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## ALPA OPERATIONS AT REMOTE AIRPORTS CONFERENCE May 29, 2013

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## Over Flight Operations

- NACC carriers: B767, A310, A330, B777 ETOPS 180 minutes
- North Atlantic (LAT . 70N) ex: YVR-LHR-YVR , YYC-FRA-YYC
- North Pacific, Polar ex: YYZ - HKG - YYZ



## ETOPS Diversion Airports

- Adequate airport - TP6327
- Suitable runway
- Approach facilities, weather minima
- Support facilities/services passengers, aircraft
- Ground handling equipment, Customs, etc.
- Emergency diversion airport:
- May not meet ETOPS TP6327 requirements...paved runway long enough for use by aircraft type.

ETOPS Adequate Airports:

- Iqaluit(NU), Goose Bay(NL), Yellowknife(NT), Whitehorse(YT)
- Anchorage, Fairbanks, King Salmon, Cold Bay (AN)

Emergency Airports:

- Kuujjuaq(QC), LaGrande(QC), Rankin Inlet(NU)

Hudson Bay Area: 35,000 flights per year use this airspace


Challenges

- Limited ground facilities and services for aircraft and passengers
(Air France 062 - B777, Churchill(MB), Oct17, 2002
- Weather and reduction of facilities and services at remote airports influences flight routing


## Future Growth In Canadian North

- Continuous improvement of NAV CANADA Services
$\checkmark$ Progressive expansion of ADS-B coverage
$\checkmark$ Improvement in CPDLC coverage
$\checkmark$ Performance Based Navigation - RNP approaches


## Contingency Plans at Northern Remote airports

> TC CARS SMS requirements-emergency response preparedness
> Emergency Response Exercises - bi-annual
> Coordination arrangements with DND, RCMP
$>$ Coordination with Associations, TC, TSB

