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**Subject: MID Region Search and Rescue Workshop  
(Cairo, Egypt, 6 – 7 May 2024)**

**Action Required: Reply not later than 1 May 2024**

Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to invite your Administration/Organization to participate in the MID Region Search and Rescue Workshop, which will be held at the **ICAO MID Office in Cairo**, Egypt, during the period **6 to 7 May 2024**. The main objective of the Workshop is to apprise participants about the global, regional developments related to Search and Rescue (SAR) and familiarize the participants with SAR operational aspects. The Workshop will offer an opportunity for experience sharing and to explore means of harmonized implementations of SAR services within the MID States.

The Provisional Agenda of the Workshop is at **Attachment A**. Administrative arrangements for the Workshop and other useful information for participants, including the MID Office Bulletin and the Hotel List are available on the ICAO MID Office website at: ([MID Office Bulletin \(icao.int\)](http://www.icao.int/mid)).

This letter, its relevant attachment and meeting documentation (as they become available) will be posted on the ICAO MID website at: [www.icao.int/mid](http://www.icao.int/mid).

Your Administration/Organization is encouraged to participate actively in the work of the Workshop by submitting presentations addressing SAR implementation in your State, including challenges, difficulties, and lessons learnt. For more effectiveness, I shall be grateful if you could ensure that your delegation consists of experts familiar with ICAO documentations and policies, having the required qualifications and experience in the fields of SAR. The attendance of your States' inspectorate, ANSP, and SAR providers to this meeting is highly encouraged.

I would appreciate if you could, as soon as possible, preferably not later than **1 May 2024**, confirm the participation of your Administration/Organization by completing the online Nomination Form at: <https://forms.office.com/r/FKzLE56rzd>.

Accept, Sir/Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.



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**MID REGION SEARCH AND RESCUE WORKSHOP**

*(MID Office, Cairo, Egypt, 6 – 7 May 2024)*

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

- Agenda Item 1:** Adoption of the Agenda
- Agenda Item 2:** ICAO provisions related to SAR (An. 12, Doc 9731, MID Doc 010)
- Agenda Item 3:** SAR Implementation status within the MID Region
- Agenda Item 4:** Sharing MID States' experience related to SAR
- Agenda Item 5:** Global Aeronautical Distress & Safety System (GADSS)
- Demonstration of the Location of an Aircraft in Distress Repository (LADR)
- Agenda Item 6:** USOAP CMA PQs related to SAR implementation
- Agenda Item 7:** Any other business

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