

**AIRPORT ECONOMICS PANEL (AEP)**

**FOURTH MEETING**

**Montreal, 25 to 28 June 2002**

**Agenda Item 1 Review of terms of reference and work  
: programme**

**TERMS OF REFERENCE**

The ICAO Air Transport Committee has established the following terms of reference for the Panel:

“The Panel will assist the Secretariat in the revision and expansion of the guidance material in the *Airport Economics Manual* (Doc 9562) with particular reference to:

- a) guidance on an independent mechanism for the economic regulation of airports and air navigation services;
- b) guidance on best commercial practices of airports, including consultation with users;
- c) guidance on the application of internationally accepted accounting standards;
- d) transparency in the application of economic pricing;
- e) other guidance relevant to the sound financial management of airports, including any other guidance emanating from recommendations and comments of the Conference on the Economics of Airports and Air Navigation Services as approved by Council and not covered by a) to d) above; and
- f) the need for the Manual to reflect the policy guidance contained in the *ICAO's Policies on Charges for Airports and Air Navigation Services* (Doc 9082/6).”

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