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AFI PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION REGIONAL GROUP (APIRG) METEOROLOGY SUB-GROUP NITH MEETING (MET/SG/9)

(Dakar, Senegal, 21-23 June 2009)

Agenda Item 4: Review of the Recommendations of AFI OPMET Management Task Force First Meeting (AFI OPMET MTF/1)

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

This paper presents the Recommendations from AFI OPMET MTF/1, (19 - 20 October, 2009). The Group is invited to review the proposals for adoption or submit to the APIRG as appropriate.

1. Introduction

1.1 Conclusion 16/54 of APIRG/16 meeting called for the establishment of an AFI OPMET Management Task Force (AFI OPMET MTF) with terms of reference as given in the **Appendix A** to this working paper. The Task Force held his first meeting (AFI OPMET MTF/1) in Dakar, Senegal, from 19 to 20 October 2009.

1.2 This paper presents the Recommendations submitted to MET/SG for its consideration.

2. Discussion

2.1 The meeting is invited to review the list of recommendations of the AFI OPMET MTF/1 provided in **Appendix B** to this working paper for appropriate action.

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

The meeting is invited to:

- a) Note the information in this paper and;
- b) Suggest required actions to improve OPMET exchange in the AFI region.

APPENDIX A

Title of Recommendation	Rec. Number	AFI OPMET MTF/I Recommendation	Type of Recommendation		
			MTF	MET/SG	APIRG
AFI OPMET INFORMATION EXCHANGE REQUIREMENTS	1/1	That, the OPMET data type, OPMET bulletin and types of OPMET exchange in the Appendix A to this paper, be implemented by Dakar and Pretoria Regional OPMET Data Banks (RODB), AMBEX Bulletin Compiling Centres (BCC) and National OPMET Centres (NOC) as the OPMET requirements in the AFI region.	Recommendation	Draft Conclusion	Conclusion
INTERREGIONAL OPMET EXCHANGE AND IROG FUNCTIONS	1/2	That, the IROG functions and the exchange of OPMET between the AFI region and adjacent regions in Appendices A and A1 to this paper, be implemented by Dakar and Pretoria RODBs as the requirements for the Interregional OPMET exchange and IROG functions in the AFI region.	Recommendation	Draft conclusion	Conclusion
REVISION OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF OPMET DATA FROM NON-AOP AERODROMES IN THE AFI REGION	1/3	That, information related to the requirements of OPMET data from non-AOP aerodromes, be included in the AFI FASID MET Table 2A and Annex 1 to the SUG, as given in Appendix B to this working paper.	Recommendation	Draft Conclusion	Conclusion (We should confirm the States agreement however)
REVISION OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF OPMET DATA FROM AOP AERODROMES IN THE AFI REGION	1/4	That, information related to the requirements of OPMET data from AOP aerodromes, be included in the AFI FASID MET Table 1A, as given in Appendix C to this working paper.	Recommendation	Draft Conclusion	Conclusion
OPMET EXCHANGE MONITORING AND MANAGEMENT PROCEDURES AT BCC AND RODB	1/5	That, the OPMET management and monitoring procedures given in Appendixes A and A1 to this paper, be implemented by the RODBs and the BCC as the requirements for OPMET exchange monitoring and management procedures in the AFI region.	Recommendation	Draft Conclusion	Conclusion?