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Subject: Sixth meeting of the Asia/Pacific GBAS/SBAS Implementation Task Force (GBAS/SBAS ITF/6) (Bangkok, Thailand, 7 - 9 May 2024)

Action required: Online registration and submission of papers by 19 April 2024

Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to invite your Administration to participate in the Sixth Meeting of the Asia/Pacific GBAS/SBAS Implementation Task Force (GBAS/SBAS ITF/6), which will be held in Bangkok from 7 to 9 May 2024.

The objective of the Task Force is to support GBAS/SBAS implementation in the region. In the task force, two Expert Groups have been working to review the existing GBAS and SBAS safety assessment guidance documents related to anomalous ionospheric conditions and to draft Guidance Document on Implementation Process for GBAS/SBAS. The first Expert Group were able to finalize the revised GBAS and SBAS safety assessment guidance documents related to anomalous ionospheric conditions and the documents were adopted in the last CNS SG meeting. The meeting will continue to further review the progress of the second Expert groups' work on GBAS and SBAS implementation guidance documents. The meeting will also discuss updates on GBAS-SBAS Program from States.

It is recommended that Administrations submit Working Papers/Information Papers on any GBAS/SBAS specific issues and update focal points for GBAS/SBAS Implementation in their respective Organizations via email to the APAC-RSO@icao.int with a copy to vkmishra@icao.int by 19 April 2024. Forms, templates and online registration link of the meeting are available on the website of the Asia and Pacific Regional Office at http://www.icao.int/APAC/Meetings/Pages/default.aspx.

Enclosed herewith are the Provisional Agenda and Meeting Bulletin of GBAS/SBAS ITF/6 meeting. Please complete online registration(s) of the delegate(s) from your Administration who will attend the meeting by 19 April 2024 through the link provided at the meeting webpage. As the meeting room in Bangkok can accommodate not more than 50 participants, States are advised not to nominate more than 2-3 participants from each State.

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

Yours sincerely,

Tao Ma

Regional Director

Enclosures:

Attachment A: Provisional AgendaAttachment B: Meeting Bulletin