ICAO Action

This safety recommendation suggests that ICAO require all company communications with the aircraft (operations office, technical base/stations and airport stations) to be recorded. According to ICAO Annex 6 – *Operation of Aircraft*, Part I, paragraph 6.3.7.1, all aeroplanes of a maximum take-off mass of over 5700 kg shall be equipped with a cockpit voice recorder (CVR). Therefore, it is considered that aural communications with the aircraft are already recorded through the existing CVR.