

Press Release

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Aerocivil of Colombia advances aeronautical message handling system with FREQUENTIS virtualisation technology

- Frequentis is upgrading Aerocivil's AMHS system with an advanced virtualised solution, enhancing their message handling capabilities
- This project underscores Frequentis' commitment to advancing air traffic management in Latin America

Frequentis and the Unidad Administrativa Especial de Aeronáutica Civil de Colombia (Aerocivil) are undertaking a transformative aeronautical message handling system (AMHS) upgrade project, with FRISSON Technologies serving as the prime contractor. This upgrade will elevate Aerocivil's message handling capabilities to the forefront of modern aviation technology through an innovative virtualised solution.

The project continues the public bidding process initiated by Colombia's Civil Aviation Authority in 2009 with the deployment of the message handling system, which was later updated in 2016. With the latest enhancement, Aerocivil's systems will receive a comprehensive upgrade, followed by dedicated service support from Frequentis to ensure ongoing operational stability.

"This system upgrade provides Aerocivil with cutting-edge virtualisation technology, enabling enhanced operational efficiency and reliability. It has been a smooth transition to the new system, thanks to the familiarity of Aerocivil's teams with Frequentis' products, reducing potential disruption during the upgrade process," says Carlos Uriel Barragán, secretary for air navigation services at Aerocivil.

This AMHS system upgrade represents an important milestone in the development of aviation communications in the region, highlighting the importance of robust, virtualised solutions in enhancing air traffic management (ATM) operations.

"For Frequentis, Aerocivil is a significant reference, reflecting its strong commitment to supporting ATM infrastructure in Latin America. With Colombia's strategic geographical position as a major hub for Pan-American air traffic, this upgrade reinforces Frequentis' role as a leading AMHS system supplier in the region," says Constantin von Reden, Managing Director of Frequentis Comsoft and member of the OneATM Executive Team.



About FREQUENTIS Comsoft

In 2016, Frequentis Comsoft joined the Frequentis Group as its competence centre for AMHS, AIM, surveillance technologies and ATM systems. Frequentis Comsoft provides software-centric solutions covering a major part of the surveillance data chain: from distribution to processing to display.

About FREQUENTIS

Frequentis stands for a safer world. Our solutions are used in our customers' command and control centres and help them make the world safer.

Frequentis' reliable communication and information systems are used around the world by civil and military air traffic control organisations (Air Traffic Management segment) and the police, emergency rescue services, fire brigades, railways, coastguards, and port authorities (Public Safety & Transport segment).

The listed family business based in Vienna, Austria, drives innovative and sustainable solutions for safety and security in everyday life and communications in the safety-critical sector. Its air traffic optimisation solutions for air traffic control centres contribute to reducing emissions.

With a market share of 30%, this high-tech company is the world market leader in voice communication systems for civil air traffic control.

As a global player with more than 2,300 employees (full-time equivalents/FTE), Frequentis has a worldwide network of companies in over 50 countries. Its products, services, and solutions are used in around 150 countries. Shares in Frequentis are traded on the Vienna and Frankfurt stock exchanges; ISIN: ATFREQUENT09, WKN: A2PHG5. In 2023, revenues were EUR 427.5 million and EBIT was EUR 26.6 million.

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