



## **INTELCAN SIGNS AIR NAVIGATION AND COMMUNICATION CONTRACT WITH GUYANA CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY**

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Intelcan signed a 3.5 million USD contract with the Guyana Civil Aviation Authority (GCAA) for the upgrade of air navigation and communication systems at the Cheddi Jagan International Airport, Timehri.

The new equipment will include an Air Traffic Management (ATM) System, Instrument Landing System (ILS), Automatic Message Handling System (AMHS) and high-powered Distance Measuring Equipment (DME). In addition, the project also includes an Automated Weather Observation System (AWOS), which will provide real-time information on pressure, wind speed, direction, temperature, due point, runway visual range and cloud base. Under the current system, the local Meteorological Office provides all of this information on an hourly basis to the airport authorities.

Intelcan's Director of Business Development, Bernard Goyette, is pleased that Intelcan will be providing another service to the GCAA as Intelcan was involved in the original effort to procure and install a major portion of the equipment at the airport back in 1982. He describes the current project as "a breath of fresh air for the local aviation industry" since it involves the updating of equipment that is nearing the end of its lifecycle.

Mr. Goyette added that this development will be Intelcan's third active project in South America for 2009, accompanying the already in progress New Quito International Airport in Ecuador and the upgrading of CNS/ATM systems at the Paramaribo airport in Suriname.