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Subject: Second Webinar of the Asia Pacific UAS RPAS (APAC UAS/RPAS/2)

(Video Teleconference, 11 – 12 December 2024)

Actions required:

- 1) To submit Presentation/s by **04 December 2024**; and
- 2) To complete the registration by **06 December 2024**.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to invite your Administration/Organization to participate in the Second Webinar on Unmanned Aircraft Systems - Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems (UAS/RPAS) Implementation/Regulation for the Asia-Pacific (APAC) Region, scheduled to take place via video teleconference on 11-12 December 2024. The ICAO Asia and Pacific Regional Sub-Office (RSO) will be hosting this two-day event, with sessions of three hours each day.

The webinar will focus on updates in global interoperability of UAS/RPAS and conventional aircraft operations. ICAO will handle regulatory discussions and updates on international development efforts, while States/Administrations and international organizations will cover practical drone usage and management. A key topic for discussion, "How to Secure the Safety of Manned Aircraft from UAS Operations around Aerodromes" will provide a platform to explore safety challenges and technical limitations and developments in UAS operations at and around aerodromes

Specifically, the event will address the integration of drones into the aviation system, particularly through advancements in anti-drone technology and effective drone management for airport and associated airspace safety. It will also cover the use of drones in flight inspections, offering valuable insights into enhancing aviation safety and operational efficiency.

Please find the program outline in **Attachment A**. Webinar materials will be made available at https://www.icao.int/APAC/Meetings/Pages/2024-UAS-RPAS-Webinar-2.aspx. Registration instructions (e-registration)can be found in **Attachment B**.

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Tel.: +66 (2) 537-8189 Fax: +66 (2) 537-8199 www.icao.int/apac E-mail: apac@icao.int I request that you kindly nominate participant(s) from your Administration/Organization by completing the online registration at your earliest convenience, but **no later than 06 December 2024**. Should you have any inquiries on e-registration, please contact the ICAO Secretariat (apac-rso@icao.int with copies to hykwon@icao.int).

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

Yours sincerely,

Tao Ma

Regional Director

Enclosures:

Attachment A – Programme Outline Attachment B – Webinar Bulletin