



International Civil Aviation Organization

Eleventh Meeting of the MIDANPIRG Air Traffic Management Sub-Group (ATM SG/11) and

Fourteenth Meeting of the MIDANPIRG Communication, Navigation and Surveillance Sub-Group (CNS SG/14)

(Abu Dhabi, UAE, 19 – 23 October 2025)

BULLETIN

1. LOCATION

1.1 The Eleventh Meeting of the MIDANPIRG Air Traffic Management Sub-Group (ATM SG/11) and the Fourteenth Meeting of the MIDANPIRG Communication, Navigation and Surveillance Sub-Group (CNS SG/14) will be graciously hosted by the UAE General Civil Aviation Authority (GCAA) at the GRAND HYATT HOTEL EMIRATES PEARL, Abu Dhabi, UAE. The meetings will be held concurrently, from 19 to 23 October 2025.

2. SCHEDULE OF THE MEETINGS

- 2.1 The opening session of the Meetings will be held at 09:00 a.m., on Sunday, 19 October 2025.
- 2.2 The daily schedule and the order of the day will be announced at the opening session.
- 2.3 The Meetings will be conducted in English.

3. REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS

3.1 Participants are requested to register at the Registration Desk located at the entrance of the Meeting Hall, between 0800 and 0900 hours on the opening day of the Meeting. Participants are requested to wear the identification badges, which will be issued to them at the registration desk.

4. DOCUMENTATION

4.1 Documentation will be available on the ICAO MID Regional Office website at: <https://www.icao.int/MID>.

5. HOTEL RESERVATIONS/RETURN AIRLINE BOOKINGS

5.1 To benefit from the corporate rates, a list of hotels with the UAE GCAA corporate rate is provided for your convenience, with telephone/fax numbers and addresses. The offer is valid for reservations confirmed two weeks' time prior to 05 October 2025. A reservation inquiry email needs be sent with subject "Meeting with GCAA –ATM/CNS Sub Group - Corporate Rate Inquiry" to the respective hotels. Hotels in Dubai with corporate rates are available if requested, further additional options can be obtained through www.booking.com or other hotel reservation platforms.

6. TRANSPORTATION

6.1 Participants are requested to make their own arrangements for transportation from/to the airport and from/to the events venue. However, taxis are available from Airports to all destinations. The taxi fare from the airport starts at 20 AED.

6.2 Car rental agencies are located at the arrival hall of the airport terminal building.

7. INSURANCE

7.1 Participants are advised to have insurance coverage for any unexpected contingency including transport hazards (taxi, buses, rented cars etc.) and Medical Coverage.

8. SOME USEFUL TRAVEL INFORMATION

PASSPORT

8.1 All foreign nationals entering the United Arab Emirates must possess a passport or other valid documents for travel valid for a minimum of 6 months from the date of entry into the United Arab Emirates.

VISA

8.2 It is mandatory for participants requiring entry visa to the United Arab Emirates to apply/obtain official visas from the UAE's Embassy or Consulate in their Country prior to their departure to UAE or online on <https://www.moec.gov.ae/en/entry-requirements>.

8.3 Participants who require assistance for their entry visa may contact the following Focal Point:

- Mrs. Aesha Alnuaimi
E-mail: aaalnuaimi@szc.gcaa.ae

CUSTOMS

8.4 Each traveller is permitted to bring items allowed as per the customs requirement in the following link: <https://u.ae/en/information-and-services/finance-and-investment/clearing-the-customs-and-paying-customs-duty>

9. CURRENCY, CREDIT CARDS AND BANKING SERVICES

9.1 The unit of currency in the UAE is Dirhams (AED) with notes of 5, 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, 500 and 1000 and coins of Fils 10, 25, 50 and 1 Dirham. The current rates of exchange for the major currencies are as follows:

- USD 1= 3.673 AED
- More rates are available from www.xe.com

9.2 Foreign currency exchanges and ATMs are readily accessible at the airport and major shopping destinations.

9.3 International Credit Cards, such as Visa, Master Card, etc. are usually accepted at most hotels, department stores and restaurants.

9.4 Commercial banks, currency exchanges and major foreign currencies and branch networks stay open from 08:00 am to 04:00 pm for customers, six days a week, from Monday to Saturday, with Sunday being the day of closure, with a few exceptions. On Fridays, the aforementioned financial institutions stay open from 08:00 am and close at 12:00 pm to observe the Friday prayer.

10. OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

DRINKING WATER

10.1 It is recommended that all visitors drink only bottled water/beverages; however, tap water is safe for drinking.

TELEPHONE

10.2 Mobile SIM cards are available at the Service providers' outlets at the airport arrival hall and all major commercial centres.

11. WEATHER CONDITIONS

11.1 The main daily maximum and minimum temperatures for the month of October are between 35°C by day and drop down to 22°C during the nights. Please refer to <https://www.accuweather.com/en/ae/abudhabi/321626/march-weather/321626> for further updates.

12. OTHER ASSISTANCE

12.1 The General Civil Aviation Authority of the UAE will be glad to assist the participants to the Meeting with any advice they may require.

12.2 In case of an emergency in the UAE, please call the Focal Point from the UAE GCAA:

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Mobile: +971 56 8989808
E-mail: aaalnuaimi@szc.gcaa.ae

LIST OF HOTELS IN ABU DHABI WITH GCAA CORPORATE RATES

HOTEL	ROOM TYPE/ RATE	COMMENTS	TEL. NO. RESERVATION / E-MAIL	DISTANCE FROM/TO THE VENUE
GRAND HYATT ABU DHABI	Single/AED700 Dble/AED900		https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/group-booking/AUHG/G-MM55	<i>* Venue of the Meetings</i>
BAB AL QASR Hotel	Single/AED700 Dble/AED750	Mention in the email that you are guest of GCAA to avail the discount	Mohammed Ismail Mohammed.Ismail@babalqasr.com	190 meters
Khalidiya Palace Rayhaan by Rotana	Single/AED900 Dble/AED950	Book Before 21 st September Mention in the email that you are guest of GCAA to avail the discount	res.khalidiya@rotana.com	500 meters
RIXOS Marina Hotel	25% discount	Mention in the email that you are guest of GCAA to avail the discount	Romulo Romero reservations.rixosmarina@accor.com	3.4 Km

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