



ICG Glossary of GNSS Terms

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PURPOSE

- Through this presentation, the United States provides to the members of the ICG a draft Glossary of GNSS Terms.
 - This action is in response to a request of the ICG Secretariat.
 - This Glossary, when complete and approved by the ICG, is to be made publicly available through the Programme on Space Applications¹ administered by UNOOSA.
 - As this submission is a draft, it is expected that the US will provide modifications to this Glossary before it becomes approved.
- The Draft Glossary is attached to this presentation as a MicroSoft Word Document object².

1 <http://www.unoosa.org/oosa/en/SAP/centres/index.html>

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Draft GNSS
Glossary



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GENERAL COMMENTS

- This Glossary, when approved by the ICG, is to be made available for support of a ICG developed GNSS Curriculum.
 - The development of the GNSS Curriculum is an agreed upon action of the ICG Plenary.
 - Development of the GNSS Curriculum will be addressed in another ICG-3 Working Group C presentation.
 - The GNSS Curriculum will be made available through the Programme of Space Applications administered by the UNOOSA.
- The provided Draft Glossary does not, at this time, provide terms or definitions for any GNSS System except for that of US GPS.
 - The US does not presume that it can provide the full scope of terms or definitions applicable to other GNSS Provider systems.
 - However, the US holds the position that the term GNSS be used in this Glossary where ever applicable rather than referring to a single, or group of, Provider system(s).



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PROPOSED GLOSSARY WORKPLAN

- The US proposes:
 - That the ICG form an Ad-Hoc group to complete the GNSS Glossary with the following schedule:
 - 1 April 2009: Final date for input of proposed additions and corrections of Glossary - all ICG Providers
 - (Next ICG Experts Meeting): Review of the Glossary for submission to ICG-4
 - (ICG-4 Meeting): Plenary Review and Adoption of the GNSS Glossary.
 - A Rapporteur be selected for the purpose of coordinating the activities of the Ad-Hoc group and reporting these activities to the ICG.

Discussion