

## China's Reservation Statement on the HLM-LTAG Outcome

Mr. Chair,

This delegation appreciates the efforts of the Chair assisted by the Secretariat, although we are completely dissatisfied with the HLM-LTAG outcome, which is not balanced and comprehensive.

Chair and dear colleagues, China has been engaged in the development of a green aviation and ready to communicate with all parties in the spirit of mutual respect and win-win cooperation, in accordance with the principles of equity, CBDR and respective capabilities.

It is our position that any ICAO LTAG would not be feasible without developed countries delivering their obligations and commitments under international laws by taking the lead in significantly reducing their aviation emissions and providing developing countries with adequate and public-funded support in technology transfer, financial resources and capacity building.

China maintains that the HLM-LTAG outcome goes beyond the mandate of the A40-18 Resolution and is not a comprehensive and balanced reflection of the delegations, and thus not an agreed text. This delegation has to file a formal reservation on the HLM-LTAG outcome. It

is requested that the Statement be also presented to the Council for its presentation of the Council's proposal to the 41<sup>st</sup> Session of the ICAO Assembly.