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27th Meeting of the Steering Committee of the Comprehensive Regional Implementation Plan for Aviation Safety in Africa (AFI Plan)

Libreville, Gabon 16-17 July 2024





Agenda Item 6: Intervention by **Partners**

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Overview

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Summary of past activities

PAST

Beyond safety

BEYOND

O5 Conclusion WRAP UP



The Future

NEXT EXIT

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Summary of past activities

Since the last AFI Plan Steering Committee Meeting EU-ASA (Sub-Saharan Africa)

Central Africa (2 projects)

Zambia

Northern Africa – EuroMed



Highlights of past activities (1/3)

Nairobi, KENYA | 10 - 12 October 2023 Nairobi, KENYA | 10 - 12 October 2023 Nairobi, KENYA | 10 - 12 October 2023

- ICAO/EASA 2nd Forum on RSOOS for Global Aviation Safety- Nairobi Oct. 2023
- ICAO/EASA AIG Workshop Dakar, May 2024
- Support to the 6th EAC Aviation Symposium Zanzibar, May 2024







Highlights of past activities (2/3)

- Series of trainings at the request of Regional organisations
 - Legislation
 - QMS
 - Oversight domains
 - AIG
 - Aviation medicine refresher
- Peer review exercise (NSIB for BAGAIA)
- Support AFI-CIS missions
- SSP/NASP series of workshops
- Bilateral assistance to some States





Highlights of past activities (3/3)

Follow-up to ICAO RSOO Study (published mid 2021)

- On-going, to be finalised in September 2024
- Proposed 3 stage path to improve RSOO efficiency:
 - Consolidation phase
 - Maturation phase
 - Optimisation phase
- Proposal to develop AIG capacity in the AFI region
- Outcome of the study will be presented in Q4 2024





Upcoming activities

Over the next 12 months

- Few more trainings planned at the request of Regional Organisations
- Support the deployment of ECCAIRS 2 through ICAO iPacks
- SSP/NASP workshops
- Bilateral assistance to some States

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Beyond Safety

Other EASA's activities in the AFI Region

Support to AFCAC on SAATM operationalisation

CORSIA Africa and the Caribbean

ACT-SAF Africa & India





04 **Future** project

- Last month, EU has agreed to allocate 10M€
- To follow-up after closure of projects:
 - **EU-ASA**
 - Support to AFCAC on SAATM operationalisation
- Will cover issues like:
 - Safety
 - Market
 - NGAP
- Contract signature foreseen for Q1 2025
- Project start date planned for mid-2025



Wrap-up

The project implementation principles have not changed

No need to bring in expertise if already existing in the region

Built capacity at regional level

Act as a facilitator

Coordinate with other actors

Cooperation and collaboration remain essential

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Europe's commitment towards Africa is not fading away

Thank You

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