



International Civil Aviation Organization

Air Traffic Services Route Network Task Force (ARN TF)

Sixth Meeting  
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**Agenda Item 4: Contingency Planning**

**UPDATE ON CONTINGENCY PLANS**

*(Presented by Egypt)*

<b>SUMMARY</b>
This paper presents an update to the Implementation of Contingency Plan in Egypt.  Action by the meeting is at paragraph 3.
<b>REFERENCES</b>
- MIDANPIRG/13 Report

**1. INTRODUCTION**

1.1 The purpose of the Contingency Plan is to assist in providing safe and orderly flow of international air traffic in the event of total disruption of Air Traffic Services (ATS) and related supporting services within CAIRO Flight Information Region (FIR) in order to ensure continued safety standards of air navigation with no interruption.

**2. DISCUSSION**

2.1 Egypt in accordance with ICAO provisions and the MIDANPIRG Conclusions coordinated with all its neighboring States the implementation of Operation Coordination Agreements (OCA), and successfully signed them all respectively by April 2013.

2.2 To meet the safety requirements and to maintain an orderly flow of international air traffic, we had assigned contingency routes with limited flight levels for each neighboring State, based on the procedural environment where no radar surveillance is available.

**3. ACTION BY THE MEETING**

3.1 The meeting is invited to:

- a) update Egypt Contingency plan status; and
- b) remove Egypt from the MID Region Air Navigation Deficiency List.

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