



International Civil Aviation Organization

MIDANPIRG MIDAD Task Force

Second Meeting (MIDAD TF/2)
(Cairo, Egypt, 3 - 5 March 2015)

Agenda Item 4: MIDAD Project Phase 2 - Detailed Study

MIDAD LEGAL FRAMEWORK

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

This paper highlights the need to agree on a legal framework for the MIDAD Project (upcoming phases).

Action by the meeting is at paragraph 3.

REFERENCES

- MIDAD TF/1 Report
- MSG/4 Report

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 The MSG/4 meeting agreed with the MIDAD TF/1 meeting that starting from phase 3 of the MIDAD Project (implementation/operation), it is necessary to establish a MIDAD legal Entity/Agency. This was also reflected in the specifications for the detailed study. The meeting agreed that the institutional issues related to the MIDAD Entity/Agency be addressed by the MIDAD TF/2 meeting in order for the DGCA-MID/3 meeting to take the final decision related to the best mechanism for the establishment of this Entity/Agency in term of staffing, funding, duties and responsibilities, etc.

2. DISCUSSION

2.1 The meeting may wish to recall that, MIDANPIRG/13, through Conclusion 13/21, agreed that the following options be considered for the endorsement of the MIDAD legal framework by the DGCA-MID/2 meeting:

- a) a volunteer State/Group of States provides the legal framework by hosting the project; or
- b) an ICAO TCB Project for the implementation of MIDAD, including the establishment of a MIDAD legal entity or agency (similar to the MIDRMA).

2.2 It is to be highlighted that the DGCA-MID/2 meeting, through Conclusion 2/7, agreed that the legal framework for the detailed study (at least the first step) will be ensured by the four leading States (Bahrain, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and UAE).

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

- 3.1 The meeting is invited to agree on a legal framework for the MIDAD Project (upcoming phases).

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