

#### INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION

# AFI PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION REGIONAL GROUP SEVENTEENTH MEETING (APIRG/17) (Burkina Faso, 2 to 6 August 2010)

Agenda Item-3.3: Communications, Navigation and Surveillance (CNS)

## RVA - ASECNA Master Agreement for Technical Co-operation and Personnel Training

(Presented by the DRC)

### **Summary**

Within the framework of a shared approach for the management CNS/ATM elements, the RVA signed a master agreement of technical co-operation and staff training with the ASECNA. Since the RVA has an urgent need of improving its infrastructures as well as training its personnel, the RVA is based on this regional co-operation with the ASECNA to achieve its objectives.

**Reference:** Conclusion 16/31 of APIRG 16

**Objectives:** This note is related to strategic objectives A (Safety) and D (efficiency)

### 1. Introduction.

The Régie des Voies Aériennes is based on the co-operation with ASECNA to achieve some of its objectives, in particular in the realm of the training and the improvement of its infrastructures. Thus RVA signed a technical cooperation and staff training agreement with the ASECNA.

#### 2. Discussion

The fields of the concerned technical co-operation are multiple and relate to the ATM, the CNS, the engineering studies and acquisitions management, maintenance and the in flight NAVAIDs calibration.

Both parties consider a WG84 co-ordinates survey campaign on 44 airports, the possibility of taking into account by the ASECNA the needs of the RVA for the radio navigation maps, the restructuring and leveling up of the AIS and the Fire protection. In the framework of this agreement ASECNA and RVA have already swapped ATC personnel and aeronautical radio telecommunication staff for Brazzaville and Kinshasa Centers.

# 2. Action by the meeting

The meeting is invited to take note of the information contained herein.