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Subject:

The Sixth Meeting of the Asia/Pacific Air Traffic Flow Management Steering Group (ATFM/SG/6)

(06 – 10 June 2016, Bangkok, Thailand)

Action required: To reply as soon as possible but no later than 13 May 2016

Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to inform you that the Sixth Meeting of the Asia/Pacific Air Traffic Flow Management Steering Group (ATFM/SG/6) will be held in ICAO Asia/Pacific Regional Office, Bangkok, Thailand from 06 – 10 June 2016.

In order to continue the deliberations of the meeting in a consistent, pro-active way the attendance of participants from ATFM/SG/5 is encouraged. It is further recommended that any other participants nominated preferably should have practical, recent operational experience and knowledge of the following issues within their State or Administration:

- airport and airspace capacity constraints;
- current practices and procedures for management of demand (ATFM);
- ATC surveillance and communications capability; and
- Network communications technology and applications.

Enclosed herewith are the provisional Agenda for ATFM/SG/6 (Attachment A), Registration Form (Attachment B) and Meeting Bulletin (Attachment C). I am requesting that you kindly provide, at your earliest convenience and no later than 13 May 2016, the name(s) of the delegate(s) from your State who will be attending the meeting, using the Registration Form.

It is strongly recommended that papers to the meeting should be submitted no later than two weeks prior to the meeting date, via email to the Regional Office, but in any case not later than **Wednesday 18 May 2016** (after that date papers may be considered as a Flimsy as the discretion of ICAO). Participants should obtain copies of meeting materials from the website of the Asia/Pacific Regional Office at http://www.icao.int/APAC/Meetings/Pages/default.aspx prior to the commencement of the meeting.

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

Arun Mishra Regional Director

Attachments:

A - Provisional Agenda
 B - Registration Form
 C - Meeting Bulletin

INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION ASIA AND PACIFIC OFFICE

THE SIXTH MEETING OF THE ASIA/PACIFIC AIR TRAFFIC FLOW MANAGEMENT STEERING GROUP (ATFM/SG/6)

(*Bangkok*, *Thailand*, 06 – 10 *June* 2016)

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Adoption of Agenda

Agenda Item 1:

Agenda Item 7:

Agenda Item 2: Review Outcomes of Related Meetings

Agenda Item 3: ATFM/CDM Global Update

Agenda Item 4: Review of Current CDM/ATFM Operations and Problem Areas

Agenda Item 5: Regional ATFM Framework and Guidance Material

Agenda Item 6: Any Other Business

Agenda Item 8: Date and Venue of the Next Meeting

Review of the Task List

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The Sixth Meeting of the ICAO Asia/Pacific Air Traffic Flow Steering Group (ATFM/SG/6)

(Bangkok, Thailand, 06 – 10 June 2016)

REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE CLEARLY

1.	Name in full:		
			(as should appear in the official listing and name tag)
2.	Title o	r Official Position:	
3.	State/C	Organization:	
4.	Mailin	g Address:	
5.	Telephone Number:		
	Fax Number:		
	E-mail:		
6.	Hotel		
0.	Hotel		
Note	1:	Participants are expect	ed to make their own hotel/visa arrangements
Note	2:	Please download meeting materials from the ICAO Asia/Pacific website (http://www.icao.int/APAC) prior to the meeting.	
Da	ate		Signature
Afte			ICAO Regional Office for Asia and Pacific, 252/1 Vibhavadi

After completing, please send to: ICAO Regional Office for Asia and Pacific, 252/1 Vibhavadi Rangsit Rd, Chatuchak. Bangkok 10900, Thailand, Fax: 66 (2) 537 8199 or E-mail: apac@icao.int or pjirawiwatkul@icao.int.

INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION ASIA AND PACIFIC OFFICE

THE SIXTH MEETING OF THE AIR TRAFFIC FLOW MANAGEMENT STEERING GROUP (ATFM/SG/6)

(Bangkok, Thailand, 06 – 10 June 2016)

MEETING BULLETIN

1. **Dates and Venue**

1.1 The Sixth Meeting Of The Air Traffic Flow Management Steering Group (ATFM/SG/6) will be held at Kotaite Wing of ICAO Asia and Pacific Office from Monday, 06 to Friday, 10 June 2016. The meeting will start at 0900 hours each day. The ICAO Regional Office is located at:

ICAO Building 252/1 Vibhavadi Rangsit Road Chatuchak, Bangkok 10900 Tel: +66-2-537-8189 to 97 Fax: +66-2-537-8199

E-mail: apac@icao.int

Website: http://www.icao.int/APAC

1.2 Participants are requested to register at the Registration Desk in the reception area of Kotaite Wing between 0830 and 0900 hours on the opening day of the meeting. Participants are also requested to wear the identification badge, which will be issued to them, when they are in the ICAO premise.

2. Officers and Secretariat Concerned with the Meeting

- 2.1 Mr. Shane Sumner, Regional Officer Air Traffic Management, ICAO Asia and Pacific Office, will act as the Secretary of the meeting.
- 2.2 The daily conference services are the responsibility of Ms. Kirimoke Drollett, Administrative Officer, ICAO APAC Regional Office.

3. Meeting Documents, Papers for Distribution. etc.

Participants are kindly requested to note that working or information papers for the meetings must reach this office at least two weeks before the commencement of the meeting. If you are unable to meet this deadline, please ensure that the participants bring adequate copies (paper and electronic versions) for all delegates. Meeting documents will be available on ICAO APAC website (http://www.icao.int/APAC) prior to the meeting. A hotspot for Wi-Fi connection to the Internet is also available in the premise of the APAC Office to allow viewing papers on-line.

4. Passport, Visa and Customs

4.1 Participants may wish to obtain information on Thailand entry requirements by accessing the web page http://www.mfa.go.th/web/12.php

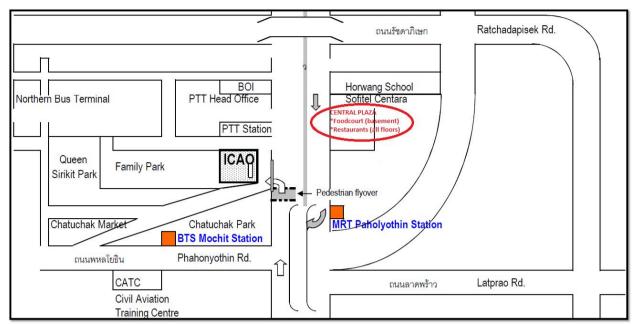
- 4.2 International certificates of vaccination against yellow fever are required if arriving within 6 days after leaving or transiting an infected area. Participants must be medically fit and in possession of medical insurance coverage to meet expenses for any sickness or medical emergency during the meeting.
- 4.3 There are no restrictions on import of foreign currency. However, if the amount exceeds US\$10,000 it must be declared on entry. Foreign currencies may be taken out of the country up to the amount imported and declared. (Current exchange rate US\$1 = Baht 30.00 approx).

5. Hotel Reservations and Transportation

- 5.1 Information giving the details of the address, fax number, tariff, etc. of hotels is provided at ICAO APAC website http://www.icao.int/APAC. Participants should contact the hotel directly by telephone/fax/e-mail for reservation.
- 5.2 Participants are required to make their own arrangements for transportation from the airport to the city. When departing, the hotel can arrange for transportation to the airport upon request. Taxis, which are less expensive than hotel taxis, are also available. Most taxis have a fare meter.
- 5.3 Participants are requested to make their own arrangements for transportation from their hotels to ICAO Regional Office, Bangkok for attending the meeting.
- 5.3.1 The nearest BTS (Skytrain) station to the ICAO Bangkok Office is *Mo Chit*. From *Mo Chit* Station, a taxi to the Office will cost approximately Baht 45.00. An instruction to be given to the taxi driver in Thai language is provided on the ICAO APAC website.
- 5.3.2 The nearest MRT sub-way station to ICAO Asia and Pacific Office is *Phahon Yothin*. At the station, take Exit No. 3 and walk over the Vibhavadi Rangsit Road using the pedestrian overpass.

6. Catering Arrangements

- Tea and Coffee will be provided for morning and (where programmed) afternoon breaks.
- 6.2 Please be informed that meeting participants are required to make their own arrangements for lunch, which will not be provided during the meeting. Participants will find highlighted on the locality map in red the possible venue available to purchase meals within the Office vicinity.
- 6.3 Participants should note that the meeting Order of Business will resume the promptly at the programmed time following the lunch break (normally 1 hour).



ICAO Asia/Pacific Regional Office Locality Map

7. **Further Information**

7.1 For further information, please contact Mr. Shane Sumner, Regional Officer ATM of ICAO Asia and Pacific Office, at:

Tel: 66-2-537 8189 ext 159

Fax: 66-2-537 8199

E-mail: ssumner@icao.int or apac@icao.int

7.2 Information about Bangkok climate may be found on the website of Thai Meteorological Department at http://www.tmd.go.th. Tropical or light weight and washable cottons will suffice and woollens are not necessary. **Casual clothing is not suitable for the meeting.**
