

Subject: IFP Divestment Notification – Astoria Rgnl (AST)

All,

Since the year 2000, as the National Airspace System (NAS) transitioned to a NextGen NAS, the number of flight procedures in the NAS has quadrupled. The complexity and cost to the FAA of maintaining these procedures is not sustainable. The IFP, Operations and Airspace Analytics (IOAA) Tool has identified approach procedures that are recommended for retirement based on a defined retirement criteria.

The following procedure(s) is/are recommended for retirement:

1. VOR RWY 8

Please advise if the procedure can be cancelled or needs to be retained within 30 days from today. If the procedure needs to be retained, please provide justification of why this procedure is needed.

If no response has been received within 30 days, the procedure will move forward for cancellation.

Regards,

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