



## Aeronautical Information Service - Air Force

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**AIB Dissemination. AIS-AF Availability Over Stand-Down Period. Changes and Delays to Routine Products – 2512 to 2601 AIRAC Cycles. NGA DoD FLIP Planning Books. AI User – Risk Management. AIS-AF 2026 Production Schedule. Objective – Approved for Use Products. International Products. FIHA AD2 SUP. AIB Distribution.**

### 1. AIB Dissemination

1.1 The AIB may at times contain information that is **critical to flight safety**. Unit PUBSOs are required to disseminate the AIB as widely as possible to relevant staff at their unit particularly aircrew, safety/standards teams, and unit execs.

### 2. AIS-AF Availability Over Stand-Down Period

2.1 AIS-AF Stand Down period will occur from 25 Dec to 04 Jan. During this period, the unit will maintain a core capability to action urgent obstacles assessments (without review function), IFP NOTAMs, IAIP PERM NOTAMs, critical RFIs and product dissemination. Task requests **must** be communicated via the duty mobile (0412 814 225), as AIS-AF inbox emails will have limited monitoring.

### 3. Changes and delays to Routine Products – 2512 to 2601 AIRAC Cycles

3.1 **2512 Charting.** AIS-AF is predicting possible delays and/or non-production of 2512 cycle APM and Auth Maps. If there is a critical need for any particular chart, please contact AIS-AF Operations ASAP for prioritisation assessments.

3.2 **AIS-AF Routine Production over Stand-Down Period.** Users of AIS-AF Routine Products are to note the following variations to the 2513 to 2601 AIRAC Cycle release dates and exclusions:

- a. 2513 Cycle will be produced as per normal WEF 25 Dec 25
- b. 2513 Cycle web portal updates will occur on 24 Dec 25
- c. 2513 Cycle will not include an Electronic Terrain and Obstacle Data (eTOD) update.
- d. 2601 Cycle will not contain an En-Route Supplement International (ERSI) update.

3.3 **ERSA/ERSI Data Changes.** In line with Airservices desires for AIP to be in line with ICAO Standards, users of ERSA/ERSI will note the removal of PSI from ERSA/ERSI entries as of the 2512 cycle. AIS-AF will remove PSI from ADF aerodrome entries when requests for ERSA amendments of ADF aerodromes are actioned. MPa values will still be published where available.

3.4 **TERMA MSA/VSA Chart.** Note a removal of MSA/VSA Charts from the 2512 TERMA. This removal is temporary with intent to republish in 2603 TERMA.

#### 4. NGA DoD FLIP Planning Books

4.1 IAW with the transition to soft copy only, users will need to migrate from hardcopy FLIP to electronic FLIP no later than 30 September 2027, CONUS MIM no later than 30 September 2028 and EVCs/all remaining aeronautical, maritime, geographic, topographic, and geomatics products no later than 30 September 2032.

4.2 All current NGA DoD FLIP products are available through the NGA's Aeronautical Content Exploitation System (ACES) 1.5. For those unfamiliar with ACES 1.5, contact AIS-AF Operations ([ais.af@defence.gov.au](mailto:ais.af@defence.gov.au)) for an ACES 1.5 User Guide.

#### 5. AI User – Risk Management

5.1 The AIS Risk Register contains risks associated with the production and distribution of AI Publications (AIP). MAO's and other AIP customers are required to review the register to determine if there are risks applicable to certain aircraft types or operational conditions, in particular the **Recommendations to AI product users** column, and ensure appropriate risk management is conducted. Note that the risk classifications are for guidance only.

#### 6. AIS-AF 2026 Production Schedule

6.1 Version 2 of the AIS-AF 2026 Production Schedule has been published and is available on the AIS-AF SharePoint ([AIS -Air Force - Home](#)). The change, due to a related delay with AsA publications, has been the delay of 2606 cycle publications to 2607.

6.2 Please note the cut off for publications will remain unchanged, these have not been adjusted accordingly. Please reach out to AIS-AF Operations if you have any queries.

#### 7. Objective - Approved for Use Products

7.1 For those that access AIS-AF approved for use products via objective, please be aware that we are switching to a new 2025-2027 objective structure – fBP9049999. The 2025 files will be moved over early Jan 2026 with older files remaining in archive. Product files from 2601 Cycle onwards will be located within the new structure. For access permission to this folder please contact AIS-AF via email. Note that approvals are required through HQ and may be delayed over stand-down.

#### 8. International Products

8.1 **Butterworth International Terminal Procedures (WMKB ITP)**. WMKB ITP dated 17 Apr 25 remains valid WEF 17 Apr 25. The only change has been the addition of Para 4 on Page 2, SI approaches Circling Minima only when a DT promulgated by NOTAM.

8.2 **Butterworth In Flight Guide (IFG).** The Butterworth IFG (produced by the RMAF) is reviewed each calendar month, with updates to the ITP normally promulgated outside the AIRAC cycle. Due to differences in cyclical production with EFB Data Service Providers and Aircraft Nav databases, AIS-AF distribute directly on a case-by-case basis. If customers are needing access to this product, please contact AIS-AF Operations.

8.3 **Papua New Guinea MSA/VSA Chart** dated WEF 16 Jun 22 remains valid.

## 9. FIHA AD2 Supplements

9.1 FIHA AD2 Supplements are current WEF:

a.	YAMB:	27 Nov 25	
b.	YCIN:	12 Jun 25	
c.	YPDN:	27 Nov 25	
d.	YMES:	27 Nov 25	
e.	YPED:	04 Sep 25	
f.	YPLM:	12 Jun 25	
g.	YSNW:	04 Sep 25	Amdt 03-25
h.	YBOK:	17 Apr 25	Amdt 02-25
i.	YPEA:	27 Nov 25	
j.	YSRI:	17 Apr 25	
k.	YBSG:	12 Jun 25	
l.	YPTN:	28 Nov 24	Amdt 04-25
m.	YBTL:	27 Nov 25	
n.	YWLM:	27 Nov 25	Amdt 04-25
o.	YPWR:	20 Mar 25	

9.2 The next FIHA AD2 SUPP cycle is 22 Jan 26 (AIRAC 2601 cycle) **with cut-off occurring one week earlier (unless agreement between AD2 SUP content owner and AIS-AF)**. Users should ensure their particular EFB Application provider has loaded the current FIHA AD2 Supplements. It remains the user's responsibility to ensure they are using current versions and to be aware of any amendments. Current FIHA AD2 Supplements and any Next/Amendments may be viewed at any time on the AIS-AF web-portal.

## 10. AIB Distribution

10.1 The distribution lists AIS-AF uses to share the AIB relies on users updating AIS-AF to those who may wish to be included on the distribution lists, and those who no longer have a requirement for the AIB. Can those users who no longer wish to receive the AIB, those who have an updated email address for the AIB, or those who know of users who need to be included, email the AIS-AF Ops Group Inbox, [ais.af@defence.gov.au](mailto:ais.af@defence.gov.au).

## 11. For further information or raising concern, please contact:

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**12. Cancellation**

12.1 This AIB remains effective until superseded by the next edition.

**13. Distribution**

13.1 Widest possible dissemination amongst AI users.