



**Abbotsford, British Columbia
Flight Information Services En Route (FISE)**

NAV CANADA, the country's provider of civil air navigation services, has evaluated the provision of Flight Information Service En Route (FISE) using Remote Communication Outlets (RCO). As a result of this evaluation NAV CANADA has embarked upon a multi-year RCO redesign program aimed at improving FISE service coverage and reducing frequency congestion on 126.7MHz.

To achieve these objectives and better serve aviation communication requirements in the Abbotsford area, the following FISE RCO change will be made:

- Frequency **126.7 MHz (bcst)** will no longer be monitored by the Kamloops FIC nor will it be used to provide FISE. It will however be used by the FIC, as required, to provide the aeronautical broadcast service (broadcast of SIGMET and urgent PIREP) and to conduct communication searches for overdue aircraft.
- Pilots operating in the vicinity of Abbotsford who require flight planning, weather or NOTAM information should contact the Kamloops FIC (call sign "Pacific Radio") on the current FISE RCO frequency **122.5 MHz**.

This change will take effect August 27, 2009 at 0901 Coordinated Universal Time (UTC).
The appropriate aeronautical publications will be amended.

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