



DESCRIPTION OF PANEL 2 PROCEEDINGS ADDRESSING THE BEIJING DECLARATION

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BEIJING DECLARATION AND ITS SIGNIFICANCE

- 1 Significant document outlining **agreements** and **commitments**.
- 2 Reflects common **concerns, positions**, and **vision** regarding aviation safety, air navigation services, accident investigation and human resources.
- 3 **Emphasizes cooperation**, safety, and efficiency in air travel to enhance standards and practices.
- 4 **Guiding framework** for countries to work together towards a **more integrated** and **harmonized** civil aviation landscape.
- 5 Serves as a **multilateral policy guideline** for future Asia Pacific civil aviation development.
- 6 Promotes **sustainable growth** and **connectivity**.
- 7 **Strengthens cooperation** among countries in civil aviation, enhances aviation safety, promotes sustained and high-quality development.

AVIATION IN SOUTH-EAST ASIA

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT



Connect people and fosters economic growth by facilitating trade, tourism, and investment, contributing significantly to the region's GDP

AIR TRAFFIC GROWTH



Despite COVID-19 impacts, Southeast Asia is forecasted for substantial air traffic growth in the medium to long term.

GLOBAL CONNECTIVITY



It links the South-East Asia region with global markets, enabling businesses to access international opportunities and markets.

TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION



Drives technological advancements in aircraft design, air traffic management, and safety systems, benefiting broader technological development.

THIS GROWTH WILL RESULT IN INCREASED AIRSPACE AND AIRPORT CONGESTION CHALLENGES

A **secure aviation system is vital** for Southeast Asia's economic growth. This requires robust air navigation services, airport infrastructure, trained personnel and compliance with ICAO standards.

TOP REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONAL ISSUES

- 1** **Slow implementation** of safety measures and operational risk mitigation tools.
- 2** **Lower EI scores** across categories compared to the global average with weaknesses in CE-8, CE-4 and CE-7 in the ICAO USOAP.
- 3** **Delays** in State Safety Programme (SSP) implementation and understanding newer safety concepts.
- 4** **Insufficient resources** for data management at the state level and limited regional information sharing mechanisms.
- 5** **Risks** from airspace congestion post-COVID-19 without adequate infrastructure and regulatory capacity.
- 6** **Lack of investment** in human capital development, training and retaining workers.

OUR COMMITMENT

COMMITMENT TO COLLABORATION



The Beijing Declaration emphasizes collaboration for improving safety, efficiency and cooperation in civil aviation, reaffirming a commitment to work closely with other nations.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND CHALLENGES



Acknowledges progress in aviation infrastructure, safety standards and regional connectivity but notes ongoing challenges like regulatory disparities, capacity constraints, and the need for skilled resources.

INCLUSIVITY, SUSTAINABILITY, AND INNOVATION



Emphasizes inclusivity, sustainability and innovation from the Beijing Declaration as foundational to its vision for the region's civil aviation future.

WAY FORWARD



Enhanced Regulatory Harmonization

Proposes harmonizing regulations among member states for streamlined procedures, consistent standards, and smoother cross-border operations



Investment in Infrastructure

Prioritizes investments in aviation infrastructure to address capacity constraints and meet industry demands.



Capacity Building and Skill Development

Emphasizes investing in human capital through training, scholarships and professional development to meet aviation sector needs.



Promotion of Innovation and Technology Adoption

Advocates innovation and technology adoption like AI, data analytics and sustainable fuels for efficient, safe and sustainable operations.



Strengthening Regional Cooperation

Commits to strengthening regional cooperation through ASEAN frameworks for information sharing, collaborative projects and joint initiatives

CONCLUSION

Southeast Asia is committed to turning its vision into tangible outcomes, ensuring excellence and progress in the civil aviation sector.

Let's reaffirm our dedication to the Beijing Declaration's principles and work together for a thriving civil aviation sector in Southeast Asia.



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