



International Civil Aviation Organization
Jamaica Civil Aviation Authority
**CAR/SAM Regional Bird/Wildlife Hazard
Prevention Committee Meeting & Conference**
Montego Bay, Jamaica, 22-26 October 2012



GENERAL INFORMATION

(Presented by the Secretariat)

1. Venue and Dates

The ICAO CAR/SAM Regional Bird/Wildlife Hazard Prevention Committee Meeting & Conference will take place in Montego Bay, Jamaica, from 22 to 26 October 2012, at the Iberostar Suites.

2. Address and contact numbers

Hotel Iberostar Suites
Branch Developments Rose Hall Main Road
Little River St. James
Jamaica
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3. Temperature

During the month of October, the temperature in Jamaica ranges from 25°C (76.8°F) to 30°C (87°F). The average humidity is 73.2%.

4. Money exchange

The Jamaican dollar is the national currency (\$1.00 USD- \$86.00, approximately). Preferably, after your arrival you may exchange currency at local banks at the airport or in the city.

5. Credit cards

The international credit cards usually accepted in shopping centres, hotels and restaurants are: American Express (AMEX), Master Card and Visa.

6. Lodging

The suggested hotels, for all participants (*make booking directly not ONLINE to obtain rate*), are the following:

Hotel	Single/Double Room
IBEROSTAR Rose Hall Beach and Spa Resort Address: 1651 Rose Hall Main Road, Montego Bay Tel.: +1 876 680-0000 Fax: +1 876 953-8019 E-mail: groups1@iberostar.com.jm Web: www.iberostar.com	USD\$ Single Double Suites \$165.00 \$240.00 <i>This is an All-Inclusive Hotel. Rates include Taxes and service charges. There is nightly entertainment on this property</i> Contact: Mrs. Tamika Higgins Baker <i>Note: A minimum of 10 rooms is required to get quoted rates. Preferred Hotel</i>
Hilton Rose Hall Resort & Spa Address: Lilliput, Rose Hall Tel.: +1 876 944-3997 Fax: +1 876 944-0942 E-mail: jhenry@luxuryresorts.com Web: www.rosehallresort.com	USD\$ Single Double \$179.00 \$242.00 <i>This is an All-Inclusive Hotel. Rates include Taxes and service charges</i> Contact: Ms. Jacqui Henry <i>Note: A minimum of 10 rooms is required to get quoted rates.</i>
Ritz-Carlton Golf & Spa Resort Address: Rose Hall, Montego bay Tel.: +1 876 953-2800 Fax: +1 876 684-0097 E-mail: janice.laing@ritzcarlton.com Web: www.ritzcarlton.com	USD\$ Single Double Garden View: \$ 224.00 \$304.00 <i>This is an All-Inclusive Hotel. Rates Include all taxes.</i> Make booking directly. Contact: Ms. Marsha Cogle <i>Note: A minimum of 10 rooms is required to get quoted rates</i>
WEXFORD HOTEL Address: 39 Gloucester Avenue, Montego Bay Tel.: +1 876 952-2854 Fax: +1 876 952-6714 E-mail: reservations@thewexfordhotel.com Contact: Ms. Paula Knott Web: www.thewexfordhotel.com	USD\$ Single Double Standard: \$ 101.20 \$114.00 <i>Rate includes all taxes and Full Jamaican Breakfast (this is NOT an all-inclusive hotel)</i> Approx. 20 Minutes from meeting venue

7. Transportation

Transportation will be provided to the Meeting Venue daily. Bookings are to be made as early as possible as room allocation will be subject to availability due to high occupancy at that time. **Please advise the JCAA Coordinator of the hotel chosen so that pick up may be arranged.**

8. Local Transportation

The recommended methods of transportation are taxis.

9. Hospitals

If necessary, emergency services are available, for more information call:

Cornwall Regional Hospital:

Mount Salem, Montego Bay
Telephone: +1 876 971-4816

Montego Bay Hospital and Urology Centre:

Mount Salem Main Rd. Montego Bay
Telephone: +1 876 952-1991

10. Commercial working hours

In the City from 08:30 to 17:00 hours approximately.
Banks, Monday to Thursday 08:30 to 14:00 and from 08:30 to 16:00 hours on a Friday.
In malls/shopping centres from 09:00 to 18:00 hours approximately.

11. Electricity

120 and 220 volts are the hotel standard. If higher voltage is required, please request information at hotel registration.

12. Visa

To be verified at embassies and consulates in respective States.

13. Others

Tax charged to purchases is 17.5% and indicated as “inclusive” if already included in consumer prices. Tips in restaurants and related places are normally included in the bills. If not, then they are at your discretion. However, 10-15% is the norm.

The Airport departure tax is approximately US\$20.00