ENR 5.6 BIRD MIGRATION AND AREAS WITH SENSITIVE FAUNA

1 General birds activities and migration

The exitenance of activity of flocks of birds on or in the vicinity of the airports is generally seasonal. Bird migration is experienced just before the rain season in November. The migratory birds are present between November and April and constitute most of the bird species in Zambia. ATS units, as far as is practicable will be advised of such phenomena of Aerodromes of intended landing.

2 Areas with sensitive Fauna

Identification of areas with sensitive fauna was not done.

3 Concentration and movements of various types

Generally all lake areas and plain game areas should be considered hazard zones. Whenever game concentrates, there will be found vultures and eagles as residents scavenging on game kills. These birds often fly at considerable altitude making use of thermals and wonder over great distances.

4 Concentration and movements of various types

Birds that constitute a hazard to aircraft, include some of the common types and species in Zambia which are but not limited to crows,marabou storks,hornbill,eagles,lapwings,herons,guinea fowls, white storks and swallows.
NOTE:Presence of prolonged nature will be notified by NOTAM promulgation. and/or AIP Supplements.

5 Aerodrome mostly affected by bird hazard and fauna

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2. all airports in the National Parks and Game Reserve

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