AIXM CCB, Washington DC
February 21 – 23, 2018

Meeting notes and actions

1. ICAO Annex 15, PANS-AIM, DOC 8126
   ICAO Annex 15 and PANS-AIM will not refer to AIXM. The new AIS Manual will probably refer to AIXM (to the web site or maybe to specific documents) as means of compliance.
2. Common practices discussion
   a. In fact it concerns the separation of the information into domains – what should be in IWXXM versus AIXM and even in FIXM? Discussion for IMP…
3. Discussion about data sets versus service as means of providing the digital data products specified in the new Annex 15 and PANS-AIM
   a. Coding guidelines have been developed for 'data sets' as files (see https://ext.eurocontrol.int/aixm_confluence/display/ACGAIP/Interoperability+rules);
   b. European States intend to provide 'data sets' as specified by ICAO, as a minimal service. For example, there will probably exist an AIP data set (as a file) for each European State, one Obstacle file for Area 1, one Obstacle file for each Airport Area 2, etc. Additional services (see what is available based on WFS, for example in EAD) might also be provided;
   c. FAA intends to provide query/reply "services" at feature level, not complete data sets; Presentation on Friday will explain what is/will be available;
   d. The ICAO AIM Project "SWIM Services" is expected to define a concept of services that would fill in the gap left by the PANS-AIM (where there is no specification of how the digital data sets are to be provided).
4. Route issues
   a. All discussed
   b. 3 awaiting input from external sources
   c. 11 either ready for CP or awaiting for clarifications
5. Obstacle issues
   a. All discussed
6. Airport issues
   a. All discussed
7. 3D Geometries
   a. Discussion about the FAA request for supporting GML Solid in a profile for AIXM.
8. Free routes
   a. ICAO IFPP discusses free routes, no significant progress
   b. Maybe raise it to the ICAO AIM Projects as a need to harmonise the data publication requirements associated with the introduction of Free Route Airspace?

Actions

- Eddy to publish the presentations, Agenda on the Web site
- Eddy to prepare template for the CP and indicate in the name the organization/name who will draft the CP. Give access.
- To announce next Webex on 22 March at 14:30

- Next Webex – continue with Procedure issues
- AIXM 5.2 new target date -> end of 2018
- Web site to be updated with information about AIXM 5.2 change proposal and new calendar
    - Volunteers are welcome for the web site update
- Move the Coding Guidelines FG meeting on Mon-Tue 4-5 June
- Add an AIXM CCB meeting on Wed-Fri 6-8 June, Brussels