DIRECTORS GENERAL OF CIVIL AVIATION-MIDDLE EAST REGION
FIFTH MEETING (DGCA-MID/5)

(Kuwait, 4-6 November 2019)

Agenda Item 5:   **Aviation Safety and Air Navigation**

MID REGION AIM DATABASE (MIDAD) PROJECT

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

The aim of this paper is to present the actions taken as a follow-up to the DGCA-MID/4 Conclusion 4/4 related to the MIDAD Project.

Action by the meeting is at paragraph 3.

1.   **INTRODUCTION**

1.1   The meeting may wish to recall that the DGCA-MID/4 meeting (Muscat, Oman, 17-19 October 2017), through DGCA Conclusion 4/4, encouraged States to engage with EUROCONTROL to migrate to the European AIS Database (EAD); and requested that a progress report be presented to the DGCA-MID/5 meeting.

2.   **DISCUSSION**

2.1   The meeting may wish to recall that the MIDANPIRG/16 meeting agreed that the MIDAD TF should propose a new action plan for the implementation of the MIDAD project in accordance with the EUROCONTROL proposal based on the European AIS Database (EAD) experience. Based on the outcome of the EAD-MIDAD Workshop (EUROCONTROL, Brussels, Belgium, 5-6 October 2017), it was agreed that MIDAD would be implemented as per the following Phases:

> Phase A: Individual migration of MID States to EAD
>
> Phase B: Set-up of MIDAD Manager
>
> Phase C: Implementation of MIDAD system and service

2.2   The MIDANPIRG/17 reviewed the outcome of the MIDAD TF/5 and AIM SG/4 meetings (13-15 February 2018) and agreed that the development of a detailed action plan for the implementation of the MIDAD Project Phase B (set-up of MIDAD Manager) be initiated when at least 7 States complete their migration to EAD. Accordingly, the meeting agreed to the following MIDANPIRG Conclusion:

MIDANPIRG CONCLUSION 17/1:   MID REGION AIM DATABASE (MIDAD)

That:

a) *the status of individual migration by MID States to EAD (MIDAD Project Phase A) be monitored by the AIM Sub-Group; and*

b) *the development of a detailed action plan for the implementation of the MIDAD Project Phase B (set-up of MIDAD Manager) be initiated when at least 7 States complete their migration to EAD.*

2.3   The current status of migration to EAD is as follows:

	Migrated	**Planning**	**Still under consideration**	**No Plan**	**Remarks**
Bahrain			√		
Egypt				√	
Iran				√	Sanctions
Iraq		√ (2021)			
Jordan	√				
Kuwait		√			
Lebanon		√			
Libya				√	
Oman		√ (late 2020)			
Qatar		√ (Q2-2020)			
Saudi Arabia			√		
Sudan				√	Sanctions
Syria				√	Sanctions
UAE		√			
Yemen				√	

3.   ACTION BY THE MEETING

3.1   The meeting is invited to note the information contained in this paper.

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