

TERMS OF REFERENCE
Special Committee (SC) 237
Helicopter Terrain Awareness Warning System

(Revision 4)

Committee Status: Active Monitoring

REQUESTORS:

This committee is being established at the request of EUROCAE for RTCA to form a joint committee.

Organization	Person

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BACKGROUND:

Working jointly with EUROCAE WG-110, RTCA SC-237 has developed MOPS for Helicopter Terrain Awareness and Warning Systems (HTAWS) for offshore¹ helicopter operations which embodied “classic modes”. The MOPS have been published in ED-285/DO-376. The joint Working Group/Sub Committee also developed an equivalent MOPS (published as DO-405/ED-316) for onshore helicopter operations (Onshore HTAWS).

¹ Commercial Air Transport excluding SAR.

DELIVERABLES:

Product	Description	FRAC	Change
		Completion	
		Due Date*	
None			

*Note: Final Review and Comment (FRAC) Completion Due Date refers to the date that the committee plenary approves the document after completing the FRAC Process. SCs should submit the final document at least 45 days before the PMC meeting where it will be considered for approval.

SCOPE and COORDINATION:

There is no current scope for the committee to complete.

ENVISIONED USE OF DELIVERABLE(S)

There is no deliverable expected from the committee in this terms of reference.

SPECIFIC GUIDANCE:

There is not specific guidance to the committee.

TERMINATION:

The committee will recommend to the PMC that the committee Sunset, continue Active Monitoring Mode, or spend a period of time in Hiatus. Any change/extension of the committee's work program requires prior PMC approval.