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Twenty Fourth Meeting of the Africa-Indian Ocean Planning and Implementation Regional Group (APIRG/24)

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Agenda Item 6: Review and update of the APIRG Procedural Handbook

(Presented by Secretariat)

SUMMARY
<p>This paper presents a proposal for amendment of the APIRG procedural handbook to reflect the outcomes of the Sixth meeting of Africa-Indian Ocean Planning and Implementation Regional Group Projects Coordination Committee (APCC/6) with regard to the composition of the APCC.</p> <p>Action by the meeting is at paragraph 3</p>
<p>REFERENCE(S):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ APIRG Procedural Handbook, 6th Edition, October 2020 ▪ APCC/6 Meeting Report ▪ APIRG/23 and RASG–AFI /6 Report
<p>Related ICAO Strategic Objective(s):</p> <p><i>A – Safety, B – Air Navigation Capacity and Efficiency, D – Economic Development of Air Transport, and E – Environmental Protection.</i></p>

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 The APIRG Procedural Handbook is a publication adopted by APIRG. It is intended to provide, for easy reference of all interested parties, a consolidation of material, particularly of a procedural nature, relevant to the work of the APIRG and its contributory bodies. It also contains the working arrangements and internal instructions, developed by the Group for the practical application of its terms of reference and working methods.

1.2 This paper presents a proposal for amendment of the APIRG procedural handbook to reflect the outcome of the Sixth meeting of Africa-Indian Ocean Planning and Implementation Regional Group Projects Coordination Committee (APCC/6) with regard to the composition of the APCC for discussion.

2. DISCUSSION

2.1 The APCC/6 meeting recognized the tremendous support of the industry to the work of APIRG and its contributory Bodies, especially the contributions of IATA to APCC

deliberations. The meeting when reviewing its terms of reference (TOR) agreed to extend the membership of the APCC to the industry. The meeting further proposed IATA as the industry representative.

2.2 The APCC therefore recommended to revise its terms of reference accordingly and reflect the amendment in the APIRG Procedural Handbook.

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

3.1 The meeting is invited to:

- a) note the information provided in the working paper; and
- b) amend the terms of reference of the APCC in the APIRG Procedural Handbook accordingly.

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