



Agenda Item 8: Other business

HISTORY OF THE MEETINGS OF CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITIES OF THE SOUTH AMERICAN REGION (RAAC)

(Presented by the Secretariat)

SUMMARY	
This information paper provides the Meeting with a summary on the background for the establishment of meetings of civil aviation authorities of the South American Region (RAAC).	
ICAO Strategic Objectives:	A - <i>Safety</i> C - <i>Environmental Protection and Sustainable Development of Air Transport</i>

1. Background

1.1 The ICAO Regional Office Manual (ROM), Edition 2004, Part 8 – *General guidelines for fostering implementation*, suggested as a special measure to encourage the provision of air navigation facilities and services and the implementation of the standards and practices recommended, either recommended or established as per the civil aviation convention, to hold a meetings of Directors of Civil Aviation to discuss civil aviation matters of mutual concern

1.2 The current ROM, Edition 2010, suggests the conduct of meetings with the fundamental aim of providing States with a forum to discuss regional or interregional international civil aviation needs.

1.3 In this regard, note should be taken that the meetings of civil aviation authorities of the South American Region (RAAC) enable a direct exchange of concepts between the civil aviation authorities of this Region, as well as a personal contact among its directors, to facilitate the decision taking and the solution of common problems.

1.4 These types of meetings also have the aim of accelerating the implementation of the strategic plan approved by the ICAO Assembly, and join efforts among State members in the search for better solutions to common problems as regards safety, security and environmental protection and sustainable development of air transport.

1.5 The conclusions reached at these meetings deal with important topics, such as those related with the means to be applied to increase the level of collaboration between the civil aviation administrations and ICAO, represented by the South American Regional Office.

1.6 Hereunder, information is presented on the history of meetings of Civil Aviation Authorities.

2. **Background**

Civil Aviation Authorities Conference of the South American Region (Lima, Peru, 1-5 October 1973)

2.1 This Conference permitted examining the status of application in the SAM Region of the various ICAO programmes in the air navigation, air transport and technical cooperation fields and, at the same time, enabled that the SAM States civil aviation authorities achieve an ample and current vision on the general situation of the air navigation and air transport facilities and services in the SAM Region.

2.2 The Conference expressed it would be highly desirable that similar conferences be carried out in the future, at times when the States of the Region deemed it convenient and in consultation with the ICAO Regional Office.

2.3 It remained clearly established that civil aviation authorities conferences similar to the present one, to deal with regional subjects within the sphere of competence of ICAO, achieve specific functions and objectives and that there should never be parallelism or overlapping with the activities that a regional organization might develop.

Civil Aviation Authorities Meeting (AAC/1) (Lima, Peru, 11-15 April 1983)

2.4 The meeting was informed of the functions corresponding to the ICAO Regional Offices in the air navigation field, as one of the means established to develop aspects pertinent to the ICAO objectives, defined in Article 44 of the ICAO Convention and, more specifically, on the responsibilities of the Regional Offices in keeping a continuous link with States to which they are accredited, as well as other international organizations in the Region, with the aim of regionally promoting the implementation of policies, decisions and standards and practices adopted by ICAO.

2.5 The Authorities Meeting considered that this event had enabled an appropriate exchange at the highest level possible of points of view on matters of utmost importance and of high priority in the Region, and congratulated the ICAO Regional Office for carrying out this idea. At the same time, it deemed convenient that another meeting of this type be conducted again in a period no greater than three years, requesting the ICAO Regional Office to act as coordinator for same.

Fourth Meeting of the Civil Aviation Authorities of the SAM Region (RAAC/4) (Santiago, Chile, 22-24 March 1994)

2.6 At this meeting, proposal was made to hold RAAC meetings every two years, receiving total consent from the participants.

Meetings of the Civil Aviation Authorities (RAAC)

RAAC/1	Lima, Peru, 11-15 April 1983
RAAC/2	Lima, Peru, May 1985
RAAC/3	Lima, Peru, 6-8 April 1987
RAAC/4	Santiago, Chile, 22-24 March 1994
RAAC/5	Cusco, Peru, 5-7 June 1996
RAAC/6	Panamá, Panamá, 18-20 August 1999
RAAC/7	Salvador, Bahía, Brazil, 1-3 July 2002
RAAC/8	Buenos Aires, Argentina, 23-25 April 2003

RAAC/9	Santiago, Chile, 18-20 April 2005
RAAC/10	Caracas, Venezuela, 13-15 June 2007
RAAC/11	Santiago, Chile, 6-8 May 2009
RAAC/12	Lima, Peru, 3-6 October 2011.

2.7 **Appendix A** to this information paper includes a list of States and representatives participating in each of the meetings.

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APPENDIX A

STATES AND PARTICIPANTS AT MEETINGS OF CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITIES OF THE SOUTH AMERICAN REGION (RAAC)

RAAC/1

Argentina	Héctor René Roy Raúl Pérez
Bolivia	Fernando Sánchez Peña Enrique Garrón Ruiz
Brazil	Marcio Nobrega de Ayrosa Moreira Adyr da Silva José Edison da Silva Faria Paulo Imre Hegedus
Chile	Nelson Sepúlveda Brito Jorge Villa Gallardo José García Moreno Jose Claudio Bogolasky
Colombia	Juan Guillermo Penagos Estrada Julio Otálora Merchan
Ecuador	Armando Durán Núñez Oswaldo Acosta Dávila
France	Claude Probst Charles Andrani Paul Leparroux
Paraguay	Víctor R. Basualdo Arnaldo Soler Francisco Torres Artemio Duarte
Peru	Luis Quiñones Dávila Dosíteo Aliaga Zagarra Ricardo Rodrigo Marticorena García Gonzalo Torres Hernández Julian Palacín Fernández
Suriname	John Henry Veira Mahome Shahied Ishaak
Uruguay	Wilder Jackshon Horacio Pintos
IATA	Enrique Echave Antonio Orús
ICAO	Rafael Henríquez Theran Enrique Esteban Valentín Rodrigo José Maria Gabrielli Jorge Sánchez Luiz Ramos Alvaro Reyes Henri Lesné Carlos Pinillos Ricardo Sesma

RAAC/3

Argentina	Hugo Liernur Carlos Horacio González
Bolivia	Héctor Caballero Walter Hoz de Vila Antonio Lira
Brazil	José Edison da Silva Faria Julio Bezerra Filho Marcio Márques Soarers
Chile	Jorge Poblete Lara Carlos Morales Durán
Colombia	Yezid Castaño González Diego Pardo Tovar Leonardo Ronderos
Ecuador	Carlos Puga Russo Oswaldo Acosta
France	Dominique David Charles Andreani
Panama	Miguel Von Seidlitz Robinson Urriola
Peru	Luis Arroyo Jaime Percy Ballivian Marco González Perriggo Julio Ferradas Platas Max de la Fuente Luz Helena García Nuñez Carlos Pajares Víctor Fernandez Penadillo Manuel Quijandría Lengua
Uruguay	Julio C. Loureiro Víctor Balbi Eduardo Lepere Graciela Balardini Diego Gil
Venezuela	José Antonio Rodríguez Pérez José Reinaldo Bolívar José Antonio Rudas Fernando Prato
IATA	Enrique Echave Roberto V. de Aquino José Castellanos Jorge Rodríguez Nogueras
IFALPA	Luis Angelini

RAAC/3

ICAO	Rafael Henríquez Theran Enrique Esteban Alvaro Reyes Alfredo Díaz López Carlos Pinillos Norberto Ferrari Carlos Stehli Anibal Saraiva José Maria Gabrielli Jorge Castro Roberto Jean Francois Marina Donato Federico Casanovas
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Brasil	Renato Claudio costa Pereira Mayron dos Santos Pereira Washington Carlos de Campos Machado Sergio Joao Galhardo
Chile	Raúl Tapia Esdale José Manuel Sánchez Cvitanic Patricio Campos Montecinos Michael Fontaine Fraser
Colombia	Fernando Alvarez Morales
Ecuador	Hernán Quiróz C. Jorge Bourgeat L.
United States	David Hinson Anthony Broderick Joan Bauerlein Santiago Garcia Ray Salazar Barry Valentine Victor Tamariz Lynn Jensen
France	Maurice Jullien Daniel Madiot
Panamá	Zósimo Guardia Varela Paulette Peterkins Andrés Barahona Jaime Tapia Acuña Germinal Sarasqueta Lilian Ayala
Paraguay	Ramón D. Guerra Arnaldo Costa
Peru	Juan Burga Bartra Julio López Palacios Carlos Luque Hidalgo
Uruguay	Ramírez González
Venezuela	Licio Piccoli

RAAC/4

IATA	Juan Ramón Galán Al Castan
ICAO	Philippe Rochat Paulo Imre Hegedus José Miguel Ceppi Judimar das Chagas

RAAC/5

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Brazil	Joao Felipe Sampaio de Lacerda Jr. Renato Claudio Costa Pereira Normando Araújo de Medeiros Florianio Machado Fernandes da Silva
Chile	Gonzalo Miranda Aguirre José Manuel Sánchez Cvitanic
Colombia	Jorge Enrique Parga Germán Duarte
Ecuador	Carlos Puga Russo Carlos Sáenz Merizalde
United States	Barry Valentine Joan Bauerlein Victor H. Tamariz Santiago Garcia Drazen Gardilcic
France	Alain Tacquin Raymond Dupont
Panamá	Eustacio Fábrega Germinal Sarasqueta
Paraguay	Roberto Vera Ortega Luis Ramón Acosta
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IATA	Al Castan Peter Hernández Manuel Hugonnet Susana Mantilla Michael Ramírez Janin
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RAAC/6

Argentina	Carlos Maffeis Cristobal Villegas Gustavo Donisa
Bolivia	Orlando Montoya Koester
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Chile	José Manuel Sánchez Cvitanic
Colombia	Ernesto Huertas Escallón Héctor Hernán Rios Ospina Alberto Muñoz Gómez
Ecuador	Oswaldo Domínguez Wilson Salgado Patricia Coronel González
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France	Raymond Dupont
Guyana	Dennis A. Daniel
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Paraguay	Augusto Fúster Colunga Ceferino Farías Servín Candido A. Méndez Hernán Jhonny Colman
Peru	José Luis Harmes Bouroncle Carlos Antonioli Delucchi Alan Portugal Hidalgo José Moreno Mestanza Miguel Takahashi Shimizu Ricardo La Puente
Suriname	John Veira

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LACAC	Marco Ospina
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ICAO	Renato Claudio Costa Pereira Paulo Imre Hegedus José Miguel Ceppi Onofrio Smarrelli

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Ecuador	Edmundo Baquero M. Nelson Guim Marcelo Serrano Ivan Salas
United States	Louise Maillett Joaquin Archilla Mark Ríos Carey Fagan Hector Vela Drazen Gardilicic
France	Daniel Gerard Roger Gabriel Prudent
Paraguay	Francisco Zarza Ceferino Farias Servin
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LACAC	Marco Ospina Yepéz

RAAC/7

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RAAC/8

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RAAC/9

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Ecuador	Raúl Bonilla
United States	Marion Blakey David Mandell Joaquin Archilla Mark Ríos Carey Fagan Michael Daniel Javier Rodríguez David Tiedge Cindy Eickhoff
Panamá	Tomás Paredes Ricardo García de Paredes
Paraguay	Tomás Bittar Jesús César Ríos Aurora Torres Nelson Mendoza Hernán Colman
Peru	Roberto Rodríguez Galloso
Uruguay	José L. Vilardo Jesús Jorge Iglesias Villos Luis G. Giorrello Sancho Carlos Rodríguez Brianza Luis Alvariza Igarzábal
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Colombia	Fernando Sanclemente Alzate Carlos Julio Gaitán G. Hatem Dasuky
United States	Phyllis Preston Krista Berquist Sharon Wallooppillai James R. White Melvin Cintron Dawn Veatch Monica Nemecek Kurt Edwards
Panamá	Eustacio Fábrega
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Uruguay	Daniel Olmedo Jesús Jorge Iglesias Villos
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