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Subject:

Fourth Meeting of the Africa-Indian Ocean Regional Aviation Safety Group (RASG-AFI/4), (Nairobi, Kenya, from 12 to 13 October, 2017).

Action required: Confirmation of participation not later than 31 August, 2017.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to inform you that the Fourth Meeting of the Regional Aviation Safety Group for the Africa and Indian Ocean Region (RASG-AFI/4) will be held in Nairobi, Kenya, from 12 to 13 October, 2017 and your Administration/Organization is being invited to attend.

In line with the need for global coordination between RASGs and PIRGs, this Fourth Meeting of RASG-AFI will be preceded by the twenty-first meeting of the AFI Planning and Implementation Regional Group (APIRG/21) from 9 to 11 October, 2017 at the same venue.

The meeting will be conducted in the English and French Languages and the documentation in both languages will be posted on the ICAO public websites: <a href="http://www.icao.int/wacaf">http://www.icao.int/wacaf</a> and <a href="http://www.icao.int/esaf">http://www.icao.int/wacaf</a> and <a href="http://www.icao.int/esaf">http://www.icao.int/esaf</a>. The tentative Agenda, explanatory notes, the meeting venue and the Information Bulletin with a list of hotels, will be communicated to you in due course.

Amongst the issues to be discussed and considered for endorsement by both APIRG/21 and RASG-AFI/4, is the Abuja Safety Targets incorporating the Air Navigation Services Performance Indicators, which were revised by the Third Meeting of the Steering Committee of the Regional Aviation Safety Group for Africa-Indian Ocean (RASC/3) held in Dakar, Senegal, from 19 to 20 April, 2017.

Your Administration/Organization is kindly urged to actively participate in the deliberations of the RASG-AFI/4 Meeting. Those intending to make submissions on the items in the tentative agenda of the Meeting should ensure that the Papers reach the Secretariat by e-mail through the following address: <a href="mailto:icaowacaf@icao.int">icaowacaf@icao.int</a> and copied to <a href="mailto:icaoesaf@icao.int">icaoesaf@icao.int</a> not later than 31 August 2017, and preferably in both English and French languages. Working Papers received after the 31 August, 2017 will be distributed in the language in which they are received, without translation. No Working Papers will be distributed during the meeting. Participants are therefore advised to download these papers from the website indicated and bring along laptop computers and tablets to facilitate access to the meeting documentation.

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Kindly confirm your participation at your earliest convenience but not later than 31 August, 2017. Please complete the attached registration form to enroll the participants of your Administration/Organization by providing the relevant information through the email addresses provided above.

In anticipation of your confirmation, we look forward to working with you at RASG-AFI/4 for the improvement of aviation safety in the AFI Region.

Please accept, Sir/Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Mam Sait Jallow Regional Director, Secretary of RASG-AFI

Attachment: Registration Form