



Fourth Meeting of the International Committee on
Global Navigation Satellite Systems (ICG)

FOURTH PROVIDERS FORUM

**Saint-Petersburg, Russian Federation
13, 15 and 17 September 2009**

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Chairman: Kenneth Hodgkins (United States of America)

Co-Chairman: Sergey Rybkin (Russian Federation)

Sunday, 13 September 2009

16:00 – 17:00 **Meeting with the Working Groups Chairs** (*Jazz room*)

17:00 – 18:00 **Providers' Forum Meeting** (*Jazz room*)

1. Review of the meeting procedures for the ICG-4
2. Other matters

Tuesday, 15 September 2009

09:00 – 11:00 **FIRST SESSION OF PROVIDERS' FORUM**

Large Auditorium (Waltz room)

(based on the Workplan¹ of the Providers' Forum)

1. Promotion of compatibility and interoperability
 - Review of Principles on Compatibility and Interoperability
 - Status of consolidated report on planned and operating systems based on member input consistent with the template for information sharing

¹ ICG/PF/WP/DEC2008 (United Nations Document: A/AC.105/928)

- Report on User and Manufacturer Workshops
2. Open Service information dissemination
 - Review of Principle of Transparency in provision of Open Service
 - Consideration of template for sharing and disseminating information on open service signal specifications and service standards
 3. Service performance monitoring
 - Consideration of proposals to widely monitor the performance of open signals and provide timely updates to users regarding critical performance characteristics
 - Consideration of potential cooperation in development of ground infrastructure to monitor signal and service performance for open services
 4. Spectrum protection: interference detection and mitigation
 - Exchange of views on RNSS spectrum issues and related agenda items under consideration by the ITU and its working parties
 - Consideration of the development of a strategy to detect and mitigate interference in GNSS worldwide

11:00 – 11:30 *(Coffee Break)*

11:30 *(Working Group Meetings)*

Thursday, 17 September 2009

09:00 – 10:00 **SECOND SESSION OF PROVIDERS' FORUM**
Large Auditorium (Waltz room)

1. Review and discussion of presented Working Groups reports
2. Preparation of Providers' responses and required amendments to WG recommendations focused on system providers issues
3. Preparation of Providers' Forum Conclusions
4. Other matters

10:00 *(Second Plenary Session of the ICG)*