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LIAISON NOTE

Standardisation of R-Mode

(Updated Roadmap)

# Introduction

The ENG committee received input paper ENG-15.3.1.3.4 on “R-Mode standardisation-updated roadmap”.   
The roadmap shows the relevant steps and dependencies towards a standardised R-Mode system. In addition, the roadmap contains information for the required activities and milestones at the international organisations IMO, ITU, IALA, IEC and RTCM. Further, the document explains that standardisation of the R-Mode user equipment could be efficiently performed when R-Mode becomes an integrated part of the existing multi-system radio navigation receiver (MSC.401(95), MSC.432(98)) performance standard.

The ENG Committee has discussed and revised the roadmap (Annex 1). In order to initiate an effective standardisation process, the ENG Committee considers it beneficial to coordinate and harmonise the standardisation of R-Mode (MF and VDES) between ENAV and ENG Committees.

# Action requested

The ENAV Committee is requested to:

* Note the information provided in Annex 1.
* Consider a common inter-sessional meeting between ENAV and ENG Committees to further discuss the roadmap towards an efficient standardisation process at the various organisations involved.

ANNEX 1

