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**Subject: Third Middle East DGCA Virtual Meeting  
(7 December 2020 from 11:00 to 13:00 UTC)**

**Action required:** *Please confirm participation by 25 November 2020 to [icaomid@icao.int](mailto:icaomid@icao.int)*

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the Third Middle East DGCA Virtual Meeting will be held on **Monday, 7 December 2020 from 11:00 to 13:00 UTC** to address with the Heads of Civil Aviation Authorities in the MID Region and the International/Regional Organizations, the Global, Regional and National developments related to COVID-19, including the measures taken by States to reduce the risk of spread of COVID-19 and protect the health of air travelers and aviation personnel, as well as the measures taken to ensure the safety, security and sustainability of the air transport operations.

The Provisional Agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- 1- Welcome and Introduction (*Opening remarks by the ICAO Secretary General*)
- 2- Economic and operational impact of the COVID-19 crisis on the air transport system
- 3- Global and Regional developments related to COVID-19 (CART Phase II, CRRIC, CART Global Implementation Roadmap (GIR) and MID CART Implementation Plan, RPTF, etc.)
- 4- States' experiences related to COVID-19 (actions taken by States, challenges, examples of CART implementation/best practices, lessons learned, needs, recommendations/way forward)
- 5- ICAO MID Office priorities and work programme for 2021
- 6- AOB and Closing

Your comments on the above Provisional Agenda, including any amendment you may wish to suggest, would be appreciated.

In order to derive optimum advantage and benefits from the virtual meeting it is highly recommended that Directors General/Chief Executives attend in person accompanied by appropriate Technical Experts from their Administrations/Organizations.

I would appreciate it if you could confirm your participation to this important virtual meeting, not later than **25 November 2020**, by return email to: [icaomid@icao.int](mailto:icaomid@icao.int), providing the names, and contact details of all participants from your State/Organization.

The participants will receive in separate emails the link and necessary details for joining the teleconference.

Accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.



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