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To: Mr. Frédéric Guignier, Regional Director of Civil Aviation Authority (DSAC) for French Antilles and French Guiana  
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Lt. Col. Egbert Field, Guyana Civil Aviation Authority  
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Subject: **Invitation – Fifteenth CAR/SAM Regional Bird/Wildlife Hazard Prevention Committee Meeting and Conference (CARSAMPAF/15)**  
Montevideo, Uruguay, 27 November to 1<sup>st</sup> December 2017

Tramitación: 1) Registrar participantes a más tardar el **27 de octubre de 2017**  
2) Informar si hará una presentación a más tardar el **22 de septiembre de 2017**

Action

Required: 1) Register participants by **27 October 2017**  
2) Inform if a presentation will be provided by **22 September 2017**

Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to invite your Administration to participate in the Fifteenth CAR/SAM Regional Bird/Wildlife Hazard Prevention Committee Meeting and Conference (CARSAMPAF/15) to be held at Cottage Carrasco Hotel & Suites, Montevideo, Uruguay, from 27 November to 1st December 2017, hosted by *Puertas del Sur S.A.* – Operator of Carrasco International Airport.

The Meeting of CARSAMPAF Board of Directors will be carried without interpretation, the first day (Monday, 27 November). The Conference will start on Tuesday, 28 November and will end on Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> December 2017.

This event will be of particular interest for the areas of aerodromes, wildlife and environment, safety of States' civil aviation authorities, airport operators, pilots, airline operators, air traffic control service providers, aircraft manufacturers, national or regional authorities and 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 **27 October 2017**.

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.

You are also invited to contribute to the conference programme with a presentation related with “*Strengthening of the National Committees of Prevention of Wildlife Risk at Airports*” and/or related experience. It is recommended that the presentations represent a current situation on the role of States and airport operators regarding the wildlife hazard and environment safety management and wildlife; experiences on actions and best practices 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 **22 September 2017**, 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 **3 November 2017**.

The attached General Information is available on the following web page: <https://www.icao.int/SAM/Pages/default.aspx>, option *Meetings*. 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) (fsalvatierra@icao.int).

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



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**Enclosure:**

*A – Registration Form*

*B – General Information*

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