Gilberto López Meyer



Gilberto López Meyer was born in Sinaloa, Mexico, in 1963. He studied Law at the UNAM (Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México) and took his flight training at the CIAAC (Centro Internacional de Adiestramiento de Aviación Civil), of the Mexican Secretariat of Communications and Transport.

He has studies related to Civil, Commercial and Labor Law by the Universidad Panamericana, México City, and the course called "Advanced Negotiation for Lawyers" at Harvard University, USA. Afterwards, he got his master degree on International Business Law at the Universidad Iberoamericana, México City. He also concluded the Top Management Program AD-2 taught by Instituto Panamericano de Alta Dirección de Empresa (IPADE).

Additionally, he has participated in several academic workshops and seminaries related to legal and aeronautical issues; he also received training as an aviation accident investigator at the University of Southern California, USA.

Captain López Meyer has logged approximately 8,600 logged hours, flying Boeing 727-200 Fokker 100 and Cessna 500/550 aircraft.

Mr. López Meyer was National Coordinator at México for the International Transport Workers Federation (ITF) and had different positions in the Mexican Pilots Union (ASPA de México), and Mexican Pilots College (Colegio de Pilotos Aviadores de México) where he was President from 2000 to 2003.

Gilberto López Meyer was designated as General Director of the Mexican Civil Aviation Authority (DGAC) of the Mexican Secretariat of Communications and Transport on February, 2003.

Since February 2008, he has participated in the high level group at the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) to analyze and design the international aviation strategy in the fight against climate change. Also he has been promoter of the development, production and use of aviation biofuels in Mexico.

On September 16 of 2008, he was designated as General Director in Aeropuertos y Servicios Auxiliares (ASA). He was in that position until December 6 of 2012.

On December 7 of 2012, he was designated as General Director for the Mexico City International Airport, position he held until March 4 of 2013.

On March 5 of 2013, he was designated by Mr. Enrique Peña Nieto; President of México as General Director in Aeropuertos y Servicios Auxiliares (ASA).