## International Civil Aviation Organization



## THE DAILY BULLETIN

#### **ASSEMBLY - 36th SESSION**

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The ICAO Daily Bulletin, which will be issued early in the morning of each working day of the Assembly, will contain the schedule of meetings for the day of issue; a brief summary of the previous day's work of the Assembly; a calendar of social functions; and announcements of general interest.

#### Schedule of Meetings: Thursday, 20 September 2007

Fifth Plenary Meeting	0930 hours	Assembly Hall (Conference Rooms 1-2 4th floor of the Conference Centre)
Second Executive Committee	1430 hours	Conference Room 1 (4th floor of the Conference Centre)
Legal Commission	1430 hours	Conference Room 2 (4th floor of the Conference Centre)
Administrative Commission	1430 hours	Conference Room 3 (1st floor of the Conference Centre)

#### **EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE**

Monday - Friday 0900 - 1700 hours Extension 8212

The Medical Consultant's Office is located on the fourth floor of the Office Tower, Room 4.25, telephone extension 8212. A nurse will be on duty at that location from 0900 to 1700 hours for the duration of the Assembly. If an emergency occurs, and the nurse cannot be reached, the Social Security and Welfare Unit, also located on the fourth floor, Room 4.35.28, telephone extension 8236 or 8237, will take appropriate action to obtain medical assistance.

Participants seeking medical attention can obtain from their hotel management the location and telephone number of a doctor in their hotel or nearby.

The closest hospital to the ICAO premises is the McGill University Health Centre (Royal-Victoria Hospital), telephone (514) 934-1934.

Most hospitals have an emergency service open 24 hours a day.

Ambulance service may be obtained through a doctor or Urgences-Santé, telephone 911.

## **Building Security**

Security guards have strict instructions not to allow access to the ICAO premises to persons not wearing an ICAO Building Security Pass. The pass must be worn visibly at all times while on the premises.

The Assembly lapel badge, which is issued to each participant upon registration, will serve as building security pass and permits access to the Conference Centre and the office tower. Although special care should be taken not to lose these badges, registration personnel will provide replacements upon proper identification.

Security passes of a different colour will be issued to persons accompanying participants if they wish to attend meetings and social functions.

#### **Delegate/visitor access to Office Tower**

- 1) Please note that security will not allow any delegate into a conference room without a meeting badge.
- 2) In order to assist visitors (delegates and non-delegates), delegations should submit to Security via e-mail (security@icao.int or from delegations within the Headquarters by the ICAO site Security HQ) and cc to COS CONF on ICAO site, a list of all visitors expected at their delegation or the conference each day and should revise the list daily. Without such a list, Security will be required to phone delegations before allowing a visitor (not on the list) access to the Office Tower.

For any inquiries, please contact C/COS or BSO at extension 8227.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

#### Yesterday's meetings

## **First Executive Committee Meeting**

The Executive Committee opened its First Meeting in closed session at 0930 hours on Wednesday, 19 September, with the President of the Council presiding as temporary Chairman. The Committee considered Agenda Item 22 (Contributions in arrears) on the basis of WP/46 Revision No. 1 and Addenda Nos. 1 and 2 which provided information on the status of contributions in arrears and Contracting States for which voting privileges had been deemed suspended. In endorsing the action proposed, the Committee, inter alia, approved the draft Resolution in Appendix D to WP/46 Revision No. 1.

## **Third Plenary Meeting**

The Third Plenary was held immediately following the First Meeting of the Executive Committee which adjourned at 0955 hours. The Assembly approved the oral report presented by the

temporary Chairman of the Executive Committee on the Committee's consideration of Agenda Item 22. The temporary Chairman expressed appreciation to those States that had paid their annual contributions to ICAO promptly or without significant delay and to those States that had so far concluded agreements with ICAO to settle their arrears. Those States that had not yet done so were urged to enter into such agreements or to pay their arrears in full at the earliest possible date.

The remainder of the meeting was devoted to general statements delivered by the Delegations of Algeria, France, Niger, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Paraguay, Romania, the Russian Federation, Rwanda, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, and Trinidad and Tobago. A general statement was also delivered by the Chief Observer for the International Air Transport Association (IATA).

## **Fourth Plenary Meeting**

The Fourth Plenary Meeting was held on Wednesday afternoon, 19 September.

With regard to Agenda Item 4, and on the nomination of the Chief Delegate of Spain, seconded by the Chief Delegate of South Africa, the Assembly elected by acclamation Mr. Jeffrey N. Shane, Alternate Chief Delegate of the United States, as President of the Assembly.

As put forth by the Delegate of Australia, the following nominations for the posts of Vice-President were also approved by acclamation:

First Vice-President Mr. Kurt Larsen, Chief Delegate of Denmark

Second Vice-President H.E. Eng. Abdullah Muhammad Noor Rehaimi,

Chief Delegate of Saudi Arabia

Third Vice-President Mr. Raymundo Magno, Chief Delegate of Brazil

Fourth Vice-President Mr. Torrance Lewis, Chief Delegate of Jamaica

With regard to Agenda Item 6, on the nomination of the Delegate of China, the Assembly approved by acclamation the following nominations for Chairpersons of Commissions:

Technical Commission Mrs. Margaret Munyagi, Delegate of the

United Republic of Tanzania

Economic Commission Mr. R.K Singh, Delegate of India

Legal Commission Ms. Tan Siew Huay, Delegate of Singapore

Administrative Commission Dr. Emilia Chiavarelli, Alternate Chief Delegate

of Italy

The remainder of the meeting was devoted to general statements. These were delivered by the Delegations of Argentina, Bahrain, Botswana, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Ethiopia, Guinea, Japan, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela and Zimbabwe.

#### **Social Functions**

As a convenience to delegations, so that they may know the dates on which functions have been planned by various hosts, the Secretary General publishes the following list. It comprises only those functions which have been notified to his Office, and for which in each case **the host will extend individual invitations**, unless specified otherwise. This schedule is subject to change.

Thursday, 20 September 2007 Breakfast by the Delegation of Italy

Delegates' Lounge, 3rd Floor

0800-0930 hours

Reception by the Delegation of Egypt <sup>1)</sup>

Reception by the Delegation of Indonesia

Reception by the Delegation of Singapore <sup>2)</sup>

Reception by the Delegation of Tunisia 3)

Reception by the Delegation of the United States of America

Friday, 21 September 2007 Breakfast hosted by the Representatives of the Group of Latin

American and Caribbean Countries on the Council of ICAO:

Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Honduras, Mexico, Peru and

Saint Lucia

Breakfast by the International Air Transport Association (IATA)

Reception by the Delegation of Germany

Reception by the Delegations of Austria, Belgium, Ireland Luxembourg, Kingdom of the Netherlands and Switzerland

Reception by the Delegation of Malaysia 4)

Reception hosted jointly by the Delegations of Namibia

and South Africa

Reception by the Delegation of Saudi Arabia

Reception by the Delegation of the United Kingdom

Saturday, 22 September 2007 Reception by the Delegation of the Republic of Korea <sup>5)</sup>

Reception by the Delegation of Pakistan

Reception by the Delegation of the United Arab Emirates

Sunday, 23 September 2007 Reception by the Delegation of Indonesia

Monday, 24 September 2007 Breakfast by the Delegation of Malaysia

Reception by the Delegation of Ghana

Reception by the Delegation of France

Reception by the Delegation of Romania

Tuesday, 25 September 2007 Reception by Aviation Allied Business

Reception by NAFISAT

Delegations wishing to reserve dates for social functions or to make changes to the above list are requested to contact Mrs. Anna Mattei, Office of the Secretary General (ext. 8042).

**Notes:** <sup>1)</sup> All participants are invited to attend the Buffet-Lunch hosted by the Government of Egypt on Thursday, 20 September 2007 at 1230 hours in the Delegates' Lounge, 3rd Floor.

- <sup>2)</sup> All Delegates and their spouses are cordially invited to a Singapore Reception hosted by the Minister for Transport and Second Minister for Foreign Affairs, Singapore on Thursday, 20 September 2007 at 1900 hours in Le Parquet, Centre CDP Capital, 1001 Square Victoria (beside W Hotel behind the ICAO building)
- <sup>3)</sup> All participants are invited to attend the reception hosted by the Delegation of Tunisia on Thursday, 20 September 2007 from 1730 to 2000 hours at the Delta Centre-Ville Hotel, Salon Cartier A and B.
- <sup>4)</sup> All participants are invited to the reception hosted by the Minister of Transport of Malaysia on Friday, 21 September 2007 from 1900 to 2200 hours at the Delta Centre-Ville Hotel, Regence Ballroom.
- <sup>5)</sup>All participants are invited to attend the buffet-lunch hosted by the Government of the Republic of Korea on Saturday, 22 September 2007 at 1230 hours in the Grand Ballroom of the Delta Centre-Ville Hotel, 777 University St.

**Note:** Individual messages and invitations submitted to the Document Satellite for distribution should bear - in addition to the name - the addressee's State or Organization.

#### **Social Events**

**ICAO** has organized a programme of activities for persons accompanying participants to the Assembly. A copy of the programme was delivered to each participant registered with company, and extra copies are available at the Information Desk on the first floor of the Conference Centre.

In addition, attached to the ICAO Daily Bulletin, you will find a **PINK SHEET** entitled "2007 SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES" which is a summary of all the activities included in the programme. This schedule will be updated on a daily basis. We would therefore ask the delegates to please detach the pink sheet from the Daily Bulletin and have it over on a daily basis to their accompanying persons.

#### **ICAO Information Area**

Beginning Tuesday, 18 September 2007, the ICAO A36 Information Area will be open daily, through 27 September. You are invited to visit the information Area which is located in the Lobby of the Assembly Hall.

The Information Area is a unique opportunity for all Delegates to become better acquainted with the work being carried out by the Secretariat on behalf of the Organization's Contracting States. It is also a timely opportunity to meet Secretariat staff members to whom you can address your questions on all aspects of ICAO's work.

**20 September:** Air Navigation Bureau / Safety & Security Audits Branch

Gender Programme

21 September: Air Navigation Bureau / Implementation Support & Development Branch

Gender Programme

**24 September:** Technical Co-operation Bureau

Gender Programme

25 September: Air Navigation Bureau / Safety & Security Audits Branch

Gender Programme

**26 September:** Air Transport Bureau / Air Navigation Bureau

Gender Programme

**27 September:** *Technical Co-Operation Bureau* 

Gender Programme

#### **Computers**

Twenty computer workstations configured with most of the Microsoft Office tools, and two printers will be available at the Internet Café on the 4th floor of the Conference Centre near the escalators for participants who wish to access the Internet to use Web-based e-mail services.

#### **Telephones**

Long-distance telephone cards will be available for sale at the Staff Association Boutique. Telephones have been installed on the 1st floor of the Conference Centre, next to the Registration area and on the 4th floor of the Conference Centre, next to the Document Distribution area.

## **Assembly Documentation in Electronic Format**

#### ASSEMBLY DOCUMENTATION IN ELECTRONIC FORMAT

All Assembly documentation is available at www.icao.int/assembly36

For reference publications, go to <a href="https://www.icao.int/icaonet">www.icao.int/icaonet</a> ("Electronic publications"), using XXa36del as the access code

Delegates may contribute to the environment preservation and facilitate Assembly organization by using documentation in electronic format. All Assembly documentation is available on the ICAO public website (<a href="www.icao.int">www.icao.int</a>) and reference publications are accessible through the password-protected ICAO-NET (<a href="www.icao.int/icaonet">www.icao.int/icaonet</a>), under "Electronic publications". Computers and printers are available in the Internet Café located on the 4th floor of the Conference Block.

#### **Document Distribution**

The Document Distribution area is located on the 4th floor of the Conference Centre. Its hours of operation will be from 0830 to 1700 hours. Additionally, delegates are invited to note the information provided in the State Letter SA 36/3 - 07/28, Subject: Thirty-six Session of the Assembly, Montreal, 18 to 28 September 2007 that each delegation will receive a maximum of six sets of copies of Assembly documentation. Should an individual wish to obtain a specific paper, it will be possible to have it through the ICAO public web-site.

#### Announcements

## 1. List of Delegates

- 1.1 The first issue of the List of Delegates has been distributed on Wednesday, 19 September 2007. All amendments to the list should be notified to the Registration Desk.
- 1.2 For security reasons, the Montreal hotel/residence addresses of participants are not given on this list, but the document distribution box number is shown for ease of contact.

## 2. Minutes of Meetings

2.1 While every effort will be made to issue draft minutes as expeditiously as possible, it must be appreciated that working papers needed for meetings in progress have to be given priority over minutes. Therefore, at times of heavy workload delays may occur with the issue of draft minutes.

#### 3. Seating Arrangements – Commissions and Committees

- 3.1 Due to the room configuration and number of seats in each of the meeting rooms, the following seating arrangements will be in place for the meetings of the Executive Committee and Commissions.
- 3.2 Please note that the Assembly Hall on the 4th floor will be separated into:

Conference Room 1 located on 4th floor (Executive Committee)
Conference Room 2 located on 4th floor (Technical Commission – Legal Commission)

Conference Room 3 is located on the 1st floor across from the Registration area (Administrative Commission – Economic Commission)

Executive Committee
Conference Room 1 – 4th floor

One seat at the table per State One adviser seat behind

#### Technical Commission – Legal Commission Conference Room 2 – 4th floor

One seat at the table per State One adviser seat behind

**Observer Delegations – Conference 1 and 2.** As there are more observer delegations than available seats, it is requested that those observer delegations that wish to follow the proceeding for information purpose also make use of the 50 observer seats in the Observation Gallery immediately above the Conference Room on the 5th floor. Access can be gained by elevator No. 7 or No. 8 or by the stairs immediately in front of the Assembly Hall doors on the 4th floor.

Those delegations that have an agenda item or working papers, should advise the Committee or Commission accordingly. Observer delegation name plates will be placed in location when the observer is present and seating capacity permits.

## Administrative Commission – Economic Commission Conference Room 3 – 1st floor (across from the Registry area)

One seat per State at the table

The adviser and observer's seats are located on each side of the room. Some additional seats will be available at the back of the room as well.

- 3.3 Seating arrangements for subsequent meetings will be made in accordance with actual requirements and in due consideration for room seating capacity for all delegations.
- 3.4 Delegations are reminded that the microphone and call system are coordinated with the name plates and therefore, delegations are requested to advise the room attendant located at the back of the Hall for any need to adjust the location of a state name plate.

#### 4. Simultaneous interpretation equipment

4.1 Under the edge of the table you will find an audio control unit. The language selector dial gives you the choice of language:

Speaker	0	Russian	4
English	1	Chinese	5
French	2	Arabic	6
Spanish	3		

#### 5. Coffee Service

5.1 Coffee and soft drinks may be purchased outside the Assembly Hall on the fourth floor and the first floor of the Conference Centre during morning and afternoon recesses. In addition, sandwiches can be purchased at the lunch counter on the Café next to the 4th floor escalators and Internet Café Centre from 1200 to 1430 hours. Coupons for purchase of sandwiches and coffee will be on sale at the Welcome Desk.

#### **6.** Personal Belongings of Participants

6.1 Participants are advised that **documentation and other personal belongings must not be left in the conference rooms overnight.** 

- 6.2 Participants are kindly advised not to leave items/briefcases/parcels unattended at any time on the premises.
- 6.3 The Document Distribution Satellite, which is located on the fourth floor of the Conference Centre, is used exclusively for the distribution of Assembly documentation issued by ICAO. Due to space restrictions, documentation and other personal belongings of participants cannot be accepted for safekeeping or short-term storage.

## 7. Monitoring Exchange (MX) System

7.1 National Delegations with offices on the ICAO Headquarters premises can follow the proceedings of the Plenary of the Assembly meetings on the MX System by dialling the code numbers on their sets as follows:

	Assembly Hall
Speaker	11
Arabic	17
Chinese	16
English	12
French	13
Russian	15
Spanish	14

## 8. Early Departure of Participants

- 8.1 Members of Delegations and Observers who depart before the end of the Assembly are requested to notify the Document Distribution Satellite on the 4th floor of the Conference Centre.
- 8.2 **Early departure of an entire delegation** should be notified in writing to the Secretary General. Such notification may be deposited at the Distribution Satellite on the 4th floor of the Conference Centre or in the office of the Chief, Conference and Office Services Section, Room 4.10.

#### 9. Commissariat services

9.1 For the convenience of Delegations and Secretariat, the commissariat hours of operation during the Assembly will be as follows:

## First week:

Tuesday	18 September	1230 – 1400 hours 1630 – 1800 hours
Wednesday	19 September	same
Thursday	20 September	same

#### Second week:

Tuesday 25 September 1230 - 1400 hours

1630 - 1800 hours

Wednesday 26 September same

Thursday 27 September same

#### 10. Children daycare Services

10.1 Most hotels have arrangements for children daycare services.

#### **Staff Association Boutique**

We would like to invite you to visit our Boutique located on the first floor of the Conference Centre from 1200 to 1400 hours.

#### Special philatelic envelope

On the occasion of the 36th Session of ICAO Assembly, a special philatelic envelope will be issued as shown below, the postmark of which was prepared in cooperation with Canada Post Corporation.

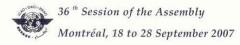
The postage stamp used on the envelope was one of the first new non-denominated stamps released by Canada Post on 16 November 2006. It bears a new icon, the letter "P" within a maple leaf; this icon indicates that the stamp is PERMANENT and valid indefinitely. The stamp features the striking spotted coralroot (Corallorhiza maculata). This member of the orchid family grows in deeply shaded, wooded areas from Newfoundland to British Columbia, and blossoms in mid-summer.

The cachet on the left-side reproduces the pure wool tapestry *Man in Flight* hanging behind the chair of the President in the ANC Chamber; it was donated to ICAO by Romania in 1976 and represents the winged mythological figure Icarus with the symbols of ICAO and the United Nations in the background of concentric curves that suggest the propagation of waves into space.

This exceptional cover can be purchased for Can \$3.00 from the Staff Association boutique, located at level A in the Conference Centre, during the Assembly.

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# ICAO WELCOME COMMITTEE - A36 2007 SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

**REGISTRATION:** dates given are deadline dates; however, we strongly recommend that you register as soon as possible

DATE AND TIME	ACTIVITY	HOSTESSES	COST Can. \$	DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION
<b>FRIDAY, 21 Sept.</b> 0745 to 1800 hours	A day in Mont- Tremblant	ICAO	\$ 60,00	Thursday, 20 September, 17:00 pm
<b>MONDAY, 24 Sept.</b> 0730 to 1900 hours	Day Tour of Quebec City and Outskirts	Government of Quebec	Nil	Thursday, 20 September, noon
WEDNESDAY, 26 Sept. 0730 to 1800 hours	Day Tour of Ottawa	Government of Canada through the Canadian Delegation in ICAO	Nil	Monday, 24 September, 17:00 pm

**INFORMATION DESK: 954-8219 ext. 7081**