



INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANISATION
AFI PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION REGIONAL GROUP (APIRG)
AFI OPMET MANAGEMENT TASK FORCE FOURTH MEETING (AFI OPMET
MTF/4)
(Pretoria, South Africa, 10 to 11 September 2012)

Agenda Item 4: Review of regional guidance material on OPMET exchange
a) Review of the AFI Meteorological Bulletin Exchange Handbook

REVIEW OF THE CURRENT EDITION OF THE AFI METEOROLOGICAL
BULLETIN EXCHANGE (AMBEX) HANDBOOK
(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY

This paper presents proposal for corrections on the current edition of the AFI meteorological bulletin exchange (AMBEX) Handbook i.e. seventh edition, amendment 2-July 2011

1. Introduction

- 1.1 The meeting will recall that the terms of reference of this task force include regular update of guidance material related to OPMET exchange.
- 1.2 The task force is invited to review the current version of the AFI meteorological bulletin exchange (AMBEX) Handbook i.e. seventh edition, amendment 2-July 2011 given in Appendix A to this paper.

2. Discussion

- 2.1 Some corrections have been undertaken to the current edition of the Handbook in order to improve on it.
- 2.2 The amended Handbook given in Appendix A to this paper, is submitted to the Task Force for review and proposal as appropriate. The meeting may wish to formulate the following decision

Decision 4/xx—Correction to the AFI meteorological bulletin exchange (AMBEX) Handbook.

That, the editorial corrections to the AMBEX handbook given in Appendix A to this paper, be endorsed as the Regional AMBEX Handbook Seventh Edition, Amendment 2, Corrigendum 1.

3. Action by the MTF

- 3.1 The MTF is invited to:
- a) note the information in this paper;
 - b) review the Appendix to this paper draft work programme; and
 - c) decide on the above decision proposed to the task force.