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To: Mr. Jean-Michel Boivin, Regional Director of Civil Aviation, West Indies and French Guiana
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ICAORD, Mexico (for re-transmission to States of your Region)

Subject: **Invitation to the Second Meeting of the Programmes and Projects Review Committee (PPRC/2) of GREPECAS**
(Lima, Peru, 16 to 18 July 2013)

Action
required: **Please reply by 3 June 2013 regarding your participation, comments to the Agenda and presentation of working papers and informative papers**

Dear Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to inform you that the Second Meeting of the Programmes and Projects Review Committee (PPRC/2) of GREPECAS will be convened in Lima, Peru (ICAO South American Regional Office) from 16 to 18 July 2013.

The main objective of this meeting is to analyse the improvement in the implementation of the programmes approved by GREPECAS/16 (Decisions 16/45 and 16/47), the inclusion and/or cancellation of programmes and projects, the approval of the results of programmes and projects, the revision of air navigation deficiencies of high risk safety without being resolved, the revision of the status implementation of the current conclusions and decisions in force of the First Meeting of the Programmes and Projects Review Committee (PPRC/1), the results of the Twelfth Air Navigation Conference (AN-Conf/12) and the inclusion of Aviation System Block Upgrades (ASBU) in the programmes and projects.

The meeting is being addressed to professionals with planning experience on air navigation services of the Civil Aviation Authorities of the CAR/SAM Regions selected as members of the PPRC¹; as well States and International Organizations interested in the agenda items of the PPRC/2 Meeting.

In this sense, enclosed please find the Draft Agenda and the concerning Explanatory Notes (**Attachment A**). The Meeting will be conducted in English and Spanish with simultaneous interpretation. I would be grateful to receive your comments on this regard as well as whether you wish to submit any Working and/or Information Paper(s) for the meeting. If this is the case, I would ask you to send your documentation to this Office by 3 June 2013 in order to allow its timely translation. If the documentation is presented in both languages, the deadline is 14 June 2013. Working Papers may not be accepted after 14 June 2013. All information papers will be presented in their original language only, unless translated versions are provided by the originators of such papers.

Furthermore, I would very much appreciate your confirming as soon as possible or in any case not later than 3 June 2013, the participation of your Administration at the meeting, by returning the attached Registration Form (**Attachment B**).

On this regard, all the documentation that will be used as working material for the aforementioned meeting will soon be posted at the Lima web page, at the following address: <http://www.lima.icao.int>. Please be aware as well, that all documentation is published in pdf format. I would appreciate you taking into consideration that the aforementioned documentation will not be printed nor distributed at the Meeting by this Regional Office. The interested persons may obtain it directly on the website. Should you have any difficulty in obtaining the required documentation through this procedure, I would very much appreciate your contacting this Regional Office, in a timely manner, in order to be able to provide the necessary guidance.

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



Enclosure

As indicated

cc: Mr. Olivier Jouans, Regional Director of ATM services, West Indies and French Guiana
Mrs. Thelma Douglas Pinas, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Transport, Communication and Tourism, Suriname
Mr. Robby Venlo, acting Director of Civil Aviation, Suriname
Mr. Brian De Souza, acting Director, CASAS, Suriname

¹The Member States for the CAR Region (Central American State selected by COCESNA Executive Committee (in rotation) Cuba, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Jamaica, Mexico, Trinidad & Tobago and United States) were defined in the Fourth Meeting of Civil Aviation Directors of North America, Central America and the Caribbean (NACC/DCA/4, held at San Pedro de Sula, Honduras, 20-24 June 2011, under Conclusion 4/1, the Member States of the SAM Region (Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Panama, Paraguay and Venezuela) were ratified at the Twelfth Meeting of Civil Aviation Authorities of the SAM Region (RAAC/12), which was held in Lima, Peru, from 3 to 6 October 2011, paragraph 2.3.5 of the Final Report.

**SECOND MEETING OF THE PROGRAMMES AND PROJECTS REVIEW
COMMITTEE (PPRC/2)
(Lima, Peru, from 16 to 18 July 2013)**

DRAFT AGENDA

Agenda Item 1: Follow-up status of GREPECAS and PPRC conclusions and decisions in force and air navigation deficiencies in the CAR/SAM Regions with “U” priority

- 1.1 Review of the status of implementation of PPRC/1 conclusions and decisions in force
- 1.2 Review of the status of implementation of the GREPECAS conclusions and decisions in force
- 1.3 Status of air navigation deficiencies in the CAR/SAM Regions with “U” priority

Agenda Item 2 Air navigation activities at global and inter-regional level

- 2.1 Result of the PIRG AND RASG Global Coordination Meeting
- 2.2 Results of the Twelfth Air Navigation Conference
- 2.3 RASG coordination matters

Agenda Item 3: Review of the GREPECAS’ Programmes and Projects

- 3.1 Projects under the PBN Programme
- 3.2 Projects under the ATFM Programme
- 3.3 Projects under the Automation and ATM Situational Awareness Programme
- 3.4 Projects under the Ground-ground and Air-ground Telecommunications Infrastructure Programme
- 3.5 Projects of the Aerodromes Programme
- 3.6 Projects of the AIM Programme
- 3.7 Projects under the Aeronautical Meteorology Programme

Agenda Item 4: Items related with the organization of GREPECAS

- 4.1 Review of GREPECAS terms of reference and work programmes
- 4.2 GREPECAS annual report

Agenda Item 5: Other business

**EXPLANATORY NOTES OF THE AGENDA FOR SECOND MEETING OF THE
PROGRAMMES AND PROJECTS REVIEW COMMITTEE (PPRC/2)**

Agenda Item 1: Follow-up status of GREPECAS and PPRC conclusions and decisions in force and air navigation deficiencies in the CAR/SAM Regions with “U” priority

1.1 Review of the status of implementation of PPRC/1 conclusions and decisions in force

Under this agenda item, the Meeting will review the status of conclusions and decisions of the First Meeting of the Programmes and Projects Review Committee (PPRC/1), held in Mexico City, Mexico, from 25 to 27 April 2012, and take the appropriate measures in this respect.

1.2 Review of the status of implementation of the GREPECAS conclusions and decisions in force

Under this agenda item, the Meeting will review the status of implementation of the GREPECAS conclusions and decisions in force.

1.3 Status of air navigation deficiencies in the CAR/SAM Regions with “U” priority

Under this agenda item, the Meeting will examine the current status of air navigation deficiencies with "U" priority. Likewise, the Meeting will carry out a follow-up on the application on the new methodology for the identification, assessment and reporting of air navigation deficiencies approved by GREPECAS/16 (Conclusion 16/43) and actions to improve the processing of air navigation deficiencies (PPRC/1 Meeting - Conclusion 1/1).

Agenda Item 2: Air navigation activities at global and inter-regional level

2.1 Result of the PIRG and RASG Global Coordination Meeting

Under this agenda item, the Meeting will discuss the results of the Planning and Implementation Regional Groups (PIRGs) and Regional Aviation Safety Groups (RASGs) Coordination Meeting held in Montreal, Canada, 19 March 2013, with the participation of the Secretaries, Presidents of the PIRGs and RASGs, the President of ICAO Council, Secretary General and the Air Navigation Director.

2.2 Results of the Twelfth Air Navigation Conference

The Meeting will discuss the results of the Twelfth Air Navigation Conference (AN-Conf/12), held in Montreal, Canada, from 19 to 30 November 2012. Among the most important aspects of the AN-Conf/12 is the presentation of the draft fourth edition of the Global Air Navigation Plan (GANP) which includes the Aviation System Block Upgrades (ASBU) and the technology roadmaps, as well as guidelines for their regional and States implementation.

2.3 RASG Coordination matters

The Meeting will discuss the development of the RASG-PA related to air navigation systems in the CAR/SAM Regions.

Agenda Item 3: Review of the GREPECAS' programmes and projects GREPECAS

3.1 Projects under the PBN Programme

3.2 Projects under the ATFM Programme

3.3 Projects under the Automation and ATM Situational Awareness Programme

3.4 Projects under the Ground-ground and Air-ground Telecommunications Infrastructure Programme

3.5 Projects of the Aerodromes Programme

3.6 Projects of the AIM Programme

3.7 Projects under the Aeronautical Meteorology Programme

The Meeting will review and approve the Projects planning, progress and implementation of each of the GREPECAS Programmes, taking into account the remarks of PPRC/1 meeting, as well as the Projects Updating with modules for ASBU Block 0 (Aviation System Block Upgrades) approved at AN-Conf/12, as well as the inclusion of regional performance metrics and goals.

Agenda Item 4 : Items related with the organization of the Programmes and Projects Review Committee

4.1 Review of GREPECAS terms of reference and work programmes

The Meeting will review the terms of reference and work programme of the PPRC, based on the progress made in the implementation of the Projects activities, as well as the considerations referred to in the GANP, fourth edition.

4.2 GREPECAS annual report

Under this agenda item, the Meeting will review the GREPECAS Annual Report, which will be sent to the ICAO Air Navigation Commission (ANC) for its revision. The GREPECAS Annual Report will contribute to the elaboration of the first Air Navigation Annual Report, programmed to be published in March 2014.

Agenda Item 5: Other business

Under this agenda item, the Meeting will examine any other issue that may not be addressed under the preceding agenda items.



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**SECOND MEETING OF THE PROGRAMMES AND PROJECTS REVIEW
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SEGUNDA REUNIÓN DEL COMITÉ DE REVISIÓN DE PROGRAMAS Y
PROYECTOS (CRPP/2)**

(Lima, Peru, 16- 18 July 2013) / (Lima, Perú, 16 al 18 de julio de 2013)

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