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Dear Sir

**ICAO Assembly Resolution A27-10: Proficiency in English language used for Radiotelephony Communications**

We acknowledge receipt of your letter referenced AN 12/44.6-11 dated January 2011 regarding the above caption.

Please be informed that we have since August 2008, tested all controllers and pilots whose licenses are current and active on the Gambia Civil Aviation Authority's register.

Testing was outsourced to ASECNA an International Organisation recognized by ICAO, and was based on requirements set out in ICAO Doc 9835; manual on the implementation of ICAO Language Proficiency Requirement and ICAO approved testing procedures.

All personnel tested were certified above level 4 of ICAO rating Scale. Subsequent testing shall be done in August 2014 in accordance with Gambia Civil Aviation Authority English Language Proficiency Plan which is also in line with the requirement of ICAO Doc. 9835.

Kindly, accept sir, the assurance of our highest consideration.

Yours faithfully

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**AG. DIRECTOR GENERAL**

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