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Subject: Virtual LOC-I and UPRT Workshop (17-18 November 2020)

Action Required:

Reply by 4 November 2020

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to inform you that a Virtual Workshop on Loss of Control in-Flight (LOC-I) and Upset Prevention and Recovery Training (UPRT) is planned to be held on 17 and 18 November 2020, under the auspices of the ICAO Regional Offices (WACAF and ESAF) and Kenya as the RASG-AFI Champion for LOC-I.

This year's Workshop aims to:

- Define strategy for implementing the five-year RASG-AFI Plan for LOC-I in the RASG-AFI region, especially in the COVID-19 context
- Sensitize and raise awareness of UPRT implementation to African civil aviation sector:
- Build on the ICAO GASP to strengthen related guidance and plans
- Maintain the network within the RASG-AFI region for sharing information and experiences

States are strongly urged to attend this important workshop aiming at facilitating the implementation of the 5-year LOC-I Plan of Action and mitigation measures to circumvent LOC-I occurrences. The target participation includes civil aviation inspectors in operations of aircraft, personnel licensing and training, aircraft incidents and accidents investigators, pilots, instructors and other operations personnel from air operators and training organizations.

In this regard, your administration is kindly requested to extend this invitation letter to the targeted participants and relevant organizations. The online registration link to access the Workshop is indicated as follows: https://www.icao.int/ESAF/Pages/LOCI-UPRT-2020.aspx. The language for the registration can be selected at the right bottom of the registration page.

The provisional Agenda of the meeting is attached as an annex to this letter and documents for the meeting will be accessible online at: https://www.icao.int/ESAF/Pages/meetings.aspx .

Kindly confirm participation of your administration at your earliest convenience, preferably by 4 November 2020, to <u>icaoesaf@icao.int</u> with copy to <u>PMbengue@icao.int</u> and <u>RMuhanji@icao.int</u>, and accordingly, inform your delegates to register online.

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Yours sincerely,