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**CAR/SAM Planning and Implementation Regional Group (GREPECAS)
MET Programme Projects Meeting (GREPECAS/MET)
Mexico City, Mexico, 28 February to 2 March 2018**

Agenda Item 1: Provisional Agenda Approval

PROVISIONAL AGENDA APPROVAL

(Presented by the Secretariat)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Provisional Agenda and Schedule for the CAR/SAM Planning and Implementation Regional Group (GREPECAS) MET Programme Projects Meeting (GREPECAS/MET) are presented in **Appendices A and B**, respectively.

The items of the Provisional Agenda have been presented in a format which aligns to the applicable Strategic Objectives and Programmes of the Organization.

The Meeting will meet in plenary most of the time to deal with specific matters, as necessary.

Action:	The Meeting is invited to approve the Provisional Agenda and Schedule for the GREPECAS/MET Meeting as presented in Appendices A and B, respectively.
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<i>Strategic Objectives:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Safety• Air Navigation Capacity and Efficiency• Environmental Protection
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APPENDIX A

Meeting on CAR Region MET Programme Projects

(México, México City, from 28 February to 02 March 2018)

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

- Agenda Item 1:** Provisional Agenda Approval.
- Agenda Item 2:** Review of Project H2 – Implementation of the International Airways Volcano Watch (IAVW).
- Agenda Item 3:** Review of Project H3 – Implementation of the MET Information Quality Management System (QMS/MET).
- Agenda Item 4:** Review of Project H4 – OPMET Exchange.
- Agenda Item 5:** Review of pending MET deficiencies in the Global Air Navigation Data Base and MET issues related with the ICAO Universal Safety Oversight Audit Programme Continuous Monitoring Approach USOAP CMA
- Agenda Item 6:** Review and update of the electronic Air Navigation Plan (eANP) and the Regional Performance Objectives (RPO) included in the Performance Based Air Navigation Implementation Plan for the NAM/CAR Region (RPBANIP).
- Agenda Item 7:** Other business

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Agenda Item 1: Provisional Agenda Approval.

Agenda Item 2: Review of Project H2 – Implementation of the International Airways Volcano Watch (IAVW)

Under this part of the Agenda, the meeting will analyse the status of implementation of the International Airways Volcano Watch (IAVW) Program and the main challenges faced by States; In addition, the meeting will review the new scope and name defined by the previous meeting: "implementation of Meteorological Watch for the monitoring of en-route severe phenomena, volcanic ash, tropical cyclones and the release of radioactive material".

Agenda Item 3: Review of Project H3 – Implementation of the MET Information Quality Management System (QMS/MET).

Under this subject, the current status of CAR Project H3 on the implementation of the Quality Management System in aeronautical meteorological services will be reviewed; the expiration date of Standard ISO:9001:2008 and the transition process to Standard ISO 9001.2015 starting September 2018 will be reviewed; Cuba as project coordinator will present the activity plan.

Agenda Item 4: Review of Project H4 – OPMET Exchange

This Agenda item will discuss the status of the States regarding OPMET messages exchange and the transmission of OPMET messages in XML/GML format to envisage the interoperability of through the use of ICAO Meteorological Information Exchange Model (IWXXM).

Agenda Item 5: Review of pending MET deficiencies in the Global Air Navigation Data Base and issues related with Universal Safety Oversight Audit Program Continues Monitoring Approach USOAP-CMA

Under this agenda item the meeting will review and update the MET deficiencies included in the GANDD, and particular MET related topics included in the ICAO USOAP-CMA to contribute with the effective and consistent implementation of the critical elements (CEs) of a State safety oversight system.

Agenda Item 6 Review and update of the electronic Air Navigation Plan (eNAP) and the Regional Performance Objectives (RPO) included in the Performance Based Air Navigation Implementation Plan for the NAM/CAR Region (RPBANIP).

Under this subject, the meeting will review and update the RPOs of the RPBANIP; In addition, information on the progress in the implementation of the eANP will be provided.

Agenda Item 7: Other business

Under this subject, the Meeting will be able to review other aspects which have not been considered in the previous agenda items and that are related with the matters under analysis.

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APPENDIX B

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

Time	Wednesday 28 February	Thursday 1 March	Friday 2 March
08:30 – 09:00	<i>Registration</i>		
09:00 – 09:30	<i>Opening Ceremony & Photo</i>	Agenda Item 4	Agenda Item 7
09:30 – 10:00	General Overview		
10:00 – 10:30	<i>Coffee break</i>		
10:30 – 12:00	Agenda Item 1 and 2	Agenda Item 5	Final Deliberations
12:00 – 13:00	Agenda Item 2 Cont.	Agenda Item 5 (Cont).	Draft Report Review and Closing
13:00 – 14:00	<i>Lunch time</i>		
14:00 – 15:00	Agenda Item 3	Agenda Item 6	
15:00 – 16:00	Agenda Item 3 (Cont.)	Agenda Item 6 (Cont.)	

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