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Subject: Future Skies of Africa: SWIM and FF-ICE implementation Workshop – Entebbe Uganda - from 2 - 4 December 2025

Action required: Please confirm your participation preferably by 15 November 2025

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to invite your Administration/Organization to participate in the ICAO/CANSO Future Skies of Africa Workshop on the implementation of System Wide Information Management (SWIM) and Flight and Flow Information for a Collaborative Environment (FF-ICE) scheduled to take place from 2 to 4 December 2025 in Entebbe, the Republic of Uganda. The workshop is hosted in partnership with the Civil Air Navigation Services Organisation (CANSO) and the Uganda Civil Aviation Authority (UCAA).

The workshop which is part of the continued awareness that ICAO is providing in the region to build capacity at the State level on the fundamentals of the aviation system block upgrades (ASBU) as mandated by APIRG/26 Conclusion 26/27, support to AASPG Activities, aims to provide the foundational awareness of this ASBU Model. It will set the future vision for Africa's skies and demonstrate how SWIM and FF-ICE as digital enablers can deliver that vision.

The target participants to the workshop include technical experts from the civil aviation authorities (CAAs), the air navigation service providers (ANSPs), the airports service providers, the metrological authorities, Military authorities and other experts and stakeholders associated with implementation of the ASBU elements. Your Administration/Organization is kindly invited to ensure the participation of appropriate candidates who will enable enhanced implementation at State level. Participants should confirm attendance by registering through the following link, not later than 15 November 2025:

https://events.icao.int/event-details?campaignID=48096D2C-90A3-F011-813D-6045BDCD3FB8

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## **Attachment:**

- Proposed Agenda and Order of Business