

REVIEW OF PREVIOUS RESOLUTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ASSOCIATION AND OF RELEVANT EXECUTIVE COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS

SUMMARY

ISSUES TO BE DISCUSSED:

Review of previous resolutions and recommendations of the Association and of relevant Executive Council resolutions

ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL IMPLICATION:

None

DECISIONS/ACTIONS REQUIRED:

- (a) To review the resolutions adopted prior to the fifteenth session of RA V which are still in force;
- (b) To adopt the draft text for inclusion in the general summary of XV-RA V given in Appendix A to this document;
- (c) To adopt draft Resolution 9/1 (XV-RA V) - Review of previous resolutions and recommendations of the Association, given in Appendix B.

REFERENCES:

1. *Basic Documents No. 1, 2007 edition* (WMO-No. 15) - General Regulations
2. *Abridged Final Report with Resolutions of the Ninth Session of the Executive Council* (WMO-No. 67, RC. 14), general summary, paragraph 3.7.1
3. *Abridged Final Report with Resolutions of the Fourteenth Session of Regional Association V (South-West Pacific)* (WMO-No. 1005), Resolutions 1-19
4. *Abridged Final Report with Resolutions of the Fifty-eighth Session of the Executive Council* (WMO-No. 1007), Resolution 8 - Report of the Fourteenth Session of Regional Association V (South-West Pacific)

CONTENT OF DOCUMENT:

Appendices for inclusion in the final report:

- A. Draft text for inclusion in the general summary of XV-RA V
- B. Draft Resolution 9/1 (XV-RA V) - Review of previous resolutions and recommendations of the Association

Appendix for information:

XV-RA V/Rep. 9: Progress/Activity Report

DRAFT TEXT FOR INCLUSION IN THE GENERAL SUMMARY OF XV-RA V

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(agenda item 9)

9.1 The Association examined those of its resolutions which were still in force at the time of the fifteenth session.

9.2 The Association noted that most of its past resolutions had been replaced by new resolutions adopted during the session.

9.3 The Association accordingly adopted Resolution 9/1 (XV-RA V).

9.4 The Association recommended to the Executive Council that Resolution 8 (EC-LVIII) on the report of the fourteenth session of the Association did not need to be kept in force.

DRAFT RESOLUTION

Res. 9/1 (XV-RA V) - REVIEW OF PREVIOUS RESOLUTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ASSOCIATION

REGIONAL ASSOCIATION V,

Noting paragraph 3.7.1 of the general summary of EC-IX,

CONSIDERING:

- (1) That a number of its resolutions adopted before its fifteenth session have been revised and incorporated in resolutions of the fifteenth session,
- (2) That others of its previous resolutions have been incorporated in appropriate WMO publications or have become obsolete,

Decides not to keep in force the resolutions adopted before its fifteenth session.

Note: This resolution replaces Resolution 19 (XIV-RA V), which is no longer in force.

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**REGIONAL ASSOCIATION V
(SOUTH-WEST PACIFIC)**

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PROGRESS/ACTIVITY REPORT

SUMMARY

Reference: XV-RA V/Doc. 9

CONTENT OF DOCUMENT:

Appendix:

- Background information – (with an Annex: List of previous resolutions and recommendations of Regional Association V still in force at the time of its fifteenth session)

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

General

1. Regulation 173 of the General Regulations [see XV-RA V/Doc. 9, reference 1] provides that the agenda of a session of an Association shall normally include the review of the previous resolutions and recommendations of the Association as well as the Executive Council resolutions related to the Association.

Principles and procedures

2. The main aim in reviewing the resolutions and recommendations is to possess at the end of the session a coordinated set of the Association's decisions, brought up-to-date in accordance with the latest developments regarding each subject and the directives of the Executive Council [see XV-RA V/Doc. 9, reference 2].

3. In accordance with Regulation 32 of the General Regulations [see XV-RA V/Doc. 9, reference 1] regional working groups are established for a period, which normally ends at the following session of the Association. Similarly the regional rapporteurs are appointed for the same period. The resolutions adopted by the Association for this purpose become obsolete automatically at the next session and the re-establishment of working groups or the re-appointment of rapporteurs should be made by a new resolution.

4. In connection with the formulation of resolutions and recommendations by the Association, attention is invited to the instructions on the subject, which are contained in Resolution 162 of the General Regulations [see XV-RA V/Doc. 9, reference 1].

Past resolutions and recommendations of the Association

5. The text of the resolutions adopted by the fourteenth session of the Association as well as the past resolutions kept in force by that session were published in the abridged final report of the fourteenth session of the Association [see XV-RA V/Doc. 9, reference 3]. There were no recommendations adopted by the fourteenth session of the Association.

6. To facilitate the task of the Association, the Secretariat has carried out a preliminary examination of the resolutions adopted by the Association prior to its fifteenth session and which are still in force on the basis of the principles given in paragraphs 2 to 4 above. The results of this examination are given in the Annex to this Appendix and the Association may wish to consider the action suggested in each case as indicated in the Annex.

Resolutions of the Executive Council related to the Association

7. The only resolution of the Executive Council related to the Association which is still in force is Resolution 8 (EC-LVIII) on the report of the fourteenth session of the Association [see XV-RA V/Doc. 9, reference 4]. It is suggested that this resolution not be kept in force, as it will be replaced by a new resolution to be adopted by the Executive Council on the resolutions and recommendations of the fifteenth session of the Association.

ANNEX

**LIST OF PREVIOUS RESOLUTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF
RA V (SOUTH-WEST PACIFIC) STILL IN FORCE AT THE TIME OF
ITS FIFTEENTH SESSION**

(Reference: Abridged Final Report of XIV-RA V, Resolution 19)

Resolution No.	Title of Resolution	Suggested Action		
		To be kept in force	To be replaced	Not to be kept in force
5 (X-RA V)	Further Development of the Global Observing System			X
10 (X-RA V)	Tropical Cyclone Operational Plan for the South Pacific and South-East Indian Ocean		X	
10 (XI-RA V)	Use of INMARSAT for the Collection of Ships' Meteorological and Oceanographic Reports			X
4 (XII-RA V)	Regional Instrument Centres (RICs)		X	
7 (XII-RA V)	Climate Change in the South-West Pacific		X	
13 (XIII-RA V)	Support for JCOMM		X	
16 (XIII-RA V)	WMO Voluntary Cooperation Programme		X	
1 (XIV-RA V)	Working Group on Planning and Implementation of the WWW in Region V			X
2 (XIV-RA V)	Regional Basic Synoptic Network		X	
3 (XIV-RA V)	Regional Basic Climatological Network in Region V		X	
4 (XIV-RA V)	Amendments to the <i>Manual on the Global Observing System</i> (WMO-No. 544), Volume II – Regional Aspects - Region V (South-West Pacific)			X
5 (XIV-RA V)	Co-rapporteurs on Regional Aspects of Instrument Development, Related Training and Capacity-Building			X
6 (XIV-RA V)	RA V Tropical Cyclone Committee for the South Pacific and South-East Indian Ocean		X	

Resolution No.	Title of Resolution	Suggested Action		
		To be kept in force	To be replaced	Not to be kept in force
7 (XIV-RA V)	Re-establishment of the Working Group on Climate-related Matters			X
8 (XIV-RA V)	Rapporteur on the Global Atmosphere Watch			X
9 (XIV-RA V)	Rapporteur on WWRP-THORPEX			X
10 (XIV-RA V)	Working Group on Agricultural Meteorology			X
11 (XIV-RA V)	Rapporteur on Regional Aspects of the Aeronautical Meteorology Programme in Region V			X
12 (XIV-RA V)	Co-rapporteurs on Regional Marine Meteorological and Oceanographic Services			X
13 (XIV-RA V)	Working Group on Hydrology			X
14 (XIV-RA V)	Rapporteur on Education and Training Matters			X
15 (XIV-RA V)	Working Group on Natural Disaster Prevention and Mitigation in Regional Association V (South-West Pacific)			X
16 (XIV-RA V)	Rapporteur for the WMO Space Programme			X
17 (XIV-RA V)	Rapporteur for the Global Earth Observation System of Systems			X
18 (XIV-RA V)	Management Group of Regional Association V (South-West Pacific)		X	
19 (XIV-RA V)	Review of previous resolutions and recommendations of the Association		X	