

**INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION**

**RLA/00/009 PROJECT COORDINATION MEETING ON GNSS AUGMENTATION TRIALS**

(Santiago, 1 to 3 August 2001)

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

1. **Site and dates of the meeting**

The RLA/00/009 Coordination Meeting on GNSS Augmentation Trials will be held in Santiago, Chile, from 1 to 3 August 2001 at the Conference Room of the Chilean Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA), 4th floor, Providencia, Santiago.

2. **Organization of the Meeting**

For matters related with coordination of the meeting, please contact Mr Luis A. Rossi Jofré, CNS/ATM Project Executive, Planning Directorate, DGCA.

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3. **Opening of the meeting**

The inauguration of the RLA/00/009 Coordination Meeting on GNSS Augmentation Trials will take place on 1 August 2001, at 09:00 hours, in the Conference Room of the DGCA.

4. **Climate**

The city of Santiago, located in the mid section of Chile, has a mild climate. During August, there is an average of 5 days with significant rain, and the mean temperature ranges between 8 and 16 degrees Centigrade. The average humidity is between 60 and 80%.

5. **Drinkable water**

The water can be drunk without restrictions.

6. **Electricity**

220 Volts, 50 Hz

7. **Currency and credit cards**

The national currency is the Peso. The exchange with regard to the US Dollar is US\$1.00 equals 602.00 Pesos. For foreign visitors, prices are quoted in Pesos and/or Dollars; you can pay with either currency. Other foreign currency, such Canadian Dollar (CAD), English Pound (GBP), RFA Mark (DEM), New Mexican Peso (MXN), is recommended to be changed at money exchange houses.

International credit cards such as VISA, MASTERCARD, AMERICAN EXPRESS are normally accepted at hotels, stores and restaurants.

8. **Hotels**

<b>Hotel/Hostal</b>	<b>Telephone/Fax</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Single Room US\$</b>	<b>Double Room US\$</b>
Hotel Alcalá del Río ****	TEL: 56-2-236-0871 FAX: 56-2-236-0987	Padre Mariano 331	50*	60*
Hotel María Angola ***	TEL: 56-2-235-1280 FAX: 56-2-235-5914	Miguel Claro 425	40*	50*
Posada del Salvador ***	TEL: 56-2-236-0991 FAX: 56-2-236-8697	Eliodoro Yañez 893	40**	50**

\* Price includes buffet breakfast. Foreigners are tax exempt

\*\*\*\* Four star hotel

\*\*\* Three star hotel

To obtain the special rate, upon making your reservation please notify the hotel you are participating in the ICAO meeting.

9. **Visas**

Participants can obtain their entry visas to Chile through the Chilean Consulate in their country. If necessary, you can contact the Coordinator of the meeting, providing the necessary information for the visa's obtention..

10. **Exit from the country**

The Santiago "Arturo Merino Benitez" International Airport has a US\$18.00 airport tax – can be paid either with US Dollars or Chilean Pesos – for passengers leaving the country.

12. **Medical assistance**

If necessary the Indisa clinic is recommended, located near the suggested hotels. The Address is Av. Santa María 1810, medical urgency telephone number 234-3112 (H24), switchboard 362-5555.

13. **Other information**

In the event of requiring any additional information, please request it to the Coordinator of the Meeting, who will provide it to you immediately.