

VIRTUAL WASHINGTON ARTCC AND VIRTUAL NEW YORK ARTCC LETTER OF AGREEMENT

SUBJECT: VOICE SWITCHING & COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

EFFECTIVE: 16 January 2026

1. PURPOSE. This Letter of Agreement (LOA) establishes the guidance and coordination for use of Virtual Voice Switching and Communications System (vVSCS or VSCS) between the Virtual Washington ARTCC (ZDC) and Virtual New York ARTCC (ZNY). This coordination is intended to provide consistency and ease of operation for those controllers that have chosen to utilize VSCS while controlling.

2. SCOPE. This LOA covers all controllers utilizing VSCS. VSCS is *not* a mandatory tool, and this letter does *not* require controllers from either facility to utilize VSCS. For controllers that chose to use VSCS, the standard prescribed in this letter shall be followed.

3. DISCLAIMER. This publication is for use on the simulated VATSIM network. This agreement and its associated organizations have no affiliation or association with any Federal Aviation Administration air traffic control facility or other government agency or system.

4. RESPONSIBILITIES.

Facilities will provide one week's notice for any changes needed in line assignments to ensure time to update any VSCS profiles as necessary. Facilities will use the lines described in this letter.

5. PROCEDURES.

a. Line Assignment.

Washington ARTCC with:

ZDC/ZNY: Line 065
ZDC/WRI: Line 648
ZDC/N90-EWR: 289
ZDC/N90-LGA: 287
ZDC/PHL: 543

Potomac TRACON with:

PCT/ZNY: 536
PCT/PHL: 288
PCT/MDT: 158

Atlantic City ATCT/TRACON with:

ACY/PHL: 577
ACY/WRI: 134
ACY/ZNY: 444

Dover AFB RAPCON with:

DOV/PHL: 284

b. Controller Information Remark. Controllers are encouraged to include “VSCS In Use” in their controller information to help other controllers identify that VSCS is being utilized.

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