

COMBINED OAKLAND ARTCC AND LOS ANGELES ARTCC LETTER OF AGREEMENT

EFFECTIVE: June 5, 2024
VERSION: 1.0

PURPOSE

This letter of agreement (LoA) shall establish a combined sector of the Oakland (KZOA) and Los Angeles (KZLA) ARTCCs for control only and shall include the most recent version of all letters of agreement (LoA) between the affected ARTCCs.

The agreement is subject to change without notice and shall be reviewed by affected ARTCC staff regularly. This agreement is supplementary to the procedures established by IVAO and the US division.

CANCELLATION

No prior cancellations.

AGREEING PARTIES

OAKLAND ARTCC

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Oakland ARTCC Chief

LOS ANGELES ARTCC

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RADIOTELEPHONY: Los Angeles/Oakland Center

RADIO FREQUENCY: 118.385

FRA MINIMUM: ACC

PROCEDURES

Controllers connecting

This combined sector may only be used without KZOA_CTR or KZLA_CTR online. If KZOA_CTR or KZLA_CTR comes online while KZLA_OA_CTR is active, this position must disconnect and has the option to reconnect as a standard ARTCC position that is not in use.

Controllers not meeting minimum FRA requirement

APC-rated controllers may utilize this combined sector at the sole discretion of the affected ARTCC staff. A checkout must be performed before FRA VID un-restriction. GCA & ADC controllers are not eligible for this position.

Checkout procedures

Before requesting a checkout, accepted candidates must have met or exceeded the following prerequisites.

- Successfully completed an APC exam administered by the US division.
- Time on scope at KZLA_CTR and KZOA_CTR for at least 3 hours each.

After meeting the minimum requirements, a checkout may be requested, including 3 hours of observation by an affected ARTCC staff member or AOC on the combined sector.

Events

This combined sector may not be used during an event if any focused airports are within KZOA or KZLA ARTCCs.