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To: Mr. Philippe Guivarch, Regional Director of Civil Aviation, West Indies and French Guiana  
Ms. Chaitrani Heeralall, Director General, Civil Aviation Authority (ag), Guyana  
Mr. Andojo Rusland, Minister of Transport, Communication and Tourism, Suriname

Subject: **Invitation – Fourteenth CAR/SAM Regional Bird/Wildlife Hazard Prevention Committee Meeting and Conference (CARSAMPAF/14)**  
San Pedro Sula; Honduras, 24 to 28 October 2016

Action

Required: 1) Register participants by **15 September 2016**  
2) Inform if a presentation will be provided by **23 September 2016**

Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to invite your Administration to participate in the Fourteenth CAR/SAM Regional Bird/Wildlife Hazard Prevention Committee Meeting and Conference (CARSAMPAF/14) to be held at COPANTL Hotel and Convention Center, in San Pedro Sula, Honduras, from 24 to 28 October 2016, hosted by the Airports Administrator Interairports, S.A.

The Meeting of the Board of Directors will be carried without interpretation, the first day (Monday, 24 October 2016). The Conference will start on Tuesday, 25 October and will end on Friday, 28 October 2016.

This event will be of particular interest to pilots, airline and airport operators, air traffic control services, aircraft manufacturers, national or regional authorities, private companies who work in aviation, environment, pollution, waste, and legal aspects related to this topic. Also invited are the civil or military personnel responsible for air operations, managing or planning wildlife resources, land use and environmental control, as well as related professionals (engineers, biologists, environmentalists, lawyers, investigators, academics, etc.) and those involved in the impact of airport operations on the environment and wildlife.

The working languages of the conference will be English and Spanish, and simultaneous interpretation will be provided if sufficient participants of both languages provide timely registration. You are kindly requested to complete and return the Registration Form at **Attachment A** by e-mail for each participant by **15 September 2016**.

At **Attachment B** you will find the general information on the recommended hotels for the Meeting participants. The participants will have to make their reservations directly with the hotels in a timely manner. If you need local assistance, please contact Mrs. Margarita Valle, mvalle@interairports.hn, telephone: +504 2234-0106 and Mr. Carlos Carias, ccarias@interairports.hn, telephone: + 504 2668- 3260, who can provide local information or assist in case there is a difficulty in making the hotel reservation.

You are also invited to contribute to the conference programme with a presentation related with “Review and risk management of wildlife in/around airports” and/or related experience. It is recommended that the presentations represent a current situation on the role of airport operators regarding the wildlife hazard and environment safety management and wildlife; experiences on actions and best practices at airports or any other issue that you consider appropriate for the event.

I would appreciate confirming your intention to support the conference with a presentation no later than **23 September 2016**, by informing the name of the speaker and title of the presentation. For your information, 20 minutes are being allocated for presentations. All presentations should be submitted to this ICAO Regional Office (icaosam@icao.int) by 5 October 2015.

The attached General Information is available on the following web page: <http://www.icao.int/SAM/Pages/Meetings.aspx?year=2016&cM=06&cY=2016&p=3>. The provisional programme for the event, as well as all Conference presentations will be published in the same web page as they become available. Taking into consideration the availability of presentations in electronic format, no hard copies will be distributed during the event.

If you require further information regarding the meeting, please contact Mr. Fabio Salvatierra, Regional Officer, Aerodromes and Ground Aids (AGA) (jcalderon@icao.int).

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



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**Enclosure:**

- A – Registration Form*
- B – General Information*

cc: Mr. Claude Miquel, Deputy Director of Civil Aviation, West Indies and French Guiana  
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