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Ref.: T 8/2.10 & T 8/2.11 – AP033/16 (CNS)　　　　　　　　　25 February 2016

Subject: ICAO Workshop on System Wide Information Management (SWIM)
(Bangkok, Thailand, 16-18 May 2016)

Actions Required: Register **before 22 April 2016**

Sir/Madam,

　　　　　I have the honour to invite your Administration to the ICAO SWIM Workshop on 16-18 May 2016, which will be held in conjunction with the Third Meeting of Aeronautical Communication Services Implementation Coordination Group (ACSICG/3) on 11-13 May 2016 at ICAO Regional Office Bangkok, Thailand, as a follow-up to the Conclusion adopted by APANPIRG in September 2014:

Conclusion APANPIRG 25/43 – Promote understanding of SWIM in APAC Region

That, recognizing SWIM as a building block of ASBU Block 1 and 2 modules, ICAO be invited to promote understanding of SWIM through organizing Seminars/Workshops with focus on both technical and operational aspects for SWIM development in the Asia Pacific Region.

　　　　　The Workshop aims at providing **guidelines to implement the SWIM environment in compliance with the ICAO GANP ASBU Block 1**. The Workshop will maximize opportunities of debates and questions/answers with speakers experienced and involved in planning or early implementation of SWIM services, Mini Global demonstration, and related aeronautical communication services.

　　　　　Multiple aspects of SWIM will be addressed in the 3 days event:

- B1-SWIM objectives and definitions GANP objectives, Update on progress of ICAO Information Management Panel, Services, Architecture, Governance;

- Where are we today? (current Plans for SWIM, current Communications environment);

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- How to cope with the transition? (options to implement SWIM services, market readiness, how to cope with less advanced stakeholders, transition with communications); and

- Shaping the input to the regional planning and national strategies (Which regional targets for B1-SWIM? Which dependencies?)
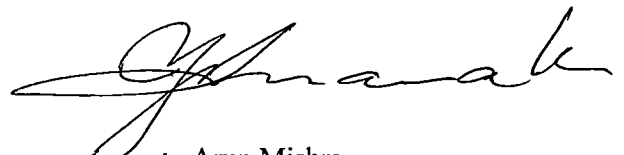
Registration

This event is a unique opportunity to get started with SWIM and expand your network with international experts of the civil aviation community.

All stakeholders from **Asia/Pacific and Middle East Regions** involved in SWIM strategy, planning and/or implementation are invited to the Workshop: international organizations, regulators, air navigation, AIS/AIM and MET service providers, airlines, training academies, and industry.

This event will be free of charge to the participants and sponsored by industry. I shall be grateful if you could forward the registration form provided as Attachment to this letter to this Office at APAC@icao.int cc: FLecat@icao.int; SSomsri@icao.int; preferably **before 22 April 2016.**

Meeting bulletin will be uploaded on the APAC website when it is available.

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

Arun Mishra
Regional Director

Enclosure:
Registration Form

**INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION
ASIA AND PACIFIC OFFICE**

**ICAO WORKSHOP ON
SYSTEM WIDE INFORMATION MANAGEMENT (SWIM)**

(Bangkok, Thailand, 16-18 May 2016)

REGISTRATION FORM

To confirm attendance, please check

1. Name in full:
   (Mr./Mrs./Miss)   _____
   (as should appear in the official listing and name tag)

2. Title or Official Position: _____

3. State/Organization: _____

4. Mailing Address: _____

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5. Telephone Number: _____

   Fax Number: _____

   E-mail: _____

6. Hotel in Bangkok   _____

   Note 1: Participants are expected to make their own hotel/visa arrangements

   Note 2: Please download meeting materials from the ICAO Asia/Pacific website
   http://www.icao.int/APAC/Meetings/ prior to the meeting

   Note 3: Please return the registration form, preferably, not **later than 22 April 2016**

Date_____Signature:_____

After completing, please send to: ICAO Regional Office for Asia and Pacific, P.O. Box 11, Samyaek
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