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Subject: Follow-up notification regarding the Global
Air Traffic Management Forum on Civil/Military
Cooperation (Montréal, 19 to 21 October 2009)

Action required: Send nominations of participants to
reach Montréal and complete registration online by
18 September 2009

Sir/Madam,

1. I have the honour to refer to State Letter AN 13/60-09/23, dated 6 April 2009, extending an invitation to States and Organizations to participate in the Global Air Traffic Management Forum on Civil/Military Cooperation, to be convened in Montreal from 19 to 21 October 2009 in partnership with the Air Traffic Control Association (ATCA), Civil Air Navigation Services Organisation (CANSO), European Organisation for the Safety of Air Navigation (EUROCONTROL), International Air Transport Association (IATA), North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) and UVS International.

2. It is with great pleasure that I announce the participation of Brig. Gen. R. R. Pitre, Canada Air Division; Mr. David McMillan, European Organisation for the Safety of Air Navigation (EUROCONTROL); Mr. Alexander ter Kuile, Civil Air Navigation Services Organisation (CANSO); Mr. Gunther Matschnigg, International Air Transport Association (IATA); Mr. Istvan Talla, North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO); Mr. Alexander Neradko, Federal Air Navigation Authority (FANA), Russian Federation; Ms. Nancy Kalinowski, Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), United States and Mr. Luc Tytgat, European Commission (EC). These key speakers will be joining Mr. Roberto Kobeh González, President of the ICAO Council and myself in addressing this event.

3. You may wish to take note of more civil and military moderators and speakers from States, international organizations, air navigation services providers (ANSPs) and other Organizations, as shown in the attached draft programme which will be in English only.

4. The Forum is an integral supporting mechanism of the successful series of civil/military air traffic management summits instituted by the Air Traffic Control Association (ATCA) and is intended to create awareness among civil and military policy makers and regulators, civil and military Air Navigation Service Providers (ANSPs) and civil and military airspace users, on the need to improve civil/military cooperation and coordination in support of an optimum use of airspace by all users. Presentations will be given by high-level civil and military aviation representatives from States and

international organizations as well as representatives from the airline industry and ANSPs. It is anticipated that discussions will result in actions to progress toward a greater civil/military cooperation leading to a more optimized use of airspace with a consequent reduction in the use of fuel and less impact on the environment. Prominent moderators and speakers will lead roundtable discussions to facilitate a dynamic interaction between speakers and the audience to be the basis for an action plan in the form of a 'way forward'.

5. All information related to the Forum, including the draft programme, general information, registration fees, exhibition opportunities, hotels and rates is available on the Forum website at <http://www.icao.int/gatm-civ/mil/> and is updated periodically. **The event is expected to draw a large audience therefore making early travel arrangements and hotel reservations for the Forum is strongly recommended.** We have been informed that a very large convention is being held in downtown Montreal during the same week.

6. The registration fee will be waived for up to two participants nominated by each State (either civil or military) for this event. All other attendees, with the exceptions shown on the website's registration page, will be required to pay a registration fee. Simultaneous interpretation into ICAO working languages—Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish—will be provided for the duration of the forum.

7. I wish to underscore that the participation of civil aviation and military officials at the decision-making level is essential for the success of this Forum. Consequently, State civil aviation administrations are invited to coordinate with their governments in order to include the participation of their military officials in their delegations.

8. I should be grateful if you would advise me, as soon as possible, if you have not already done so, whether your Government wishes to participate in the ICAO Air Traffic Management Global Forum on Civil/Military Cooperation. In the affirmative, please provide the name, title and position of each of the officials attending the forum and kindly indicate whether they are nominated for free participation or as a paying participant. Nominations should be presented on the letterhead of the nominating Administration and/or Organization. A copy of the nomination letter should be sent by e-mail to gatm_civ_mil@icao.int and all delegates should complete the online registration at <http://www.icao.int/GATM-CIV/MIL/registration.htm>. All nominations and registrations should reach Montréal by no later than 18 September 2009.

Accept, Sir/Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Raymond Benjamin
Secretary General

Enclosure:

— Draft programme (English only)

ATTACHMENT

Global Air Traffic Management Forum on Civil/Military Cooperation

Monday, 19 October 2009

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Forum theme: “Time to take it Global: Meeting each other’s needs without compromising the Mission”

Time	Programme item
07:00 – 10:00	Registration: continental breakfast sponsored by NAV CANADA and Sensis Corporation
10:00 – 10:05	<i>Introduction by Ms. Nancy Graham, Director — ICAO Air Navigation Bureau</i>
10:05 – 10:35	Block A: Opening formalities <i>Welcome speech by Mr. Roberto Kobeh González, President of the ICAO Council</i> <i>Keynote speech by Mr. Raymond Benjamin, Secretary General, ICAO</i> <i>Keynote speech by Brigadier-General R.R. Pitre, Canadian Air Division/Canada</i>
10:35 – 11:00	<i>Refreshment Break</i>
11:00 – 12:30	Block B: Setting the scene: Towards an Interoperable Global Air Navigation System <i>Subject: Brief presentation on present perspectives, understanding the complexities and challenges of the relationships between civil and military authorities.</i> <i>Moderator:</i> <i>Mr. Neil Planzer, Vice President, Air Traffic Management (ATM) Strategy — Boeing Company</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Mr. David McMillan, Director General — EUROCONTROL</i> <i>Mr. Alexander ter Kuile, Secretary General — CANSO</i> <i>Mr. Gunther Matschnigg, Director of Safety, Operations and Infrastructure — IATA</i> <i>Mr. Istvan Talla, Deputy Assistant Secretary General — NATO</i> <i>Mr. Alexander Neradko, Director General Federal Air Navigation Authority — FANA/Russian Federation</i> <i>Ms. Nancy Kalinowski, Vice President, System Operations Services — FAA/United States</i> <i>Mr. Luc Tytgat, Head of Unit Single Sky and modernization of air traffic control (ATC) — European Commission (EC)</i>
12:30 – 14:00	<i>Presentation by Boeing, followed by Boeing’s sponsored lunch.</i>
14:00 – 15:10	Block C: Understanding each other - civil perspective <i>Moderators:</i> <i>Mr. Bo Redeborn, Director for Air Traffic Management Strategies — EUROCONTROL</i> <i>Military moderator, TBD</i> <i>Subjects: Making optimum use of airspace and how this affects operations and environment.</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Mr. John Begin, Chief, Coordination, Revenue and Communication Office — ICAO</i> <i>Mr. David Behrens, Director Infrastructure Strategy — IATA</i> <i>Gen. Valterio Pomponi, Director, Airspace Regulation — ENAC/Italy</i> <i>Mr. Frank Hoffman, IAOPA Representative to ICAO — IAOPA</i> <i>Mr. Johann A. Estrada Pelletier, Safety Oversight Director — Instituto Dominicano de Aviacion Civil (IDAC)/Dominican Republic</i> <i>Saudi Arabia</i> <i>Roundtable discussion</i>
15:10 – 15:35	<i>Refreshment break</i>

Time	Programme item Monday, 19 October 2009
15:35 – 16:45	Block D: Understanding each other - military perspective <i>Moderators:</i> <i>Mr. Istvan Talla, Deputy Assistant Secretary General — NATO</i> <i>Mr. Peter Evans, Representative of Australia on the ICAO Council</i> <i>Subjects: Making optimum use of airspace and how this affects operations and environment.</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Mr. Giorgio Cioni, Head of Airspace Management — NATO</i> <i>Group Captain PR Sinha VSM, Director of Operations (Air Traffic Services) — India</i> <i>Colombia</i> <i>Ghana</i> <i>United States</i> <i>Roundtable discussion</i>
16:45 – 17:00	Summary: ICAO Regional Director/Military Official
17:00 – 19:00	<i>Presentation by EUROCONTROL, followed by EUROCONTROL's sponsored Welcome Reception</i>

Global Air Traffic Management Forum on Civil/Military Cooperation

Tuesday, 20 October 2009

Forum theme: “Time to take it Global: Meeting each other’s needs without compromising the Mission”

Time	Programme item
09:00 – 09:05	<i>Introduction by ICAO Regional Director</i>
09:05 – 10:05	Block A: Cooperative Global ATM System <i>Moderator:</i> <i>Mr. Alexander ter Kuile, Secretary General — CANSO</i> <i>Subjects: The fundamentals building blocks to civil/military cooperation</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Air Chief Marshall Kanit Suwannate, Commander of the Air Combat Command — Thailand</i> <i>Mr. Dieter Kaden, CEO — Deutsche Flugsicherung GmbH (German Air Navigation Services) (DFS)/Germany</i> <i>BrigGen Umberto Rossi, Head of Airspace Department — Italy</i> <i>Mr. Andrew Sparrow, Manager Industry Relations — Airservices Australia</i> <i>Roundtable discussion</i>
10:05 – 10:30	<i>Refreshment break – SAE International</i>
10:30 – 11:30	Block B: Security Considerations <i>Moderator:</i> <i>Mr. Fred Pease, Executive Director, DoD Policy Board on Federal Aviation — United States</i> <i>Subjects: How do we work together to enhance security and minimize impact.</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Air Commodore Mark Wordley, Head of the Defence Airspace and the Air Traffic Management Organisation — United Kingdom</i> <i>Mr. Frank Hatfield, Director System Operations Security — FAA/United States</i> <i>Mr. Brian Bagstad, Technical Officer — ICAO</i> <i>Mr. Giorgio Cioni, Head of Airspace Management — NATO</i> <i>Col Ian Logan — Switzerland</i> <i>Mr. Uriy P. Tokarev, Head of ATM and ASM Regulation — FANA/Russian Federation</i> <i>Roundtable discussion</i>
11:30 – 12:30	Block C: Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS): Needs and challenges <i>Moderator:</i> <i>Mr. Peter Van Blyenburgh, President — UVS International</i> <i>Subjects: Integrating UAS into Global ATM system</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Ms. Leslie Cary, Technical Officer, Air Traffic Management Section — ICAO</i> <i>GenMaj Carlo Magrassi, Deputy Chief Executive Strategy — European Defence Agency</i> <i>Mr. Eduard Y. Falkov, Head State — Research Institute of Aviation Systems/Russian Federation</i> <i>BrigGen Hans-Georg Schmidt, Deputy Comander of 1st (GE) Air Division — Germany</i> <i>Mr. Ben Walsh, UAS Program Office — United States</i> <i>Roundtable discussion</i>
12:30 – 14:00	<i>Presentation by CANSO, followed by CANSO’s sponsored lunch</i>

Time	Programme item Tuesday, 20 October 2009
14:00 – 15:15	Block D: Optimization of airspace use- Sharing Experiences and Best Practices <i>Moderator:</i> <i>BrigGen Hans-Georg Schmidt, Deputy Comander of 1st (GE) Air Division — Germany</i> <i>Subjects: Different solutions toward a more flexible use of airspace,</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Mr. Vince Galotti, Deputy Director, Air Navigation Bureau — ICAO</i> <i>Mr. Lex Hendriks, Acting Director CEATS — EUROCONTROL</i> <i>Col (AV) Hugo Jackson, Director Air Traffic Services—DINACIA/Uruguay</i> <i>Mr. Andrew Beadle, IFATCA Representative to ICAO — IFATCA</i> <i>Mr. Herbert Schramm, Director, Corporate Military Affairs — DFS/Germany</i> <i>Canada</i> <i>Cuba</i> <i>UAE</i> <i>Roundtable discussion</i>
15:15 – 15:40	<i>Refreshment break</i>
15:40 – 16:55	Block E: Optimization of airspace use - Sharing Experiences <i>Moderator:</i> <i>Mr. Jean-Robert Cazarre, Director Civil-Military ATM Coordination — EUROCONTROL</i> <i>Subjects: Different solutions toward a more flexible use of airspace .</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Mr. Fred Pease, Executive Director, DoD Policy Board on Federal Aviation — United States</i> <i>Mr. Bogdan Donciu, Director General — ROMATSA</i> <i>Lt. Brig. Ramon Borges Cardoso, Director General — Department of Air Space Control (DECA)/Brazil</i> <i>Capt. Paul McCarthy IFALPA Representative to ICAO— IFALPA</i> <i>Col. M. Moerland, Head Mission Support Staff— Royal Netherlands Air Force/Netherlands</i> <i>Mr. Nigel Williams — NATO</i> <i>China</i> <i>South Africa</i> <i>Roundtable discussion</i>
16:55 – 17:00	Summary by ICAO Regional Director/Military Official
17:00 – 19:00	<i>Presentation by ESRI, followed by ESRI's sponsored Cocktail Reception</i>

Global Air Traffic Management Forum on Civil/Military Cooperation

Wednesday, 21 October 2009

Forum theme: “Time to take it Global: Meeting each other’s needs without compromising the Mission”

Time	Programme item
09:00 – 09:05	<i>Introduction by Vince Galotti, Deputy Director, Air Navigation Bureau — ICAO</i>
09:05 – 10:35	Block A: Reports from Regions <i>Moderator:</i> <i>Ms. Nancy Graham, Director, Air Navigation Bureau — ICAO</i> <i>Subjects: Civil/Military Cooperation in regions and preparations for follow-up regional activities</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Mr. Mokhtar Awan, Regional Director — ICAO Asia and Pacific (APAC) Office</i> <i>Mr. G.P. Moshabesha, Regional Director — ICAO Eastern and Southern African (ESAF) Office</i> <i>Mr. Karsten Theil, Regional Director — ICAO European and North Atlantic (EUR/NAT) Office</i> <i>Mr. Mohamed Khonji, Regional Director — ICAO Middle East (MID) Office</i> <i>Ms. Loretta Martin, Regional Director — ICAO North American, Central American and Caribbean (NACC) Office</i> <i>Mr. Franklin Hoyer, Regional Director — ICAO South American (SAM) Office</i> <i>Mr. Amadou Ousmane Guitteye, Regional Director — ICAO Western and Central African (WACAF) Office</i>
10:35 – 11:00	<i>Refreshment break</i>
11:00 -12:00	Block A Cont’d: Reports from Regions <i>Moderator:</i> <i>Ms. Nancy Graham, Director, Air Navigation Bureau — ICAO</i> <i>Subjects: Civil/Military Cooperation in regions and preparations for follow-up regional activities</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>IATA</i> <i>CANSO</i> <i>NATO</i> <i>Round table discussion</i>
12:00 -13:30	<i>Presentation by ITT Corporation, followed by ITT Corporation’s sponsored lunch</i>
13:30 – 14:30	Block B: Going Forward <i>Moderators:</i> <i>Mr. David Behrens, Director Infrastructure Strategy — IATA</i> <i>Mr. Giorgio Cioni, Head of Airspace Management — NATO</i> <i>Subjects: Presentations according to discussions of roundtables as the basis for an Action Plan in the form of a “Way Forward”</i> <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Mr. Neil Planzer, Vice President, Air Traffic Management (ATM) Strategy — Boeing Company</i> <i>Mr. Bo Redeborn, Director for Air Traffic Management Strategies — EUROCONTROL</i> <i>Mr. Istvan Talla, Deputy Assistant Secretary General — NATO</i> <i>Mr. A. ter Kuile, Secretary General — CANSO</i> <i>Mr. Peter Evans, Representative of Australia on the ICAO Council</i> <i>Mr. Fred Pease, Executive Director, DoD Policy Board on Federal Aviation — United States</i> <i>Mr. Peter VanBlyenburgh, President — UVS International</i> <i>BrigGen Hans-Georg Schmidt, Deputy Comander of 1st (GE) Air Division — Germany</i> <i>Mr. Jean-Robert Cazarre, Director Civil-Military ATM Coordination — EUROCONTROL</i> <i>Round table discussion</i>
14:30 – 15:00	Block C: Wrap up and Closing <i>Subjects: Review Forum Findings, Closing remarks</i> <i>Speakers</i> <i>Mr. Vince Galotti, Deputy Director, Air Navigation Bureau — ICAO</i> <i>Ms. Nancy Graham, Director Air Navigation Bureau — ICAO</i>

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