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Twenty Fourth Meeting of the Africa-Indian Ocean Planning and Implementation Regional Group (APIRG/24) & Seventh Meeting of the Regional Aviation Safety Group for the AFI Region (RASG-AFI/7) – Joint sessions

(Virtual, 1 and 8 November 2021)

Agenda Item 2: Follow-up on the APIRG/23 & RASG-AFI/6 Conclusions and Decisions.

(Presented by Secretariat)

SUMMARY	
This working paper presents the status of implementation of the APIRG/23 & RASG-AFI/6 Meeting Joint session's Conclusions and Decisions.	
The action by the Meeting is in paragraph 3	
Strategic Objectives	This working paper relates to the Strategic Objectives on Safety and Air Navigation Capacity and Efficiency.

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 The Twenty-third Meeting of the AFI Planning and Implementation Group (APIRG/23) and Sixth Meeting of the AFI Regional Aviation Safety Group (RASG - AFI/6) were held virtually from 23 November to 2 December 2020. Two joint sessions were convened on 23 November and 2 December 2020. The meetings drew 4 Conclusions and 3 Decisions; and this Working Paper presents the status of implementation of these Conclusions and Decisions.

2 DISCUSSION

2.1 With the outbreak of the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), aviation operations and activities have been adversely disrupted negatively impacting the implementation of the APIRG/23 and RASG-AFI/6 Conclusions and Decisions.

2.2 The status of the implementation of APIRG/23&RASG-AFI/6 joint sessions' Conclusions and Decisions is presented in the Appendix to this paper.

2.3 It is important to note that some of the activities are continuous and their status of implementation remains 'In Progress'. Notwithstanding, the levels of implementation are provided accordingly.

3 ACTION BY THE MEETING

3.1 The meeting is invited to:

- a) note the status of the implementation of APIRG/23 & RASG-AFI/6 Conclusions and Decisions.
- b) Review the outstanding items and provide further guidance on actions/initiatives aimed at enhancing the implementation activities; and.
- c) Urge States, AFCAC and other stakeholders to double their efforts, both individually and collaboratively, towards expeditious implementation of APIRG/23 & RASG-AFI/6 Conclusions and Decisions.