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Subject: Workshop Invitation: ICAO 8th Edition of the Global Air Navigation Plan (GANP) and the ASBU Elements Implementation: Data Submission, 23-25 June 2026: Windhoek, Namibia

Action required: Completion of the online event registration form by 9 June 2026.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to refer to the 42nd ICAO Assembly which endorsed the 8th Edition of the ICAO Doc 9750 - *Global Air Navigation Plan (GANP)* and to State Letter ES AN 1 /6 – 0447 dated 2 August 2024 which requested the nomination of State Focal Points (FPs) for the submission of data to the ESAF Dashboard on the implementation of the Aviation System Block Upgrade (ASBU) elements.

In line with the transition to the 8th Edition of the GANP, and the continued need to enhance regional monitoring and reporting of the implementation of ASBU elements, the ICAO ESAF Regional Office is pleased to invite your State to participate in a Regional Workshop entitled, 'The ICAO 8th Edition of the GANP Overview and the Workshop on Data Submission of the Implementation of ASBU Elements,' to be held from **23 to 25 June 2026** in Windhoek, Namibia and hosted by the Government of the Republic of Namibia. The objectives of the workshop are to:

- Provide participants with an overview of the ICAO Global Air Navigation Plan (GANP) 8th Edition, including its strategic direction and key features;
- Improve participants' understanding of the ASBU framework; and
- Ensure that participants submit or update their State's ASBU implementation data in the ESAF Dashboard during the workshop.

The target audience for the workshop includes the two (2) officially nominated FPs responsible for uploading data to the Dashboard, as well as subject-matter experts who are involved in the implementation of ASBU elements in the air navigation domains of AGA, AIM, ATM, CNS, MET and SAR. As data submission will take place during the workshop, participants are requested to bring their laptops and prepare in advance by coordinating with relevant national stakeholders and ensuring that all FPs have access to the ESAF Dashboard. States that have not yet nominated their FPs are strongly encouraged to do so at the earliest opportunity.

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The event will be conducted in English only. The nominated participant(s) should complete the registration form available on the ICAO webpage <https://www.icao.int/ESAF/meetings> no later than **9 June 2026**. Additional information, including the exact venue, Information Bulletin and documents on the Workshop will be made available on the same webpage.

Yours sincerely,



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Enclosure: State Letter ES AN 1 /6 – 0447 dated 2 August 2024