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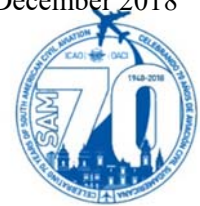
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To: Mr. Frédéric Guignier, Regional Director of Civil Aviation Authority (DSAC)  
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**Subject: Regional meeting on extended diversion time operations (EDTO)**  
Lima, Peru, from 11 to 14 March 2019

Action  
Required: Your answer not later than **18 January 2019**

Dear Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO), is organising a second meeting on extended diversion time operations (EDTO), to be held in Lima, Peru, from 11 to 14 March 2019.

In this opportunity, the objective of the meeting is to train Civil Aviation Administrations and air operators in the South American Region on the new standards and procedures promulgated in Annex 6 Part I and Doc 10085 (EDTO Manual), respectively, for extended diversion time operations (EDTO), as well as in the Latin American Regulations (LAR) requirements related with operations approval.

With the purpose of providing orientation and support to SAM States in EDTO implementation, the attached mnemonic paper note containing the proposed regional strategy for this implementation has been developed.

Please take note that Spanish-English simultaneous interpretation services will be provided for the meeting presentations. Registrations are free of cost.

SAM States civil aviation authorities are encouraged to nominate participants, having in mind that the meeting is addressed to operations and airworthiness inspectors, responsible for aircraft and operators' approval for EDTO operations. Also, the meeting is addressed to air operators' officers in charge of EDTO operations. In this regard, *I will much appreciate making extensive this invitation to the air operators of your State.*

Due to limitation of space, it is suggested that participants register at earliest possible and not later than **18 January 2019**, completing the attached form and sending it to this Regional Office.

The meeting draft agenda and the general information for the meeting will be made available as soon as possible.

Please accept the assurances of my highest consideration.



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**Enclosures:**

*Mnemonic note paper*  
*Registration form*

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