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Lima, 15 December 2016

To: Mr. Philippe Guivarch, Regional Director of Civil Aviation, West Indies and French Guiana
Lt. Col. Egbert Field, Guyana Civil Aviation Authority
Mr. Andojo Rusland, Minister of Transport, Communication and Tourism, Suriname

Subject: **RLA/03/901 REDDIG – Twentieth Meeting of the REDDIG Coordination Committee (RCC/20)** (Lima, Peru, 21 - 23 March 2017)

Action required: **Submit papers by 21 February 2017; and Confirm attendance by 28 February 2017**

I have the honor to refer to RLA/03/901 Regional Project - *REDDIG Management System and Administration of the Satellite Segment*, to invite your Administration to the Twentieth Meeting of the REDDIG Coordination Committee (RCC/20), to be held in this Regional Office, from 21 to 23 March 2017.

At the RCC/20 Meeting, the activities undertaken by the project since the Nineteenth Meeting of the REDDIG Coordination Committee (RCC/19) (Lima, Peru, 7 - 9 March 2016), the activities to be carried out in 2017, the financial situation of the project, the approval of the 2017 budget and the annual project evaluation, will be presented.

Attached please find the provisional Agenda (**Appendix A**) with the topics to be discussed during the RCC/20 Meeting; the provisional schedule (**Appendix B**), appreciating your comments in this regard; and, the information paper containing general information (**Appendix C**). Likewise, in case your Administration wish to submit any working or information papers for consideration of the Committee, it should be sent no later than **21 February 2017**.

I would appreciate receiving a confirmation on the participation of your delegates at the RCC/20 Meeting, by sending to this Office the attached Registration Form (**Appendix D**) duly completed for each delegate, no later than **28 February 2017**.

The documentation will be issued in due course on the website of this Office, www.icao.int/SAM and will not be printed nor distributed during the meeting, being desirable that the delegates take them physically or by electronic means.

Were you to require further information, please contact Mr. Onofrio Smarrelli, CNS Officer, ICAO SAM Regional Office (osmarrelli@icao.int / +51-1 6118686).

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



Franklin Hoyer
Regional Director
ICAO South American Office
Lima

Enclosures

As indicated

cc: Mr. Claude Miquel, Deputy Director of Civil Aviation, West Indies and French Guiana
Mr. Jerome Journet, Head of French ATM services, West Indies and French Guiana
Mr. Jean-Michel Pubellier, Deputy Head ATM services, West Indies and French Guiana
Mrs. Joyce Blokland-Wijnstein, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Transport, Communication and Tourism, Suriname
Mr. Faizel Baarn, acting Head of Civil Aviation Department, Suriname
Mr. Brian De Souza, acting Director, CASAS, Suriname
Mr. Marcus Doller, Air Safety Support Intl. (ASSI), United Kingdom
Mr. Bruce D'Ancey, Policy Specialist, Flight Ops, Air Safety Support International (ASSI), United Kingdom
ICAORD Mexico (for retransmission to Trinidad & Tobago)

APPENDIX A

**RLA/03/901 Regional Project
REDDIG Management System and Administration of the Satellite Segment**

**TWENTIETH MEETING OF THE COORDINATION COMMITTEE (RCC/20)
(Lima, Peru, 21 to 23 March 2017)**

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

- Agenda Item 1: Approval of the agenda and of the meeting schedule
- Agenda Item 2: Review of the report of the Nineteenth Meeting of the Coordination Committee
- Agenda Item 3: Report of the activities carried out to date since the last meeting of the Coordination Committee
- Agenda Item 4: Work plan for 2017
- Agenda Item 5: Financial situation of the project and approval of the budget
- Agenda Item 6: Annual project evaluation
- Agenda Item 7: Other matters

EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Agenda Item 1: Approval of the agenda and of the meeting schedule

The Coordination Committee will consider and approve the provisional agenda and meeting schedule proposed by the Secretariat for its Twentieth Meeting.

Agenda Item 2: Review of the report of the Eighteenth Meeting of the Coordination Committee

The Committee will review, for approval, the report of its Nineteenth Meeting (RCC/19) held in Lima from 7 to 9 March 2016. Likewise, the Committee will analyze the status of implementation of conclusions formulated during said meeting, as well as of conclusions in force from previous meetings.

Agenda Item 3: Report of the activities carried out to date since the last meeting of the Coordination Committee

The Committee will analyze the activities carried out since its last meeting regarding:

- a) Follow-up to REDDIG II performance;
- b) Analysis of the REDDIG II safety;
- c) REDDIG II training programme; and
- d) New REDDIG II services and activities.

Agenda Item 4: Work plan for 2017

The Committee will analyze the work programme for 2017:

- a) New REDDIG II activities and services (final acceptance tests of the satellite network (FNAT), installation of the new REDDIG II Cordoba Node (Argentina), transfer of the Bogota's and Ezeiza's Nodes and implementation of new services);
- b) New MEVAIII / REDDIG II activities and interconnection services; and,
- c) Training programme for 2017

Agenda Item 5: Financial situation of the project and approval of the budget

The Committee will consider the status of the cost-sharing contributions to the project and a summary of the obligations assumed during 2016, as well as the project budget for 2017 for approval.

Agenda Item 6: Annual project evaluation

The Committee will take note of the project's situation at the end of the year, including the management and outputs indicators, as well as the monitoring and control of the project with regard to the approved work plan for 2016, shown in the corresponding forms, concluding with the review of the survey conducted among participant States concerning their annual project evaluation.

Agenda Item 7: Other matters

Under this agenda item, the Committee could analyze any other related issues deemed appropriate.

APPENDIX B

**RLA/03/901 Regional Project
REDDIG Management System and Administration of the Satellite Segment**

Twentieth Meeting of the REDDIG Coordination Committee (RCC/20)
(Lima, Peru, 21 - 23 March 2017)

PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

HOUR	Tuesday 21 March 2016	HOUR	Wednesday 22 March 2016	HOUR	Thursday 23 March 2016
08:30 09:00	Registration	09:00 10:30	Review of Agenda Item 4	09:00 10:30	Review of Report
09:00 09:15	Opening				
09:15 09:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	10:30 10:45	<i>Coffee break</i>	10:30 10:45	<i>Coffee break</i>
09:30 12:30	Review of Agenda Items 1 and 2	10:45 12:15	Review of Agenda Item 5	12:00	Closing
12:30 13:30	<i>Lunch break</i>	12:15 13:00	<i>Lunch break</i>		
13:30 15:00	Review of Agenda Item 3	13:00 14:00	Review of Agenda Items 6 and 7		

APPENDIX C

RLA/03/901 Regional Project REDDIG Management System and Administration of the Satellite Segment

Twentieth Meeting of the REDDIG Coordination Committee (RCC/20) (Lima, Peru, 21 - 23 March 2017)

INFORMATION PAPER General Information (Presented by the Secretariat)

1. Site and dates

The Twentieth Meeting of the REDDIG Coordination Committee (RCC/20) will be conducted in the ICAO South American (SAM) Regional Offices premises in Lima, Peru, from 21 to 23 March 2017. Since we count with two conference rooms, it will be appreciated that upon arriving in the Office, you verify where the event will take place – Floor 3 or 4.

2. Coordinator

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3. Participants Registration

Participants should register on Tuesday, 21 March 2017, from 08:30 to 09:00 hours.

4. General information

Found in the “*General Information*”, “*Weather*” and “*Hotels*” sections in the ICAO SAM Regional Office website, http://www.icao.int/SAM/Pages/ES/default_ES.aspx, English, left column, under “About SAM”.

5. Passport, visa and vaccination requirements

To enter the country, an updated passport and visa are required; however, it is recommended to contact the Peruvian Embassy or Consulate in your country, to enquire on this requirement well before your departure. Please note that it is not possible to obtain entry visas upon arrival in Peru. Will appreciate you also verify whether yellow-fever or any other vaccination is required.

6. Documentation

The documentation will be posted on the ICAO SAM Regional Office website, http://www.icao.int/SAM/Pages/ES/default_ES.aspx, English, left panel, *under South American (SAM) Office, Meetings*, and participants should check our website frequently to download the documentation. All participants must bring their own set of documentation (hard copy or electronically in a laptop) to the meeting venue; there will be no hard copies available for distribution.

APÉNDICE D / APPENDIX D

**Proyecto Regional RLA/03/901- Sistema de Gestión de la REDDIG y Administración del Segmento Satelital /
Regional Project RLA/03/901 - REDDIG Management System and Administration of the Satellite Segment**

**Vigésima Reunión del Comité De Coordinación (RCC/20)
Twentieth Meeting of the Coordination Committee (RCC/20)**

(Lima, Perú, 21 al 23 de marzo de 2017 / Lima, Peru, 21 to 23 March 2017)

FORMULARIO DE REGISTRO / REGISTRATION FORM

Participaré en RCC/20
Will participate in RCC/20

1. Estado/*State:*

Organismo/*Organization:*

2. Nombre/*Name:*

3. Cargo/*Position:*

4. Participa como / *Participates as:*

Delegado/
Delegate

Asesor/
Adviser

Observador/
Observer

5. Dirección oficial /
Business address:

6. Tel.: _____

E-mail: _____

7. Hotel o dirección en la
ciudad/
Hotel or local address:

8. Información de vuelo/
Flight information:

Vuelo de llegada/ fecha/ hora/
Arrival flight/ date/ hour:

Vuelo de salida/ fecha/ hora/
Departure flight/ date/ hour:

Firma /

Signature:

Fecha /

Date:

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