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Dr. Fang Liu  
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Dear Dr. Liu,

**Re: Guyana's participation in the Pilot Phase of the Carbon Offsetting and Reduction Scheme for International Aviation (CORSA)**


I am pleased to inform you that Guyana through the Guyana Civil Aviation Authority will be participating in the Pilot Phase of the Carbon Offsetting and Reduction Scheme for International Aviation (CORSA) which commences in 2021.

The participation of Guyana as a small State in the Pilot Phase will help ICAO and other stakeholders to better understand the experience of small States in the CORSA. Notwithstanding this, Guyana remains committed to the reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from aviation related activities.

By this letter, I am also requesting technical assistance from ICAO to ensure Guyana's preparedness for the 2021 timeline.

Please accept, Madam, the highest assurances of my consideration.

Yours sincerely,

  
Lt. Col. (Rt'd.) Egbert Field  
Director General  
Guyana Civil Aviation Authority

