

**ORDER**

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION  
WESTERN-PACIFIC REGION

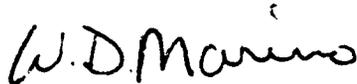
WP AT 7232.2

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SUBJ: ARTS-TO-ARTS VFR PROCESSING

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1. PURPOSE. This order establishes guidelines to be utilized for ARTS-to-ARTS handoffs on VFR aircraft between Southern California TRACON facilities and replaces current Western-Pacific Region Notice WP AT N 6190.1.
2. EFFECTIVE DATE. February 14, 1992
3. DISTRIBUTION. This order is distributed to all Southern California TRACON facilities' personnel.
4. SCOPE. ARTS-to-ARTS VFR flight plan processing was developed to reduce controller workload and frequency congestion commonly associated with the handling of VFR aircraft.
5. PROCEDURES. The following procedures shall be utilized between facilities.
  - a. ARTS-to-ARTS processing and automated handoffs of VFR aircraft between facilities shall be completed to the maximum extent practical on an equipment and workload permitting basis.
  - b. ARTS flight plan data shall contain aircraft call sign, type of aircraft, and a three-letter destination or appropriate coordination fix.
  - c. If a handoff cannot be made from one facility to another, the controlling facility shall remove the aircraft's VFR flight plan from the HOST system via the FDIO.

  
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