

Mr. Andrzej Ilków was appointed as the Representative of the Republic of Poland on the Council of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) on 28 August 2026.

A senior civil aviation executive, he brings extensive experience in airport strategy, management and development, as well as in aviation safety and Air Traffic Management. His career combines senior executive roles in civil aviation with operational service as a military combat pilot and as commander of an Air Traffic Management unit.

Prior to his appointment, Mr. Ilków held several senior positions, including Chief Executive Officer of Polish Airports (PPL S.A.) and Director of Meteorological Services for Civil Aviation at the Institute of Meteorology and Water Management – National Research Institute. He also worked at the Civil Aviation Authority (ULC), served as an expert with the State Commission for Aircraft Accident Investigation (PKBWL), and held Chief Executive Officer and supervisory board roles at several regional airports in Poland. For many years, he served on ACI Europe's Technical and Operational Safety Committee and was also a member of its Board.

Mr. Ilków holds an engineering degree from the Polish Air Force Academy, where he later lectured, and a Master's degree from Warsaw University of Technology. He has completed training programmes with ICAO, IATA, ACI and EUROCONTROL and has taken part in numerous international conferences organized by these bodies.