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Subject:

Workshop on Airport and Air Navigation Service Economics

(Nairobi, 23 to 25 March 2010)

Action required:

Reply concerning attendance and submit working papers not later

than 28 February 2010

Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to invite your Administration to nominate participants for a workshop on Airport and Air Navigation Service Economics to be held from 23 to 25 March 2010 on the premises of the ICAO Regional Office for the Eastern and Southern Africa in Nairobi, Kenya. The workshop is a follow-up event to the Conference on the Economics of Airports and Air Navigation Services (CEANS) held in Montreal in September 2008 and the outcome of the conclusions of the Joint ICAO/AFCAC Regional Symposium held on the same subject from 17 to 19 August 2009 in Kampala, Uganda, particularly in accordance with *Point 5 of the Conclusions "Requesting ICAO and AFCAC to assist African States, through workshops, seminars and other appropriate means, in raising the awareness of the States of these ICAO policies, in order to promote their implementation".*

Workshop discussions will mainly be around ICAO's Policies on Charges for Airports and Air Navigation Services (Doc 9082 – Eighth Edition), CEANS Recommendations and the conclusions of the Kampala Symposium, with emphasis on the Follow up Actions agreed by the Symposium. The workshop will also have to define the best ways and means to collect financial data for the management of airports and air navigation services in Africa. It will also provide an opportunity to elaborate the provisional agenda of the next Joint ICAO/AFCAC Regional Symposium on Aeronautical Infrastructure Financing in Africa to be held in Maputo, Mozambique in July 2010. The workshop agenda is attached to this letter; further organizational details will be provided later.

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Fax No: 254 (20) 7621092 E-Mail: icao@icao.unon.org I would be grateful if you could indicate to me, at your earliest convenience preferably before 28 February 2010, whether your Administration wishes to nominate participants and, if so, their names, official positions and contact details. Your delegation may include appropriate representatives from airlines, national airports and air navigation service providers.

Accept, Sir/Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Geoffrey Moshabesha Regional Director Eastern and Southern Africa

Enclosures: A — Agenda

AGENDA

(Nairobi 23 - 25/03/10) WP/1



International Civil Aviation Organization

WORKSHOP ON THE ECONOMICS OF AIRPORTS AND AIR NAVIGATION SERVICES

(Nairobi 23 to 25 March 2010)

AGENDA Items

- 1) Conclusions and Recommendations of CEANS and Kampala Symposium;
- 2) ICAO's Policies on Airports and Air Navigation Services (Doc 9082 and its Economics Manuals (Doc 9562 and Doc 9161));
- 3) State Economic Oversight Regulation of the Service Providers;
- 4) Collection of Financial Data for the Management of Airports and Air Navigation Services;
- 5) Lesson Learned from the Experience of Commercialization/Privatization of Airports and Air Navigation Services; and
- 6) Preparation of the Next Joint ICAO/AFCAC Regional Symposium on Aeronautical Infrastructure Financing.

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