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Seventh Meeting of the Search and Rescue (SAR) Implementation Task Force of the North American, Central America and Caribbean Working Group (NACC/WG/SAR/TF/7)
Mexico City, Mexico, 3 to 7 August 2026

Agenda Item 1: Adoption of the Agenda and Schedule

DRAFT AGENDA AND SCHEDULE

(Presented by the Secretariat)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY	
This Working Paper presents the Meeting with the provisional Agenda and Schedule in the Appendix A and B respectively.	
Action:	Consider and approve the Provisional Agenda presented in Appendix A , and the schedule proposed in Appendix B .
<i>Strategic Objectives:</i>	• Every Flight is Safe and Secure • Aviation is Environmentally Sustainable • Aviation Delivers Seamless, Accessible, and Reliable Mobility for All • No Country Left Behind • The International Civil Aviation Convention and Other Treaties, Laws and Regulations Address All Challenges • The Economic Development of Air Transport Assures the Delivery of Economic Prosperity and Societal Well-Being for All

1. Introduction

1.1 The Provisional Agenda and its explanatory notes, and the Schedule proposed for consideration and approval by the Meeting, are presented in Appendix A and Appendix B respectively.

**APPENDIX A
PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

Agenda Item 1: Adoption of the Agenda and Schedule

Agenda Item 2: Regional and Global Search and Rescue (SAR) Affairs

- 2.1 Follow-up to valid Conclusions/Decisions
- 2.2 Follow-up to the implementation of the requirements of rescue coordination centres and subcentres of the CAR Region
- 2.3 Monitoring the implementation of the requirements of the Global Aviation Distress and Safety System (GADSS).

Agenda Item 3: SAR Coordination Affairs

- 3.1 Follow up to the SAR Agreements of the CAR Region
- 3.2 SAR Exercises in the CAR Region
- 3.3 Maritime and Aeronautical SAR coordination

Agenda Item 4: Work Programme and Activities of the NACC/WG Search and Rescue Implementation Task Force (SAR)

- 4.1 Follow-up and update of the work programme
- 4.2 Approval of the Work Programme and Activities of the SAR Implementation Task Force

Agenda Item 5: Other Business

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**PROVISIONAL AGENDA
EXPLANATORY NOTES**

Agenda Item 1: Adoption of the Agenda and Schedule

Under this agenda item, the Meeting will review the agenda and schedule and adopt them. The objectives and overall expectations of the meeting will be presented.

Agenda Item 2: Regional and Global Search and Rescue (SAR) Affairs

Under this agenda item, the valid Conclusions and Decisions of previous meetings will be followed up. In the same way, the implementation of the requirements of the rescue coordination centres and subcentres of the CAR Region will be monitored, with the aim of updating the regional monitoring dashboard for implementation, as well as the requirements of the Global Aeronautical Distress and Safety System (GADSS).

Agenda Item 3: SAR Coordination Affairs

The Meeting will follow up on the SAR Agreements pending signature and will address actions to promote SAR exercises in the CAR Region, as well as on aeronautical and maritime SAR coordination.

Agenda Item 4: Work Programme and Activities of the NACC/WG Search and Rescue Implementation Task Force (SAR)

The Meeting will follow up on the Task Force's work programme and activities and propose updates thereto.

Agenda Item 5: Other Business

Under this agenda item, the Meeting will analyse any other matter than cannot be addressed under the previous agenda items.

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APPENDIX B / APÉNDICE B
PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE / HORARIO PROVISIONAL

Time	Monday/Lunes 3 Aug	Tuesday/Martes 4 Aug	Wednesday/ Miércoles 5 Aug	Thursday/Jueves 6 Aug	Friday/Viernes 7 Aug
08:30–09:00	Registration/ Registro				
09:00–09:30	Opening Ceremony & Photo/ Inauguración y Foto de Grupo	Workshop/Taller	Agenda Item 1/ Cuestión 1 del Orden del Día	Agenda Item 3 / Cuestión 3 del Orden del Día	Agenda Item 5/ Cuestión 5 del Orden del Día
09:30–10:30			Workshop/Taller		
10:30–11:00	Coffee break/Pausa para el café				
11:00–12:30	Workshop/Taller	Workshop/Taller	Agenda Item 2.2 / Cuestión 2.2 del Orden del Día	Agenda Item 4 (cont.) / Cuestión 4 del Orden del Día (cont.)	Review of draft summary of discussions / Revisión del borrador del resumen de las discusiones
	Lunch time/Almuerzo				Closing/Clausura
13:30–15:30	Workshop/Taller	Workshop/Taller	Agenda Item 2.2 / Cuestión 2.2 del Orden del Día (Cont.)	Agenda Item 4 (cont.) / Cuestión 4 del Orden del Día (cont.)	

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