating Actions A: NO actions necessary above FL320

#### 7. Safety Risk Assessment (SaRA)

A: Likelyhood N-1 or emergency decent is LOW → → Consequences and Vulnerability are HIGH → SaRA is HIGH

8. Mitigating Actions – *Functional Systems (Security/Safety/Operations)* A: (1) Drift down ceiling FL250 or below: e.g. contact Mil ATC for traffic separation or divert outside FIR

(2) Emergency decent: rerouting for ETOPS ERA and/or divert outside FIR





## Overflying CZ: aircraft A330 (approx. 300 POB)

- 9. Unintended consequences of SaRA mitigating actions
- A: More trip fuel necessary for possible risk of diversion/rerouting
- → recalculate trip fuel/alternate/MTOM/payload

10. Acceptable Risk Level – *defined with oversight authority*A: Acceptable when outcomes all steps within operational limits and as low as possible





### Introduction 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition Doc 10084

IATA Safety and Flight OPS Conference → 18 April 2018, Montréal

IATA AVSEC World Conference → 1 October 2018, Athens

ICAO AVSEC2018 Symposium → 26 November 2018, Montréal

#### RISK ASSESSMENT FOR CIVIL AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS OVER OR NEAR CONFLICT ZONES



Come to learn more about these improvements and the new Risk Assessment Manual, Doc 10084, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, during the following events:

- → IATA Safety and Flight OPS Conference 17–19 April 2018, Montréal, Canada
- → IATA AVSEC World Conference 1 October 2018, Athens, Greece
- → ICAO AVSEC Symposium 26-28 November 2018, Montréal, Canada

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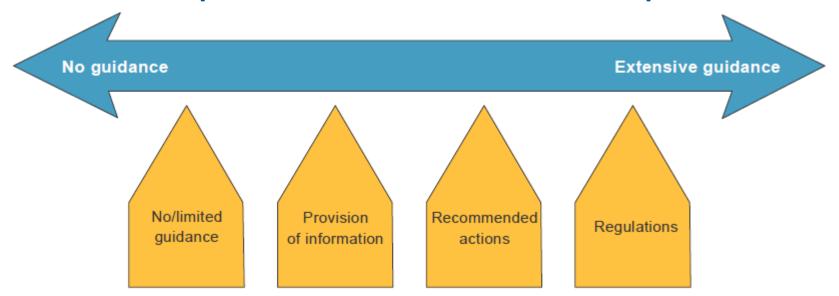
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2<sup>nd</sup> Edition Doc 10084 - IMPLEMENTATION Inventory – State type of guidance

### Differences between the guidance provided by States to airspace users in the risk assessment process





#### Inventory type of mechanisms in the ICAO Regions

Α	В	С	D	E	F
Region	State	Contact person	Contact details (e-mail and telephone)	Mechanism (1,2,3,4)	Amendment of contingency plan needed (Y/N)
APAC					
1	Afghanistan	Raza Gulam	rgulam@icao.int, tel.: +1 514 954-8219 (24/7)	1	Ν
2	Australia	Kas Beumkes	kbeumkes@icao.int, tel.: +1 514 954-8219 (24/7)	4	Υ
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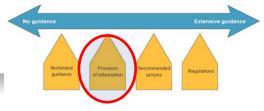




## **Example 1: No or limited guidance**

- Focus on national/domestic security
- No advise about foreign CZ
- Operator depends on own Security
  Department or outsource risk assessment

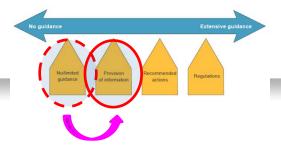




## **Example 2: Information provided by authorities**

- Provide with threat-related info
- No advise where to fly
- Operator able to make risk assessment based on more consolidated data





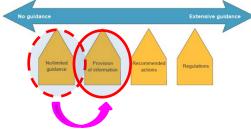
## **Experience of information sharing in the Netherlands**

- No State regulation or advise for operators regarding airspace beyond State territory and/or FIR
- Operators make their own risk assessment and decide where (not) to fly
- Agreement: State authorities to exchange non-public information, as far as available

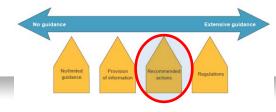


## (Voluntary) Agreement State – operators





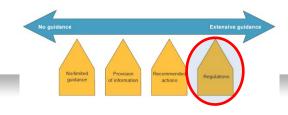




## **Example 3: Recommendations by authorities**

- Provide with threat-related info and risk assessment
- Advise where (not) to fly
- Operator includes this in its own risk assessment





## **Example 4: Regulation by authorities**

- Provide with threat-related info or risk assessment and advise where (not) to fly
- Advise: low high risk / fly not fly (restrictions)
- Operator own risk assessment (pending)



## Some key challenges for cooperation and sharing info

### **COOPERATION**

- 1. Confidential (voluntary) cooperation
- 2. Involvement (military) security services
- 3. Create a structure national, regional/international with the stakeholders

## **SHARING INFORMATION**

- 1. Exchange based on trust and (legal) arrangements
- 2. Security clearances for persons and channels
- 3. Need for adequate information service (SWIM)



Takeaway – Doc 10084

