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CHINA – KYRGYZ, CHINA – TAJIKISTAN, CHINA – KAZAKHSTAN SAR AGREEMENT

(Presented by China)

SUMMARY

This paper presents information on new SAR Agreements between China and Kyrgyz, China and Tajikistan separately.

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1. China has signed inter-governmental civil aircraft search and rescue agreements with countries including Russia, Mongolia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz and Tajikistan. For the next step, China will continue to seek the signing of such agreements with other neighboring countries.

1.2. CAAC has always been committed to the Convention on International Civil Aviation, and will continue to do so, to create an enabling environment for cooperation to support China's civil aviation operation around the world.

2. DISCUSSION

2.1 In May 2023, China and Kyrgyz signed the Agreement between the Government of the People's Republic of China and the Cabinet of Ministers of the Kyrgyz Republic on Cooperation for Aeronautical Search and Rescue of Civil Aircraft at the China-Central Asia Summit in Xian.

2.2 In May 2023, China and Tajikistan signed the Agreement Between the Government of the People's Republic of China and the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan on Cooperation for Aeronautical Search and Rescue of Civil Aircraft at the China-Central Asia Summit in Xian.

2.3 On 11 September 2019, China and Kazakhstan signed the Agreement between the Government of the People's Republic of China and the Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan on Civil Aircraft Search and Rescue. On 12 January 2023, Kazakhstan Parliament passed the bill on approval of civil aircraft search and rescue agreement signed with China. .

3. ACTION BY THE MEETING

3.1 The meeting is invited to note the information contained in this paper.

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