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Subject:

Extended Diversion Time Operations (EDTO) Workshop

Dakar, Senegal, 4 – 8 November 2019

Action required: Register for participation by 28 October, 2019

Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to invite you to participate in the Extended Diversion Time Operations (EDTO) Workshop to be convened at the ICAO WACAF Regional Office, Dakar, from 4 to 8 November 2019.

The workshop will cover all aspects of EDTO authorizations and is aimed at both Flight Operations and Airworthiness oversight inspectors from the CAAs, in granting EDTO specific approvals and exercising oversight of EDTO, as well as technical pilots/managers of airlines who are considering commencing or increasing EDTO. In this regard you are invited to extend this invitation to airlines operators under your supervision. Due to the interactive nature of this workshop, space is limited to 40 participants, whose participation will be confirmed by ICAO.

The workshop is supported by leading industry experts in EDTO operations from both Boeing and Airbus and presents the latest information, based on the EDTO Manual (Doc 10085) which was published in 2017 to support the updated provisions in Annex 6, Part I, to the Convention on International Civil Aviation.

EDTO provisions were introduced into Annex 6 in Amendment 36 and represent the best practices and lessons learned from extended range operations by aeroplanes with two turbine engines (ETOPS). In addition to allowing for longer EDTO operations, the provisions included similar measures for aeroplanes with more than two turbine engines when operating beyond 60 minutes from an en-route alternate.

The working language of the workshop will be English, with simultaneous interpretation in French if sufficient participants of both languages provide timely registration. The workshop materials will be prepared in English only, but the EDTO Manual is available in French. An electronic copy will be provided to participants.

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You are kindly requested to complete and return the Registration Form at **Appendix B** by e-mail, as indicated in the form, for each participant by **28 October 2019**. Registration is limited to 40 participants and it will be confirmed on a first-come-first-served basis.

Prosper Zo'o Minto'o Regional Director

Attachments: - Appendix A: Provisional Workshop Programme

- Appendix B: Registration Form.