

**Virtual Workshop on the establishment of an effective Search and Rescue (SAR) organization  
8 - 9 October and 12 November 2020**

**PROVISIONAL WORK PROGRAMME**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Actors</b>
<b>Day One: 8 October 2020</b>		
10:30 – 11:00	Housekeeping Opening Ceremony	ICAO AFCAC
Session 1 11:00 – 13:00	<b>Presentations</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SAR Best Practices</li> <li>• Lomé Declaration and Action of Plan SAR High Level Conference</li> <li>• AFI SAR Targets and Performance Indicators</li> </ul>	ICAO AFCAC ICAO
<b>13:00 - 13:15</b>	<b>Short Break</b>	<b>All</b>
Session 2 13:15 - 14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2019 Edition of IAMSAR, Doc 9731</li> <li>• Global Aeronautical Distress and Safety System (GADSS)</li> <li>• ICAO and IMO Joint Working Group on SAR</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dave Edwards, USA</li> <li>• John Welton, ICAO</li> <li>• John Welton, ICAO</li> </ul>
<b>Day Two: 9 October 2020</b>		
Session 3 10:30 – 14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National SAR Committee</li> <li>• AFI SAR Gap Analysis Questionnaire</li> <li>• National SAR Plan and Standard Operating Procedures</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AFI SAR TET</li> <li>• AFI SAR TET</li> <li>• AFI SAR TET</li> </ul>
<b>13:00 - 13:15</b>	<b>Short Break</b>	<b>All</b>
13:15 - 14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SAR Document and Templates</li> <li>• SAR Organisation (Cabo Verde, South Africa, USA Coast Guard, France)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AFI SAT TET</li> </ul>
<b>12 October – 11 November 2020</b> <i>(National SAR Committees to work together internally to revise SAR documents )</i>		
	National SAR Committee Meetings to develop or review: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AFI SAR Gap Analysis Questionnaire</li> <li>• SAR Legislation and Regulations</li> <li>• National SAR Plans and Standard Operating Procedures</li> <li>• SAR Agreements and Memoranda of Understanding</li> <li>• SAR Exercise (SAREX) Planning</li> <li>• Overall SAR organisation</li> </ul> <p><i>Note: All States are expected to submit electronic copies of completed SAR gap analysis questionnaire, national SAR plans and Standard Operating Procedures and SAR agreements to the workshop on 12 November 2020.</i></p>	National SAR Committees

**12 November 2020**  
*(State presentation of SAR documents)*

Session 4 10:30 – 13:00	<p>Presentation of :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National SAR gap analysis report and plan of action</li> <li>• National SAR Plan and Standard Operating Procedures</li> <li>• Coordinated SAR Agreements and MoUs</li> <li>• Identification of States requiring specific assistance</li> </ul>	National SAR Committees / All
<b><i>13:00 - 13:15</i></b>	<b><i>Short Break</i></b>	<b><i>All</i></b>
Session 5 13:15 -14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Establishment of AFI SAR Team for the development of a harmonized AFI Regional SAR Plan</li> <li>• Preparations towards Interregional SAR workshop, 2021</li> <li>• Preparations for Multi-States SAR Exercises, 2021</li> <li>• Any Other Business</li> </ul>	All
<b>Closing Ceremony</b>		