

Are you ready?

In the fall of 2019, NAV CANADA will transition to the **ICAO NOTAM format**. All Canadian NOTAMs will be distributed using this format, and the information will be divided into eight sections:

| Section Letter | Description |
|----------------|---|
| Q) | A qualifier line, which contains coded information, coordinates, and radius of the area of influence for the automated filtering of NOTAMs. |
| A) | Contains the location indicator for an aerodrome, or of one or more FIRs. |
| B) | Shows the time (UTC) the NOTAM comes into effect (in force). |
| C) | Shows the time (UTC) the NOTAM ceases to be in effect (no longer in force). |
| D) | Schedule (if the event occurs at specific times (UTC) during the "in force" period). |
| E) | Contains the NOTAM text, including the ICAO subject and corresponding conditions. |
| F) | When required, shows the lower vertical limit. |
| G) | When required, shows the upper vertical limit. |

EXAMPLES

The following three examples show NOTAMs written in current Canadian domestic format and in the corresponding ICAO NOTAM format. As you can see from the highlighted NOTAM information, most of the content in the Canadian domestic NOTAM format also appears in the ICAO NOTAM format.

FOR AN AERODROME

Canadian domestic NOTAM format

190516 **NOTAMN** CYND OTTAWA/GATINEAU
CYND RWY 09/27 **CLSD**
1907141530 **TIL** APRX 1907150100

ICAO NOTAM format

K0288/19 **NOTAMN**
Q) CZUL/QMRLC/IV/NBO/A/000/999/4531N07534W005
A) **CYND** B) 1907141530 C) 1907150100**EST**
E) RWY 09/27 **CLSD**

FOR A FIR

Canadian domestic NOTAM format

190455 **NOTAMN** CZUL MONTREAL FIR
CYA-534(S) KARS ACT
SFC TO BELOW 2500FT AMSL,
1300-1600 1700-2000 **DLY**
1905061300 **TIL** 1905102000

ICAO NOTAM format

H0121/19 **NOTAMN**
Q) CZUL/QWGLW/IV/M/W/000/025/4507N07538W004
A) CZUL B) 1905061300 C) 1905102000
D) DAILY 1300-1600 1700-2000
E) **ADVISORY AREA** **CYA534(S)** KARS ACT
SFC TO BELOW 2500FT AMSL
F) **SFC** G) 2500FT AMSL

FOR A PERMANENT CHANGE OF DATA

Canadian domestic NOTAM format

190257 **NOTAMN** CYUY ST-BRUNO-DE-GUIGUES
CTA4 **AMEND** PUB: **DELETE SERVICES**

ICAO NOTAM format

Q0135/19 **NOTAMN**
Q) CZYZ/QFAXX/IV/NBO/A/000/999/4727N07925W005
A) **CXXX** B) 1905051300 C) **PERM**
E) **CTA4** ST-BRUNO-DE-GUIGES
AMEND PUBLICATIONS: DELETE SERVICES

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