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Today's Bulletin contains a brief review of the work completed on the third day of the Conference, the programme of work for today and other pertinent information of interest. Kindly refer to the *CEANS Programme and Directory*, provided upon registration, for general information regarding registration of participants, timetable and meeting arrangements as well as ancillary facilities and services provided through ICAO or available in Montreal. Furthermore, organizational arrangements are described in CEANS-WP/2.

1. TIMETABLE – THURSDAY, 18 SEPTEMBER 2008

Date/Time	Activity/Event	Location
0900-1700	Registration upon request	ICAO Conference Block – 1st floor
0930-1230	Agenda item 3: Specific issues related to air navigation services economics and management¹ 3.1 Ownership, governance and control 3.3 Cost allocation and charging systems 3.4 Economic and organization aspects related to implementation of the global air traffic management (ATM) concept	Assembly Hall, 4th floor, Conf. Block
1045-1100	<i>Coffee/Refreshments</i> (not sponsored)	
1230-1400	<i>Lunch</i>	
1400-1700	4 Implementation of ICAO's policies on charges (Possibly advanced depending on the progress made with Agenda item 3.)	Assembly Hall
1515-1530	<i>Coffee/Refreshments</i> (not sponsored)	

¹ The sub-item 3.2 – Cost basis for charges has been addressed in conjunction with sub-item 2.2 yesterday.

2. DOCUMENTATION

2.1 List of working papers by agenda item

The List of Working Papers as of 10 September 2008 is issued as CEANS-WP/67 (IP). For the agenda items to be dealt with on Thursday, 18 September 2008, information is provided below.

Agenda Item	WP No.
3.1	12, 18 (IP), 19 (IP), 36, 37, 43 (IP)
3.3	13-15, 25, 40, 43 (IP), 56, 62
3.4	16, 32, 38, 43 (IP), 45, 51, 54, 56, 72
4	17, 20 (IP), 44, 50, 53, 65, 87

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2.2 Conference proceedings on 17 September 2008

2.2.1 The Conference continued their deliberations of agenda item 2 – *Specific issues related to airport economics and management*. The discussion and interventions from the floor on sub item 2.1 – *Ownership, governance and control* were completed. The Secretariat introduced sub item 2.2 *Cost basis for charges*, initially in respect to single cost basis for different charges, with the presentation of Secretariat WP/8 followed by the presentation of WPs/33, 60, 22, 30 and acknowledgement of 42(IP). Subsequently, the Secretariat presented WP/9, covering the other aspect of sub-item 2.2, rate of return, and sub-item 3.2 which were deliberated in conjunctions, followed by the presentation of WPs/31 and 49 as well as acknowledgement of the relevant part of 42(IP). Sub item 2.3 – *Cost allocation and charging systems* was introduced by presenting the relevant parts of WPs/8, 60, 65, 22, 30 and 42(IP). Sub item 2.4 – *non-discrimination aspects* was introduced with the presentation of Secretariat WP/10 on differential charges and again the relevant parts of WPs/65, 22 and 42(IP). The Conference conducted its deliberations of these agenda items on the basis of the related documentation.

2.2.2 In the afternoon, the introduction of Secretariat WP/21 covered the other aspect of this sub item, namely access to airport infrastructure, followed by the presentation of WP/61 and a debate of the issues. Agenda item 2 was concluded with sub item 2.5 – *Financing and cost recovery of security measures* on the basis of WPs/11 (Secretariat), 22 and 48 as well as 42(IP).

2.2.3 Time permitting, the Conference started its discussions with agenda item 3 – *Specific issues related to air navigation services economics and management*, sub item 3.1 – *Governance, ownership and control*. The Secretariat introduced WP/12, followed by WPs/36 and 37 as well as acknowledgement of the relevant parts of information papers 18(IP), 19(IP) and 42(IP).

2.3 Draft reports by agenda item

Draft report material on the proceedings is being developed and submitted by the Secretariat progressively during the Conference. So far item 1.1 revised and 1.2 have been distributed. Today, draft reports of items 1.3 and 1.4 will be distributed and probably the first sub items of agenda item 2. Depending on the progress made, the Conference might start to review and approve the draft report on Friday.

2.4 **List of Delegates**

There is a delay in the production of the List of Delegates. According to registration information, 610 participants are attending CEANS with delegations from 106 Contracting States and numerous organizations with observer status. The Secretariat regrets that the document will only be available earliest in the afternoon today or latest on Friday. It will be distributed in front of the Document Distribution Centre on the 4th floor of the Conference Centre. Each participant is kindly asked to carefully review the entry made by delegation under his or her name based and bring any necessary correction to the attention of the Secretariat (yellow badges).

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