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ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2018

1. The 2017 Safety Report was compiled. The report is on the memory stick being distributed at the Plenary Meeting, and the report will be e-mailed to all countries on the T & S e-mail lists.
2. No Information Notices were issued by the T&S Committee in 2018.
3. The IPC T&S material is being distributed, on memory stick, at the Plenary meeting with these items:
 - *Safety Report for 2017 and Power Point Presentation of same.*
 - *The 2018 Safety Survey Form and related notes*
 - *Parachuting Aircraft Incidents Report*
4. The Technical & Safety Committee acknowledges, with deepest thanks, the work, over many years, of John Hitchen, U.K., who brought to T&S his vast experience in the areas of safety and training. The Committee also acknowledges with thanks the contribution of Luiz Claudio RT. Santiago of Brazil.
5. The T&S Committee also acknowledges, with thanks, the work done by Tony Knight and Tony Butler of UK, through the European Parachuting Union (EPU), and the valuable assistance rendered to European parachuting by representing parachute concerns regarding safety restraints in aircraft used in parachute support operations. The draft EASA document regarding this matter was distributed to all European parachuting countries and is available from the T&S Committee. The finalised EASA regulation will be sent to all countries, as a guideline.

I thank the T & S Committee Members and Advisors, and those who responded to the T&S survey.

Their important input makes it possible for the T&S Committee to produce valuable safety material.

Blue skies

Gustavo Eduardo Reyes

T & S Committee Chair

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LILLE, FRANCE

WEDNESDAY 23 JANUARY 2019

AGENDA

TECHNICAL & SAFETY COMMITTEE 2018

Chair Gustavo Eduardo Reyes
Deputy Chair István Sipos
Members Alberto Martin Paracuellos
 Faye Cox
 Frederic Bourinet
 Jiri Blaska
 Dr. Stephen Kramer
 Liam McNulty

- 1. Review of T & S work in 2018**
- 2. Safety Survey and Report for 2017**
- 3. Suggestions for future work of T & S Committee**
- 4. Any other item raised by attendees**