



**The Twenty-First Meeting of the Informal South Pacific ATS Coordinating Group  
(ISPACG/21)**

Auckland, NZ, 5 March – 8 March, 2007

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Agenda Item 4: Review Progress on Open Action Items

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**Overview of ISPACG Inputs to ICAO Flight Plan Study Group (FPLSG)**

(Presented by the Federal Aviation Administration)

SUMMARY

During the ISPACG/20, FAA provided an overview of activities and plans of the ICAO Flight Plan Study Group (FPLSG). ISPACG participants were then requested to review ICAO Doc 9858, Global Air Traffic Operational Concept, and identify inputs for the FPLSG. Thus far, no inputs have been received by the US member of the FPLSG; but, perhaps inputs were provided through other ISPACG representatives who are also on the FPLSG.

**1 Introduction**

- 1.1 The initial activity of the FPLSG was completed in 2006, and is awaiting presentation to the ICAO Commission for acceptance prior to ICAO issuance of a State letter for comment.
- 1.2 Efforts are now progressing on focus areas and compilation of initial items into a concept description document. That DRAFT document will then be distributed across study groups, panels and States for comment.
- 1.3 The ICAO Secretariat for the FPLSG has retired, but has not yet been replaced. Other ISPACG participants are from organizations that are also represented at the FPLSG.

**2 Recommendation**

- 2.1 The group is invited to take note of the information presented in this paper and discuss any activities that may support this effort and/or other pertinent work that may be ongoing, but discontinue tracking of this action item through ISPACG, but keep track of the activities of the FPLSG.