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Subject:

CAPSCA Africa Meeting (Mombasa, Kenya, 6 - 9 June 2023)

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to inform you that the ICAO Eastern and Southern African (ESAF) and ICAO, Western and Central African Office (WACAF) Regional Offices have planned a CAPSCA Africa meeting to be hosted by the Kenya Government from 6 to 9 June 2023 at Sarova White sands Beach Resort & Spa in Mombasa, Kenya.

The objective of the meeting is to evaluate and document the interventions that have been taken during the recent outbreaks of COVID-19, Ebola and Marburg virus on the African Continent. The meeting will also bring to the attention of the participants, the new developments that have taken place under the framework of CAPSCA including the new WHO and ICAO requirements related to Public Health in Aviation.

The participants will also be appraised on best practices that States and Organizations have embraced in dealing with public health related events. It is further anticipated that a continental Strategy to harmonise procedures for public health events at Airports as points of Entry will be developed. An Airport Assistance visit to Moi International Airport in Mombasa will also be conducted.

Your State/Administration/Organization is invited to nominate and facilitate participants who are involved in Public Health Emergency preparedness and planning and response at National level, Airports, Airlines and Civil Aviation Authorities.

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You are invited to send the list of nominees before 28 April 2023 to: ICAO ESAF Email: icaoesaf@icao.int and ICAO WACAF Email: icaowacaf@icao.int the Agenda, Information Bulletin and Nomination Form are hereby attached.

Your response to this request would be highly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

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Attachments: A: Agenda

B: Information BulletinC: Nomination Form

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