



**Thompson, Manitoba
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 Thompson area, the following FISE RCO changes will be made:

- The Thompson FISE RCO frequency will change from 123.15 MHz to **123.55 MHz**. Pilots operating in the vicinity of Thompson who require flight planning, weather or NOTAM information should contact the Winnipeg FIC (call sign "Winnipeg Radio") on this new frequency.
- The existing **126.7 MHz** will no longer be used for FISE or monitored by the Winnipeg FIC. 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.

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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