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To: Mr. Frédéric Guignier, Regional Director of Civil Aviation Authority (DSAC)
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Subject: **XV ALACPA Seminar of Airport Pavements (ALACPA/15) / XIII FAA Airport Pavements Workshop / VIII Short Course for Maintenance on Airfield Pavement**
(San José, Costa Rica, 17 to 21st June 2019)

Action

Required: Register participants not later than **03rd May 2019**

Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to inform you that the Latin American and Caribbean Association of Airfield Pavements (ALACPA), in association with ICAO, FAA, the Directorate of AERIS, Operator of International Juan Santamaria Airport, is organizing the **XV ALACPA Seminar of Airport Pavements / XIII FAA Airport Pavements Workshop / VIII Short Course for Maintenance on Airfield Pavement**, to be held at the Marriott Hacienda Belen Hotel in San José, Costa Rica, from 17 to 21st, June 2019.

The participants will have the opportunity to learn new construction and maintenance techniques, new design methodology and the latest developments in equipment and materials. The Seminar will feature international experts who will share their experience and knowledge. This is a key event for airport infrastructure managers, engineers, technicians, consultants and all of those who provide services related to the aviation industry.

The main objective of this event is to exchange technical experience and knowledge of all participants giving the possibility of improving airport pavements and thus contribute to maintain the safety of airports in the Region.

The technical sessions will be provided by speakers with a vast experience on airport subject

matters. Also, this Seminar will provide the opportunity to delegates to participate in a quick course for airfield pavement maintenance. Civil aviation authorities, airport operators, international organizations regional representatives, professors (academic), consultants, contractors, etc., are invited. Languages of the events will be English and Spanish with simultaneous interpretation. Enclosed please the *General Information (Attachment A)* of the event.

The Civil Aviation Authorities from the NAM/CAR and SAM Regions are exempted from the registration/membership fee for their participation in the seminar. It is requested that your Administration/Organization send the *Registration Form (Attachment B)* duly completed to ICAO, as soon as possible, however, not later than **03rd of May 2019**.

ALACPA members will be able to register directly on ALACPA's website, www.alacpa.org, where the event's General information will be published, in due course.

If you require any further information on this event, you may contact Mr. Fabio Salvatierra, Aerodromes and Ground Aids Officer of this Regional Office (fsalvatierra@icao.int) or Mrs. Silvia Loayza (sloayza@icao.int), Administrative Assistant.

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

The image shows a handwritten signature in black ink over a blue circular logo. The logo features a globe with wings and the text 'ICAO OACI ICAO' at the top and Chinese characters at the bottom. The signature is written in a cursive style.

Fabio Farzi Rahnemay Rabbani
Regional Director
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Enclosure:

As indicated

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