



## Regs & Ops meeting #5 UAS Coordination Technical Working Group

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Opening remarks by Jo Gillispie welcoming everyone to fifth session of the Regs and Ops group

The ToRs that consist of four purposes of the group has been finalized as there was no objections on them.

Discussion on arming UAS operators with a checklist when they deploy that has a lot of pointers for operators where they should be looking and what they should be looking for:

- For domestic deployment, where the operator is assumingly familiar with the operating environment, the regulatory framework, so the focus would be on safety and security for their operators.
- For foreign deployment, where the operator is going into a different country and therefore sources of reference for those deployments would be useful, things like: *global drone regulation data base (droneregulations.info)*, *contacts for the National Emergency Agency, National Civil Aviation Authority, and more.*
- How can operators conduct Risk Assessment: SORA (Specific Operations Risk Assessment) can be very complex and works well for strategic risk assessment, but tactical risk assessment, a more simpler risk assessment might be needed.
- Identifying what kind of operations or use cases the checklist is supporting.

Presentation by David Guerin on the plan that the African Drone Forum is coming up with

Please find the PowerPoint presentation [here](#) and for more details please following the recording (minute 26:02 to 35:04).

Housekeeping:

- Define the scope of what this group is focusing on with humanitarian operations;
- WFP will take the lead in setting up a framework with questions that an operator would need answers to before deployment into a humanitarian operation; this can then be taken to the country offices to provide answers to (this can be updated every six months).

**Next TWG meeting is on 14<sup>th</sup> of March 2021.**