

# Enhancing Regional Capacity in Partnership

Overview of FAA's work in Asia Pacific Region

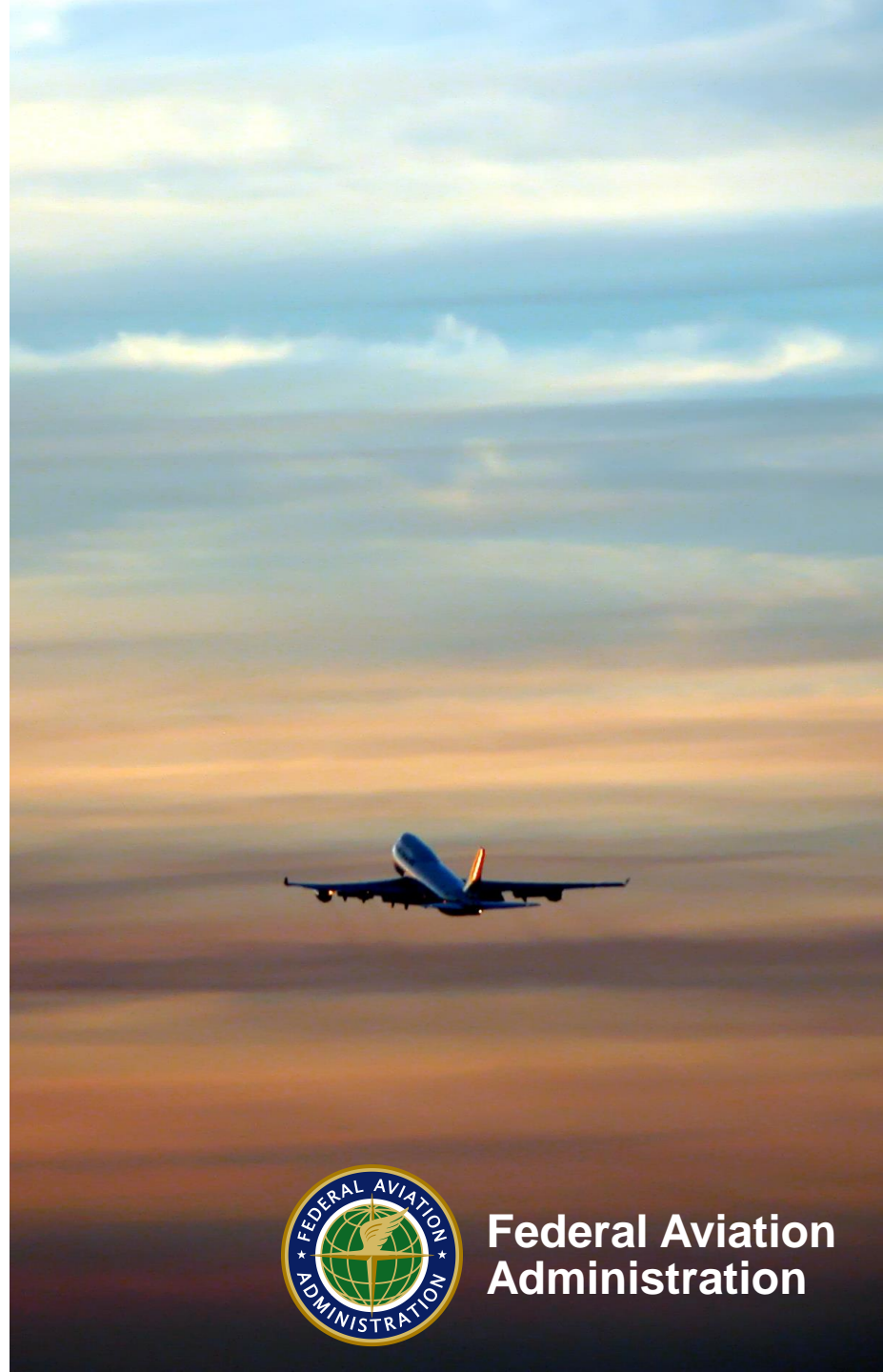
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# FAA Asia-Pacific Capacity Building Goals

- **Support safety enhancements in civil aviation to help civil aviation authorities create safer systems by:**
  - Increasing training capabilities,
  - Promoting positive safety culture,
  - Promoting pilot mental health,
  - Partnering with regional organizations (e.g., ICAO, ASEAN, APEC) to enhance collaboration opportunities
  - Identifying needs to prioritize FAA assistance



# Asia Pacific Regional Engagements

- **DGCA – 58/DP/8/07: REGIONAL REGULATOR-INDUSTRY COLLABORATION TO ENHANCE INSPECTOR CAPABILITY IN ASIA PACIFIC**  
*(Presented by ICAO Secretariat, Bangladesh, Thailand, and the United States)*
  - Partnership to sponsor high-potential inspectors for the Government Safety Inspector (GSI) courses in South Asia and Southeast Asia.
  - Courses offered: Airworthiness (AIR), Operations (OPS), and Personnel Licensing (PEL)



# Progress on GSI Training

- **GSI-AIR for South Asia: Complete**
  - November 5-23, 2023 (Bangladesh)
  - Four participants each from Bangladesh, India, Nepal, and Pakistan (16 total)
- **GSI-AIR for Southeast Asia: Complete**
  - October 23- November 10, 2023 (Thailand)
  - Four participants each from Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand, and Vietnam (16 total)



# Next Steps in GSI Training

- **GSI OPS for South Asia**
  - April 28- May 16, 2024 (Dhaka)
- **GSI PEL for South Asia**
  - July 21-August 8, 2024 (Dhaka)
- **GSI OPS for Southeast Asia**
  - May 6-14, 2024 (Bangkok)
- **GSI PEL for Southeast Asia**
  - July 15- August 3, 2024 (Bangkok)



# Pacific Islands

- **Conducting a multi-disciplinary needs assessment of civil aviation systems to support prioritization of future FAA assistance**
- **Initiate process to conduct evaluation of PASO's capabilities as a Regional Safety Oversight Organization, to enhance aviation safety in the Pacific Islands region**
- **Sharing Best Practices**



# Accident Investigation Training

- **Accident Investigation Training at the Department of Transportation, Transportation Safety Institute (TSI) in Oklahoma, United States**
- **FAA will fund travel and cost of course for aviation professionals from across Asia Pacific**

