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Subject: Government Safety Inspectors (GSI) Course in Aircraft Operations,
27 April-13 May 2011, Accra, Ghana

Action Required: Notify the names of your
Representative (s) by no later than **12 April 2011**

Sir/Madam,

I have the honour to inform you that the ICAO AFI Comprehensive Regional Implementation Plan for Aviation Safety is organizing a Government Safety Inspector (GSI) course in Aircraft Operations. The course is scheduled to be held at Ghana Civil Aviation Training Academy in Accra, Ghana from 27 April to 13 May 2011.

The GSI Operations course covers the basic concepts and steps involved in the certification of an Air Transport Operator. The aim of the course is to provide participants with the knowledge and skills required to conduct air operator certification by following the five-phase certification process based upon ICAO Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPs) and relevant guidance material.

During the course, participants will follow a “mock operator” seeking certification through each phase of the certification process based on the Model Civil Aviation Regulations (MCARs). Exercises will be conducted in which participants will evaluate excerpts of the mock operator’s manuals and make observations of the operator’s demonstrations to ensure compliance with the MCARs and advisory materials.


The course will be conducted in the English Language. The schedule and information bulletin containing general information will be forwarded to registered participants in due course. More information on the courses can be obtained on the AFI Plan website at <http://www2.icao.int/en/acip>

Your Administration is kindly requested to nominate two (2) suitable candidates, based on the attached prerequisite, for consideration and acceptance to the course. The ultimate goal is to eventually train the participants as GSI Instructors; in this respect we would also appreciate to receive the CVs of the candidates together with the nominations to be submitted. As the number of

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seats is limited, your prompt action in submitting the names of your candidates and in any case not later than **12 April 2011** will be highly appreciated.

Please accept, Sir/Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.


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ICAO Regional Director
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Attachment:

- A. Course requirements
- B. Demographic Questionnaire for
ICAO AFI Plan GSI Operations Course