REPORT ON AGENDA ITEM 5.7:   IMPLEMENTATION OF CNS/ATM IN THE MID REGION

5.7.1   Under this agenda item the Sub-Group was to review the implementation time-lines for the different elements of the CNS/ATM systems in accordance with the MID CNS/ATM Implementation Plan. It was noted that the CNS/ATM/IC SG/1 Sub-Group meeting which will be held in Cairo from 5 9 November will, amongst other things, co-ordinate the updating, on a regular basis of the CNS/ATM Plan for the MID Region in the light of new developments. It was pointed out that although the planning for the implementation of CNS/ATM is being carried out within the framework of the CNS/ATM/IC/SG, the ATS/SAR/AIS Sub-Group is expected to oversee the implementation process and, in particular, the ATM operational enhancements planned for each major traffic flow area and the timescales for their introduction. The Sub-Group should inform the CNS/ATM/IC/SG of any changes which might become necessary in view of implementation problems being encountered in the Region and other developments in adjacent Regions.

5.7.2   The Group charged the Secretariat to provide to the CNS/ATM/IC SG/1 meeting updated information regarding the status of implementation of the CNS/ATM requirements in the MID Region including any proposed changes to the implementation timescales as reviewed by the ATM/SAR/AIS Sub-Group, with a view to update the MID CNS/ATM implementation plan accordingly

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