



## **QUALITY CONTROL IN GASeP. SPANISH APPROACH**

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## INTRODUCTION

- Further to the request by the 39th Session of the ICAO Assembly for development of a Global Aviation Security Plan (GASeP), a special Task Force comprising members and permanent observers of the AVSECP was established to work with the Secretariat in formulating the GASeP.
- The draft GASeP was then to be presented to the 28th Aviation Security Panel in May 2017 for its endorsement.

# INTRODUCTION

- In accordance, the ICAO Council's approves the Global Aviation Security Plan (GASeP) in November 2017.
- There is a commitment to achieve aspirational goals by raising the level of implementation of ICAO Annex 17 – Security.
- The Universal Security Audit Programme (USAP) will be a important key for the effective implementation for all critical elements.

## INTRODUCTION

- The Second High-level Conference on Aviation Security (HLCAS/2) scheduled to take place on November 2018 in Montreal, will provide a opportunity for to gain a common understanding of global and regional security strengths and challenges, including compliance monitoring activities.
- Also, this important Conference should address the possible evolution of the GAsEP in upcoming years.

# INTRODUCTION

- The GAsEP's core content presents a multi-year approach to enhancing and reinforcing aviation security.
- Assistance efforts have been identified as a key component in improving aviation security in many States. In this sense, ICAO Secretariat continues to coordinate with donor and recipient States to identify **security deficiencies**, prioritize assistance efforts, and ensure the effectiveness of these efforts.

# QUALITY CONTROL/OVERSIGHT ACTIVITIES

## GASeP PRIORITIES

- GASeP security objectives and actions/tasks as well as responsibilities are included under the following five key priorities:
  1. Enhance risk awareness and responses
  2. Develop security culture and human capability in Aviation Security
  3. Improve technological resources and foster innovation
  4. Improve oversight and quality assurance;
  5. Increase regional cooperation and support.

# QUALITY CONTROL/OVERSIGHT ACTIVITIES

## NQCP OBJECTIVE

**Evaluation of the implementation of the NCASP  
in airports and entities with AVSEC responsibilities  
using common assessment procedures**



**To ensure the effectiveness of the NCASP**

# QUALITY CONTROL/OVERSIGHT ACTIVITIES

## SPANISH REGULATIONS

- Regulation 300/2008 from the EP and the Council
  - EUR Commission Regulations 2015/1998 and 18/2010
  - ICAO Annex 17 and Doc 8973
  - ECAC Doc. 30 Vol. II
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- *Law 21/2003, July 7, of Safety & Security*
  - *Law 39/2015, 1 October, of Common Administrative Procedures*
  - *NCASP, NQCP and NCASTP*
  - *Internal Procedures*

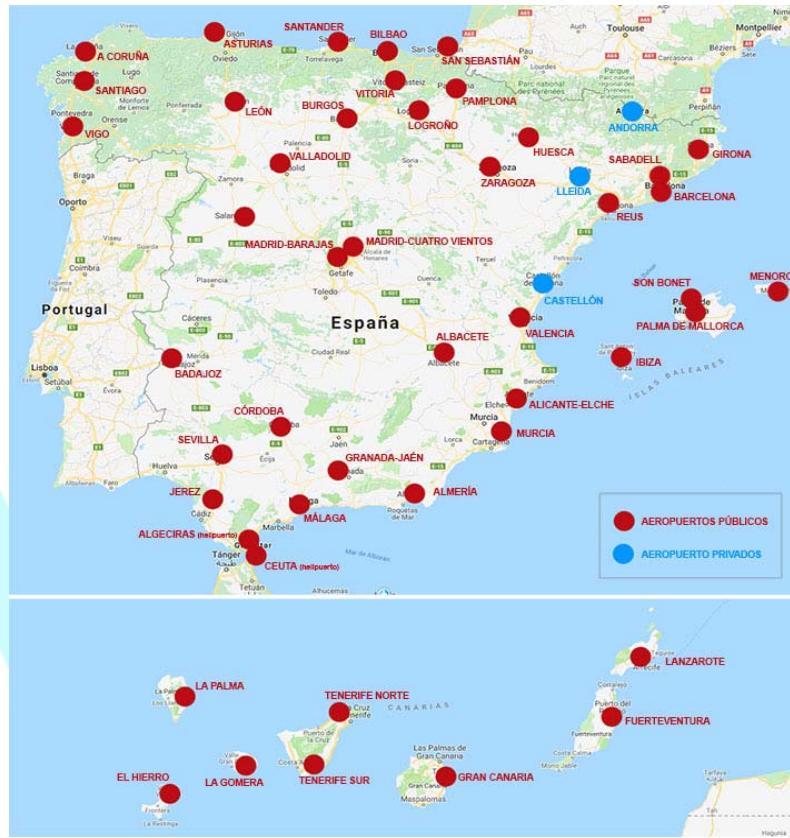
# SPANISH PROCEDURES

## PLANNING CRITERIA

- At national level we have a Global Planning Criteria Document for regulatory control activities that is completed annually with a:
  - Specific Annex that adds certain possible aspects that are specifically applied each year to determine the number, location, personnel, scope and other characteristics of inspection activities....

# SPANISH PROCEDURES

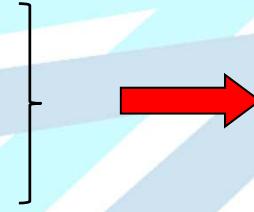
## SPANISH AIRPORTS



# SPANISH PROCEDURES

## TYPES OF AUDITS

- Security Audits
- Inspections
- Tests



ACTION PLAN

- Surveys
- Investigations



NO ACTION PLAN

# SPANISH PROCEDURES

## PHASES OF THE AUDITS

- PREPARATION by the team, preparing the schedule, the practical aspects and studying the ASP & previous audit reports.
- BRIEFING. Just on place before the beginning.
- CONDUCT of the audit with the examination of local documents, observations of the operations and interviews (Evaluation).
- DEBRIEFING with a preliminary report.
- FINAL REPORT and ASSESSMENT of the ACTION PLAN required.

# SPANISH PROCEDURES

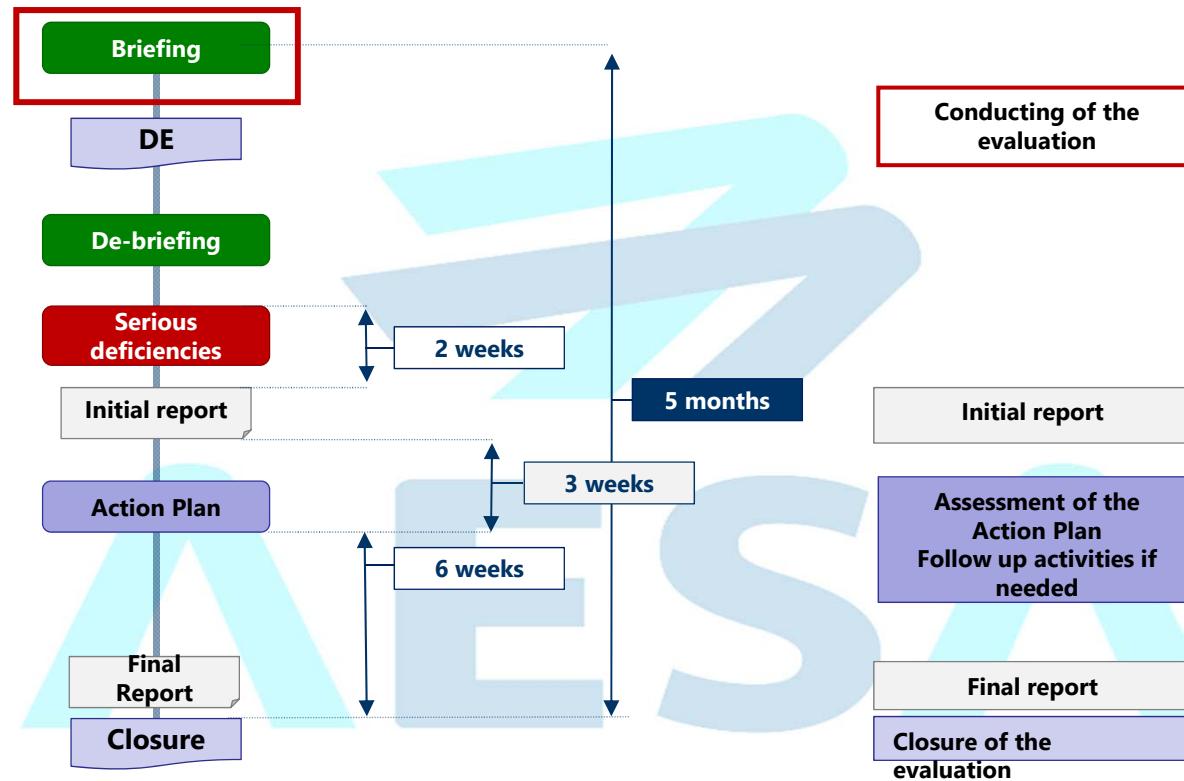
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### Classifications:

- Fully compliant (1)
- Improvement desirable (2)
- Not compliant (3)
- Not compliant, with serious deficiencies (4)
- Not confirmed (N/C)
- Not applicable(N/A)

### Quality control activities in Air Traffic Control facilities outside the airport have different classifications.

# SPANISH PROCEDURES



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GROUP	PAX	EVALUATIONS	TESTS
I	Over 10 million pax.	Every year	Always
II	Over 2 million pax.	Every year	Always
III	Between 1 million pax. and 2 million	Every year	At the discretion of Team leader
IV	Between 100.000 pax. y 1 million	Every 2 years	At the discretion of Team leader
V	Less than 100.000 pax. *	Every 3 years	At the discretion of Team leader

## PRACTICAL ASPECTS

### IED TESTS

- Tests with IEDs shall be carried out to examine the effectiveness of the implementation of screening of passengers cabin baggage and screening of staff and items carried.
- There is a coordination procedure endorsed by the Appropriate Authority and the Spanish Ministry of the Interior.

## PRACTICAL ASPECTS

- There are some aspects of our NCASP not covered by the European Commission Regulations but for ICAO and ECAC.
- In consequence we need to check the aspects not included in the current European Legislation but that they are part of the Spanish NCASP...

# PRACTICAL ASPECTS

**NCASP**

## CHAPTERS 1 TO 14. *PREVENTIVE MEASURES*

**CHAPTER 15**

**METHODS AGAINST  
ACTS OF UNLAWFUL  
INTERFERENCE**

**NCASP ANNEX 2. BOMB THREAT MEASURES  
(AIR AND LAND)**

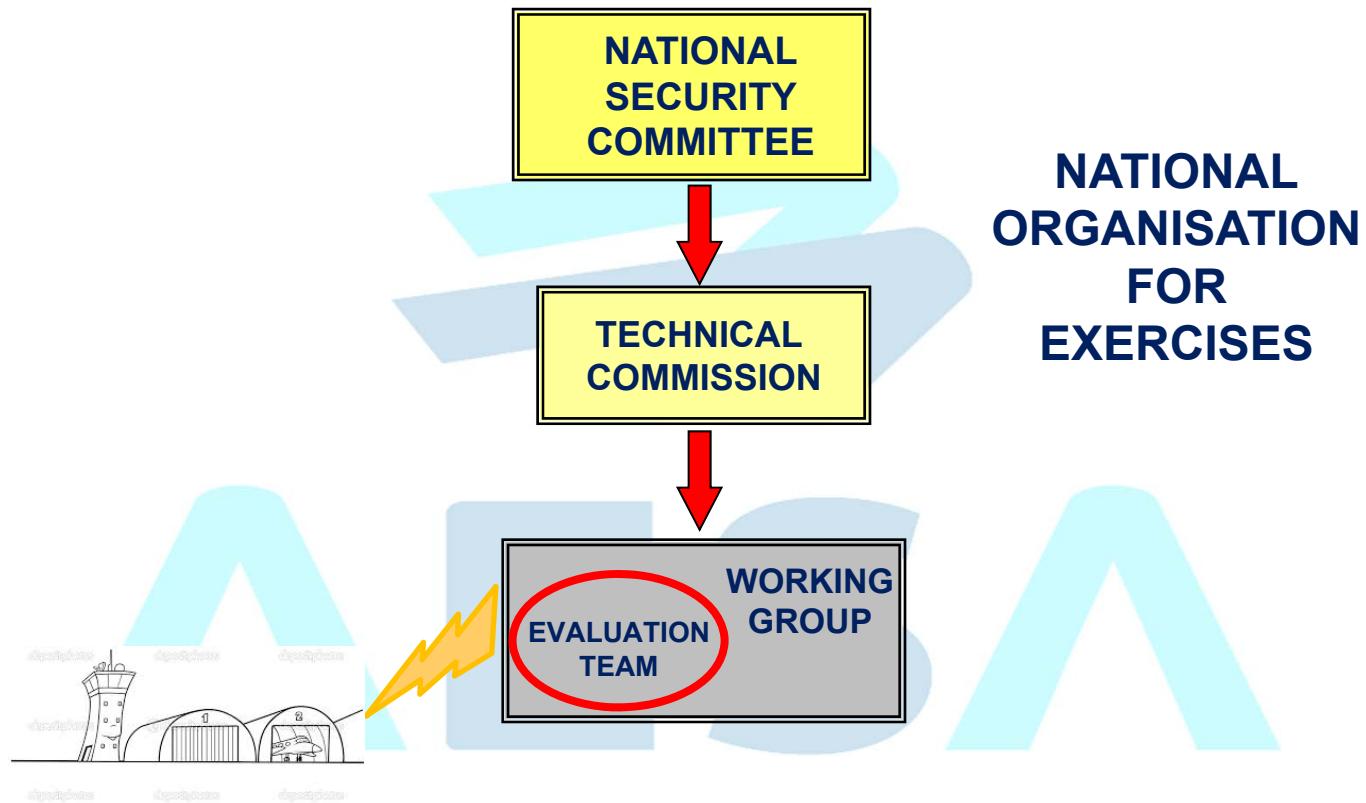
**NCASP ANNEX 3. HIJACK PROCEDURES**

## PRACTICAL ASPECTS

### SECURITY EXERCISES

- A Spanish Working Group on Security Exercises was created by the NCASC in 2006.
- This Group is lead by the Spanish Safety & Security Agency (AESA) - Appropriate Authority and it is composed by members from the Ministry of Defense (Air Forces), Ministry of the Interior and Airport and Air Navigation service providers.
- The Group establish the annual schedule of security exercises (2 or 3 per year) and the type of exercise (hijack or bomb threat).
- The WG is responsible to organize a Workshop in the airport between 2-3 weeks before the simulation.

# PRACTICAL ASPECTS



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### EVALUATION AND REPORTS

- An Evaluation Team should collect all the information from entities participating in the exercises.
- The Secretary of the Local Security Committee (Local Coordinator) in accordance with the participants sends preliminary reports to the WG.
- The WG prepares the final report and the National Civil Aviation Security Committee may propose amendments to the national legislation, or local contingency plans as appropriate.

# CONCLUSIONS

- ❑ **GASeP introduction.**
- ❑ **Quality control and oversight activities; legal framework.**
- ❑ **Spanish quality control activities, procedures, types of evaluations, scope, phases, frequency and main shortcomings detected.**
- ❑ **Practical aspects: resolution of non preventive measures; exercises.**





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