



International Civil Aviation Organization

MIDANPIRG Air Traffic Management Sub-Group

Seventh Meeting (ATM SG/7)
(Virtual, 15 – 18 November 2021)

Agenda Item 6: Future Work Programme

WORKING ARRANGEMENTS AND FUTURE WORK PROGRAMME

(Presented by the Secretariat)

<p style="text-align: center;">SUMMARY</p> <p>This paper aims to call for the election of Chairperson(s) and agree on the tentative dates and venue for the next SG meeting.</p> <p>Action by the meeting is at paragraph 3.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">REFERENCES</p> <p>- MIDANPIRG Handbook, Edition June 2017</p>

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 In accordance with the current MIDANPIRG Procedural Handbook, the ATM Sub-Group is expected to decide on the dates and venue of its next meeting.

1.2 The meeting may wish to recall MIDANPIRG Decision 18/49:

MIDANPIRG DECISION 18/49: FREQUENCY OF MIDANPIRG MEETINGS

That, the MIDANPIRG meetings be organized on an annual basis concurrently with the RASG-MID in an in-person setting, unless decided otherwise (the meetings could be organized in a virtual or hybrid setting, if decided so by the Groups, considering the circumstances, availability of host, resources, global and regional developments, feedback from States and progress and outcomes of the Groups).

1.3 Furthermore, the meeting may wish to recall the MIDANPIRG Procedural Handbook, Part IV, Section 6:

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6. Officers and Secretariat of Sub-Groups of the MIDANPIRG:

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6.2 In order to ensure the necessary continuity in the work and unless otherwise determined by special circumstances, the Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson of a Sub-Group assume their functions at the end of the meeting at which they are elected and serve for three meetings unless otherwise decided.

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2. DISCUSSION

2.1 It is proposed that the ATM SG/8 meeting be held from 7 to 10 November 2022, preferably physically (in-person), at the ICAO MID Office, Cairo, Egypt, unless a State offers to host the meeting.

2.2 Furthermore, and in accordance with the draft “Tentative MID Office Schedule for 2022”, the ATM related activities are planned as follows:

Date	Regional event	Venue	Remarks
18-19 Jan	MIDRMA Board/17	Virtual	
26 – 27 Jan	MID FPP SC/1 meeting	Virtual	
7 – 8 Feb	FWC 2022 TF/6	Virtual	
16 – 17 May	ATFM Webinar	Virtual	
18 – 19 May	ATFM TF/7	Virtual	
14 – 16 June	Civil-Military Cooperation Webinar	Webinar	
22 – 23 June	CCO/CDO Webinar	Webinar	
26 – 28 Sep	SAR Seminar	TBD	TBC
10 – 11 Oct	MIDRMA Board/18	Virtual	
12 – 13 Oct	FWC 2022 TF/7	Virtual	
7 – 10 Nov	ATM SG/8	Cairo	

2.3 The meeting may wish to note that Mr. Khalid Arabiyat, Director Air Traffic Management, Civil Aviation Regulatory Commission, Jordan, has been serving as the Chairperson of the ATM Sub-Group since the ATM SG/5 meeting (Aqaba, Jordan, 1 – 4 December 2019).

2.4 The meeting may also wish to note that Mr. Ahmed Mohammed Al-Eshaq, Director Air Navigation, Civil Aviation Authority, Qatar, has been elected as Vice-Chairperson during ATM SG/3.

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

3.1 The meeting is invited to:

- a) agree on the dates and venue of the ATM SG/8 meeting.
- b) note the ATM related events planned next year in the draft “tentative schedule of meetings” in para 2.2, and encourage MID States and ORG to actively participate in the events, and
- c) take a decision related to the election process, as per the MIDANPIRG handbook.