To: All EGNOS Users  
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Subject: Potential EGNOS underperformance linked to new EGNOS RIMS configuration

This Service Notice informs EGNOS users of the potential performance impact of the RIMS configuration change as of 1st of January 2023.

Several Range and Integrity Monitoring Station (RIMS) were removed from the EGNOS Operational platform. Performance should not be impacted except in specific areas in the South-Eastern limits of the EGNOS Service Area (mainly sea regions), which may present some degradations when compared to the applicable Service Definition Documents, and where a higher sensitivity to other sources of potential underperformance may be expected. Specifically:

- For Safety of Life (SoL) users, in case a degradation will affect any aerodrome, the relevant information will be provided through the established formal interfaces detailed in the EGNOS Working Agreement. Nevertheless it is necessary to mention that the SoL service integrity is ensured at all times and locations within the EGNOS coverage area.

- For Open Service users, slightly worse accuracy performance may be observed over the mentioned area due to this new EGNOS RIMS configuration.

- For EDAS users, no data will be available from the removed RIMS.

The new RIMS configuration is the result of the decommissioning of RIMS Abu Simbel (ABS – Egypt) and Alexandria (ALY – Egypt).

Thus, the new EGNOS RIMS configuration is presented in the following figure:
The EGNOS Service Provider will adapt system operations and any activity in the concerned area (maintenance, testing, etc.) to make sure that the best possible service is delivered to users in these circumstances.

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