DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Assessment for a Proposed Airport Traffic Control Tower and Base Building, Toledo Express Airport, Swanton, OH

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of availability of a draft environmental assessment for a proposed airport traffic control tower and base building.

SUMMARY: The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) proposes to fund, construct, and operate a new Airport Traffic Control Tower (ATCT) and Base Building at Toledo Express Airport (TOL), Swanton, Ohio. The existing TOL ATCT and collocated Terminal Radar Approach Control facility are outdated and outmoded. The FAA’s preferred alternative is to construct the ATCT at a location located near the airport terminal building and approximately 1,000 feet west of the existing ATCT facility. The purpose and need of the proposed project is to improve visibility of airport surfaces, provide adequate space to improve operational and administrative efficiency, increase the efficient functionality of the facility, and have the capability to meet future operational and administrative expansion requirements. The FAA has prepared a Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA) in conformance with the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) and FAA Order 1050.1E, Environmental Impacts: Policies and Procedures. The DEA analyzes the potential environmental impacts that may result from construction and operation of the proposed new ATCT and Base Building at the proposed site, as well as the no action alternative (i.e., not constructing and operating the ATCT). Ancillary actions that would be taken in order to maintain optimal operational characteristics include replacement of the current Runway 25 Localizer (LOC) antenna and shelter with a Mark 20 or Mark 20A LOC antenna and shelter, and relocation of the Runway 25 LOC antenna array to a location 1,070 feet outward from the Runway 07 threshold, relocation of the Moving Target Indicator reflector and the upgrade of electronics for the Runway 25 Glide Slope. The DEA is available for public review during a 30-day public comment period at Swanton Public Library, 305 Chestnut Street, Swanton, Ohio 43558.

ADDRESS: The FAA will accept written comments on the DEA until close of business on September 21, 2011. Comments on the DEA may be sent to: Ms. Virginia Marcks, Manager, AJW–C14D, FAA, 2300 East Devon Ave., Des Plaines, IL 60018, fax 847–294–7698, e-mail virginia.marcks@faa.gov. Copies of the Draft EA on compact disk may be obtained by contacting Ms. Virginia Marcks. Comments received on the DEA during the public comment period will be addressed in a Final Environmental Assessment.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Virginia Marcks, Manager, Infrastructure Engineering Center, Federal Aviation Administration, 2300 East Devon Avenue, Des Plaines, Illinois 60018. Telephone number: 847–294–7494. E-mail: virginia.marcks@faa.gov.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

Eleventh Meeting: RTCA Special Committee 220: Automatic Flight Guidance and Control

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Correction of Notice of RTCA Special Committee 220 meeting: Automatic Flight Guidance and Control

SUMMARY: The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of a meeting of RTCA Special Committee 220: Automatic Flight Guidance and Control

DATES: The meeting will be held September 13–15, 2011, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., unless stated otherwise.

ADDRESS: The meeting will be held at RTCA, Inc., 1150 18th Street, Suite 910, NW., Washington, DC, 20036. For hotel information please view the following website: http://www.rtca.org/directions/directions.asp#hotels.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 10(a) (2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, 5 U.S.C., and Appendix 2), notice is hereby given for a Special Committee 220, Automatic Flight Guidance and Control

Agenda

Tuesday September 13—Thursday, September 15, 2011

Tuesday, September 13
• Introductions and Administrative Items
• Review of Meeting Agenda
• Review and approval of summary from the first plenary meeting RTCA paper no. 011–11/SC220–024.
• Presentation of progress of Working Group 2
• Presentation of progress of Working Group 3
• Break-out sessions for Working Groups 2 and 3

Wednesday, September 14, 2011
• Continue Break-out sessions for Working Groups 2 and 3
• Continue development of Installation Guidance White Papers

Thursday, September 15, 2011
• Return to general plenary meeting
• Review of Working Group 2 Status—Progress, Issues and Plans
• Review of Working Group 3 Status—Progress, Issues and Plans
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Federal Aviation Administration

Executive Committee of the Aviation Rulemaking Advisory Committee; Meeting

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Aviation Rulemaking Advisory Committee.

DATES: The meeting will be held on September 29, 2011, at 1 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will take place at the Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591, 10th floor, MacCracken Room.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Renee Butner, Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591, telephone (202) 267-5075; e-mail Renee.Butner@faa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 2), we are giving notice of a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Aviation Rulemaking Advisory Committee taking place on September 29, 2011, at the Federal Aviation Administration, 800 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20591. The Agenda includes:
1. Discussion of restructuring of ARAC
2. Status of Rulemaking Prioritization Working Group (RPWG)
3. Update on FAA response to Process Improvement Working Group (PIWG) recommendations
4. Status Report from FAA on ARAC Recommendations
5. Issue Area Status Reports from Assistant Chairs
6. Remarks from other EXCOM members

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space availability. With the approval of the chairman, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the person listed in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section. Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

Issued in Washington, DC, on August 8, 2011.

Robert L. Bostiga,
RTCA Advisory Committee.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Federal Aviation Administration

Seventh Meeting: RTCA Special Committee 219: Attitude and Heading Reference System

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of RTCA Special Committee 219 meeting: Attitude and Heading Reference System.

SUMMARY: The FAA is issuing this notice to advise the public of a meeting of RTCA Special Committee 219: Attitude and Heading Reference System.

DATES: The meeting will be held September 20–22, 2011, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., unless stated otherwise.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at RTCA, Inc., 1150 18th Street NW., Suite 910, Washington, DC 20036. For hotel information please view the following Web site: http://www.rtca.org/directions/directions.asp#hotels.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, 5 U.S.C., and Appendix 2), notice is hereby given for a Special Committee 219, Attitude and Heading Reference System.

Agenda

Tuesday September 20–Thursday, September 22, 2011

- Introductions and Administrative Items;
- Review of Meeting Agenda;
- Review and approval of summary from the sixth plenary meeting RTCA paper No. 123–11/SC219–012;
- Review minutes from last working group meeting;
- Review current state of draft MOPS document prior to moving into working group sessions;
- Plan working group sessions.

Wednesday, September 21, 2011

- Working group sessions.

Thursday, September 22, 2011

- Reassemble draft MOPS document after working group inputs;
- List changes for the pre-FRAC document;
- Consider and approve draft MOPS document for final review and comment (FRAC):
  - Administrative items (meeting schedule, location, and next meeting agenda);
  - Any other business;
  - Adjourn.

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space availability. With the approval of the chairman, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the person listed in the FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT section. Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

Issued in Washington, DC, on August 9, 2011.

Robert L. Bostiga,
RTCA Advisory Committee.

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