

Appendix B—Agenda: OTA Seminar on the Discrete Address Beacon System (DABS)

OTA Conference Center January 31, 1980

9:00 a.m.	REGISTRATION	
9:30 a.m.	WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS	DR. JOHN H. GIBBONS, <i>Director</i> <i>Office of Technology Assessment</i>
	OPENING STATEMENTS	THE HONORABLE HOWARD W. CANNON, <i>Chairman</i> <i>Subcommittee on Aviation</i> <i>Committee on Commerce, Science and</i> <i>Transportation</i> <i>U.S. Senate</i> THE HONORABLE ROBERT B. DUNCAN, <i>&i_</i> <i>Subcommittee on Transportation</i> <i>Committee on Appropriations</i> <i>U.S. House of Representatives</i> THE HONORABLE THOMAS R. HARKIN, <i>Chairman</i> <i>Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation</i> <i>and Communications</i> <i>Committee on Science and Technology</i> <i>U.S. House of Representatives</i>
	SEMINAR PLAN	ROBERT L. MAXWELL, <i>Manager</i> <i>Transportation program</i> <i>Office of Technology Assessment</i>
10:15 a.m.	INTRODUCTION TO FAA PRESENTATIONS	QUENTIN S. TAYLOR, <i>Deputy Administrator</i> <i>Federal Aviation Administration</i>
	DABS CONCEPT AND DESCRIPTION What is it? Where is it going? How does it fit in the ATC system? International impli- cations.	SIEGBERT B. PORITZKY, <i>Director</i> <i>Office of Systems Engineering Management</i> <i>Federal Aviation Administration</i>
10:45 a.m.	BREAK	
11:00 a.m.	DABS AND THE DABS DATA LINK PROGRAM. Testing, compatibi- lity with ATCRBS, schedule for implementation.	MARTIN T. POZESKY, <i>Acting Technical Advisor</i> <i>Systems Research and Development Service</i> <i>Federal Aviation Administration</i>
11:15 a.m.	DABS TECHNICAL ISSUES	NORMAN SOLAT, <i>Acting Chief</i> <i>Communication Surveillance Division</i> <i>Federal Aviation Administration</i>
11:30 a.m.	MILITARY SYSTEM IMPLICATIONS	COL. STEPHEN GILBERT <i>U.S. Department of Defense</i>
11:45 a.m.	GENERAL DISCUSSION	
12:30 p.m.	LUNCH	
1:30 p.m.	USERS PANEL DISCUSSION <i>Philip Van Ostrand, AOPA</i> <i>Frank White, ATA</i> <i>David Thomas, CAM</i> <i>William Rome, ALMA</i>	DR. LAWRENCE "A" GOLDMUNTZ, <i>Moderator</i> <i>President, Economics and Science</i> <i>Planning, Inc.</i>
2:00 p.m.	GENERAL DISCUSSION	
3:00 p.m.	SEMINAR SUMMARY	GOLDMUNTZ and MAXWELL
3:30 p.m.	GENERAL DISCUSSION	
4:30 p.m.	ADJOURN TO RECEPTION	