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Government of India
Ministry of Home Affairs
Foreigners-I Division
(Computer Cell)

Major Dhyan Chand National Stadium
New Delhi-110001, Dated: 13.03.2026

To
Shri Asangba Chuba Ao, IAS,
Joint Secretary,
Ministry of Civil Aviation,
Government of India
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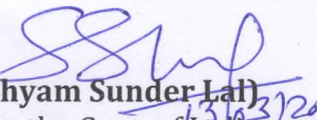
Subject:- Fifteenth Meeting of Common aeRonautical Virtual Private Network Operations Group (CRV OG/15) from 15th to 19th June, 2026 at Mumbai.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Ministry of Civil Aviation's D.O. No. AV-25028/5/2026-A-MOCA dated 13.03.2026 on the above mentioned subject and to convey that in the light of extant instructions outlined in the Visa Manual, security clearance of Ministry of Home Affairs is required for an event only if, **(i) there are foreign participants from PRC Countries i.e. Afghanistan, Iraq, Pakistan, Sudan, foreigners of Pakistani Origin and Stateless persons** or **(ii) the venue of the event falls under RAP/PAP area**. The organiser of such events needs to apply to MHA on its online event clearance platform (<https://conference.mha.gov.in>) for obtaining the security clearance of MHA. Necessary instruction in this regard is annexed as Annexure-'A' for reference and future compliance.

2. For events, other than the two categories mentioned above, Indian Missions are authorised to issue '**Conference Visa**' to the Foreign Participants.

Yours faithfully


(Shyam Sunder Lal)
13/03/2026

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India