ICAO MID Environmental Regional Seminar

(Cairo, Egypt, 12 – 13 August 2024)

BULLETIN

1. LOCATION

1.1 The ICAO MID Environmental Regional Seminar will be held at the Meeting Room of the Egyptian Civil Aviation Authority Building, Cairo Airport Road, Cairo, Egypt, 12 – 13 August 2024. The venue is at the Egyptian Civil Aviation Authority (ECAA) at the following location:

https://maps.app.goo.gl/2G6asLHRPpLgXNCA9

2. SCHEDULE OF THE MEETING

- 2.1 The opening of the Meeting will be held at 0900 hours on Monday 12 August 2024.
- 2.2 The schedule and order of the day will be announced at the opening session.
- 2.3 The Meeting will be conducted in English.

3. REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS

3.1 Participants are requested to register, at the Registration Desk located at the entrance of the Meeting Hall, between 0830 and 0900 hours on the opening day of the Meeting. Participants are also requested to wear the identification badge, which will be issued to them when inside the meeting room.

4. DOCUMENTATION

4.1 Please note that no documentation will be available in hard copy format. However, working and information papers related to the meeting will be available on the ICAO MID Regional Office website at least 15 days prior to the meeting. Accordingly, participants are requested to download the documentation from the web and bring along their own hard copies or their laptops to the meeting, as appropriate.

5. ICAO MIDDLE EAST REGIONAL OFFICE

MID OFFICE LOCATION

5.1 The ICAO Middle East Regional Office is located at the Egyptian Ministry of Civil Aviation Complex, Airport Road, Cairo. The telephone numbers are: (202) 2267 4841/5/6, the e-mail address is: icaomid@icao.int and website is http://icao.int/mid.

WORKING HOURS

5.2 The working hours of the ICAO Regional Office are 0730-1430.

6. HOTEL RESERVATIONS/RETURN AIRLINE BOOKINGS

6.1 Participants are requested to make their own hotel reservations. A list of hotels with ICAO corporate rates for your convenience with telephone/fax numbers and addresses is at the following link: HotelList.pdf (icao.int). Kindly note that hotel rates are subject to change while booking.

7. TRANSPORTATION

- 7.1 Although we would very much wish to welcome you at Cairo Airport, it will not be possible to meet participants on arrival and provide transportation. Participants are, therefore, requested to make their own arrangements for transportation from the airport to the city and return.
- 7.2 Airport taxi services (Misr Limousine) operate private limousine services from the airport to down town, at L.E. 250.00 approx. per vehicle. Public taxi service is also available, at a cost of approximately L.E. 200.00 (negotiable), at the taxi stand at the airport.

8. Insurance

8.1 Participants are advised to have insurance coverage for any unexpected contingency including transport hazards (taxi, buses, rented cars etc.) and Medical Coverage.

9. SOME USEFUL TRAVEL INFORMATION

PASSPORT

9.1 All foreign nationals entering Egypt must possess valid passports or other valid documents for travel.

VISA

9.2 Visa, when needed, should be obtained from the Egyptian's Embassy or Consulate in the Country of Origin/Residence prior to departure for Egypt.

CUSTOMS

9.3 The following items may be brought into Egypt duty free:

Personal effects, such as necessary clothing 200 cigarettes or 250 gr. of cigars or tobacco 1 liter alcoholic beverages
Perfume for personal use

Additional quantities of the above items may also be purchased from Cairo Airport duty free shop after clearing customs.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

9.4 The main daily maximum and minimum temperatures for the month of August 40°C and 25°C.

10. CURRENCY, CREDIT CARDS AND BANKING SERVICES

- 10.1 The unit of currency in Egypt is the Egyptian Pound (L.E.), which in denominations of 100, 50, 20, 10, 5 and 1 L.E.
- 10.2 International Credit Cards, such as American Express, Diners Club, Visa, Master Charge, Carte Blanche, etc. are usually accepted at most hotels, department stores and restaurants.
- 10.3 All commercial banks exchange major foreign currencies and are open 0830-1400 hours Sundays through Thursdays.

11. OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

SHOPPING

11.1 Be prepared to bargain in small shops, sidewalk vendors etc. In large stores, however, the prices are fixed.

TAP WATER

11.2 It is recommended that all visitors drink only bottled water/beverages.

12. OTHER ASSISTANCE

12.1 The ICAO Regional Office will be glad to assist participants with any advice they may require.