



Ref.: AFI SECFAL PLAN - 0572

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Subject: Invitation to:

- 1. Comprehensive Regional Implementation Plan for Aviation Security and Facilitation in Africa (AFI SECFAL Plan), Action Plan meeting, 25 to 26 October, 2016; and**
- 2. Regional Aviation Security and Facilitation Group (RASFALG-AFI) Meeting, 27 to 28 October 2016**

Sir/Madam,

You are hereby invited to nominate suitable participants to attend and participate in the above meetings to be held back to back, at the United Nations Complex in Nairobi, Kenya from 25 to 28 October 2016.

The Ministerial Conference on Aviation Security and Facilitation held in Windhoek, Namibia in April 2016 made a Declaration, which included Aviation Security and Facilitation Targets to be implemented by all AFI States (copy attached). The Conference further directed the AFI SECFAL Plan Secretariat to come up with modalities to implement the recommendations and decisions made by the Ministers and the implementation of the Windhoek Ministerial declaration and targets.

The Third AFI SECFAL Plan Steering Committee meeting held in Malabo, Equatorial Guinea on 1 July 2016 also directed the AFI SECFAL Plan Secretariat to coordinate the development of an Action Plan, which is the basis of the Action Plan meeting that will be held from 25 to 26 October 2016.

You will recall that in line with the Terms of Reference (ToRs) of the Regional Aviation Security and Facilitation Group (RASFALG–AFI), the group should meet twice a year. In this regard therefore, the meeting scheduled for 27- 28 October 2016 will be the third meeting of the Group. The minutes of the second meeting of the Group held in Malabo in June 2016 is attached herewith.

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Member States and identified stakeholders are therefore invited to nominate participants to attend the Action Plan meeting convened by the AFI SECFAL Plan secretariat (25 to 26 October, 2016) as well as the third meeting of the RASFALG-AFI (27 to 28 October, 2016) convened by the AFCAC Secretariat. It will be highly appreciated if you would confirm attendance of your nominees to the AFCAC Secretariat at: secretariat@afcac.org and the ICAO AFI SECFAL Secretariat at: icaoesaf@icao.int not later than **10 October 2016** to enable necessary administrative arrangements to be put in place.

Thank you for your usual cooperation and support to AVSEC/FAL activities in AFI Region.

Yours sincerely,



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Attachments: - Windhoek Ministerial Declaration and Targets
- Minutes of the second meeting of the RASFALG-AFI held in June 2016 in Malabo, Equatorial Guinea.