

NACC/DCA/3 – IP/01 International Civil Aviation Organization 15/08/08 North American, Central American and Caribbean Office Third Meeting of North American, Central American and Caribbean Directors of Civil Aviation (NACC/DCA/3) Punta Cana, Dominican Republic, 8-12 September 2008

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

(Presented by the Secretariat)

## 1. Venue and date of the event

1.1 The Third Meeting of North American, Central American and Caribbean Directors of Civil Aviation (NACC/DCA/3), will be held in the CENTRO DE CONVENCIONES BARCELO BAVARO.

2. Address and Coordinator of the Seminar

2.1 The CENTRO DE CONVENCIONES BARCELO BAVARO is located on:

Carretera Bávaro, Higuey, Complejo Barceló, Bávaro. Punta Cana, República Dominicana E-mail: bavaro.grupos3@barcelo.com

2.2 Mr. **Francisco Bolívar León Paulino**, Director of Air Navigation from CAA Dominican Republic is the Coordinator of the Seminar. He can be reached at telephone (809) 221-7909 Ext. 458/519, cell (809) 796-1566, Fax. (809)-221-2825 and e-mail: frankleon100@hotmail.com.

### 3. Registration of Participants

3.1 The registration of Meeting participants will take place on **8 September 2008**, from 08:30 to 09:00 hrs.

### 4. **Opening of the Event**

4.1 The opening session of the Meeting will take place on **8 September 2008**, at 09:00 hrs.

### 5. Temperature

5.1 In September, the temperature in Bavaro, Dominican Republic is expected to range from approximately  $28^{\circ}$  to  $32^{\circ}$  C.

# 6. Money Exchange

6.1 The national currency is the peso (RD\$). Currently the exchange rate is RD\$34.40 per USD \$1.00. It is advisable to exchange money in banks or exchange agencies.

## 7. Credit Cards

7.1 International credit cards usually accepted in hotels, shops and restaurants are: Visa, Diners, Master Card and American Express.

## 8. Lodging

8.1

Hotels suggested below will apply special rates to all participants in the Meeting.

HOTEL	SINGLE/DOUBLE ROOM
HOTEL BARCELO BAVARO PALACE	Single room US\$125.00
Carretera Bávaro, Higuey, Complejo Barceló, Bávaro.	Double room US\$96.00 p/p
E-mail: <u>bavaro.grupos3@barcelo.com</u>	All inclusive
HOTEL BARCELO BAVARO CARIBE	Single room US\$85.00
Carretera Bávaro, Higuey, Complejo Barceló, Bávaro.	Double room US\$65.00 p/p
E-mail: <u>bavaro.grupos3@barcelo.com</u>	All inclusive

8.2 The Dominican Republic CAA contact, who will assist delegates with hotel reservations: Ms. Mary Anna Percival Arias, Tel. (809) 221-7909 Ext.210, e-mail <u>merianpercival@hotmail.com</u>.

### 9. Hospitals

9.1 If necessary, the Clinic of the Complejo Barceló Bávaro is suggested.

# 10. Commercial Working Hours

- 10.1 From 09:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., approx.
- 11. Electricity
- 11.1 110 Volts/60Hz.
- 12. Airport Departure Tax
- 12.1 The airport departure tax is US\$20.00: (Some air tickets include the departure tax.)

# 13. Tax on Purchases and Tipping

13.1 Tax on all purchases is included in all prices. Furthermore, tips in restaurants are not included in the bills; therefore, it is recommended to consider a 10% tip.

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