

'Draft AMC and GM to Part-ATM/ANS.AR — Issue 1, Amendment 3'

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Annex II to Decision 2017/001/R is amended as follows:

AMC1 ATM/ANS.AR.A.020(b) Information to the Agency

EXCHANGE OF SAFETY-SIGNIFICANT INFORMATION WITH THE AGENCY

Each competent authority should appoint a coordinator to act as the point of contact for the exchange of safety-significant information between the competent authority and the Agency.

GM1 ATM/ANS.AR.A.020(b) Information to the Agency

MEANING OF SAFETY-SIGNIFICANT INFORMATION STEMMING FROM OCCURRENCE REPORTS

The following should be considered safety-significant information stemming from occurrence reports:

- (a) Conclusive safety analyses that summarise individual occurrence data and provide an in-depth assessment of the safety issue. These safety analyses can be used for Agency regulatory activities or for safety promotion activities such as the European Plan for Aviation Safety; and
- (b) Individual occurrence data where the Agency is the competent authority.

Safety-significant information stemming from occurrence reports means a conclusive safety analysis that summarises individual occurrence data and provides an in-depth analysis of a safety issue, which may be relevant for the Agency's safety action planning.

GM2 ATM/ANS.AR.A.020(b) Information to the Agency

RECOMMENDED CONTENT FOR CONCLUSIVE SAFETY ANALYSES

- (a) The following content should be provided in conclusive safety analyses:
 - (1) a detailed description of the safety issue, containing the scenario in which the safety issue takes place; and
 - (2) an indication of the users affected by the safety issue, including types of services and organisations.
- (b) The content of such safety analyses may additionally include, as appropriate, the following:
 - (1) a risk assessment quantifying the severity and frequency of the safety issue;
 - (2) information about the existing safety barriers that the aviation system has in place to prevent the safety issue from releasing its likely consequences;
 - (3) any mitigating actions already being in place or developed to deal with the safety issue;



- (4) recommendations for future actions to mitigate the reported safety issue; and
- (5) any other element the competent authority understands as essential in order for the Agency to properly assess the safety issue.

A conclusive safety analysis should contain the following:

- (a) a detailed description of the safety issue, including the scenario in which the safety issue takes place; and
- (b) an indication of the stakeholders affected by the safety issue, including types of operations and organisations;
 - and, as appropriate:
- a risk assessment establishing the severity and probability of all the possible consequences of the safety issue;
- information about the existing safety barriers that the aviation system has in place to prevent the likely safety issue consequences from occurring;
- (e) any mitigating actions already in place or developed to address the safety issue;
- (f) recommendations for future actions to control the risk; and
- (g) any other element(s) the competent authority considers essential for the Agency to properly assess the safety issue.

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GM4 ATM/ANS.AR.A.020(b) Information to the Agency

EXCHANGE OF SAFETY SIGNIFICANT INFORMATION WITH THE AGENCY

A coordinator should be appointed by each competent authority, as appropriate, to exchange information regarding safety-significant information between the authority reporting the occurrence and the Agency.