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Subject : **Joint ICAO EUR/NAT and EATEO International Forum - "Enhancing Safety through Effective Training and Education/ Regional and Interregional Perspectives"**
(EUROCONTROL, Brussels, 6 November 2019)

Action required : Reply by 26 October 2019

Dear Madam/Sir,

1. I wish to invite your Administration/Organisation to nominate participants to take part in the international forum on **"Enhancing Safety through Effective Training and Education / Regional and Interregional Perspectives"**, jointly organised by the ICAO European and North Atlantic (EUR/NAT) Office and the European Association of Aviation Training and Educational Organisations (EATEO) and hosted by EUROCONTROL, that will be held on 6 November 2019 in the premises of EUROCONTROL in Brussels, Conference Room PILATUS.

2. The main objective of the forum is to promote practical ideas and establish networks for cooperation among all stakeholders in air transport, States, International Organizations, aviation industry, training organizations and academia, in order to find comprehensive solutions to the aviation training and education challenges, at regional and sub-regional level. To that end, you are kindly invited to forward this invitation to aviation training organisations and institutes located in your State.

3. The working language of the forum will be English. A draft programme is enclosed for ease of reference at **Attachment A** and the Nomination Form at **Attachment B**. The ICAO EUR/NAT focal points for this event are Mr. Sarantis Poulimenakos (spoulimenakos@paris.icao.int) and Ms. Mihaela Brunette (mbrunette@paris.icao.int). Please note that due to the limited number of places available, registrations will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

4. In conclusion, I would like to thank you for your unceasing cooperation with ICAO which I am confident will continue in the future.

Yours faithfully,

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ICAO Regional Director
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Enclosures: Attachment A - Nomination form
Attachment B - Draft Programme
Attachment C - Practical Information

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Attachment A

**International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)
European and North Atlantic Regional Office**

NOMINATION FORM

**“ENHANCING SAFETY THROUGH EFFECTIVE TRAINING AND EDUCATION / REGIONAL AND
INTERREGIONAL PERSPECTIVES”**

(EUROCONTROL, Brussels, 6 November 2019)

PLEASE COMPLETE CLEARLY AND SEND BACK TO THE ADDRESS BELOW

1. Name: Mr/Mrs/Ms

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7. Phone:

8. Signature _____ Date _____

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Attachment B**INTERNATIONAL FORUM*****“ENHANCING SAFETY THROUGH EFFECTIVE TRAINING AND EDUCATION -
REGIONAL AND INTERREGIONAL PERSPECTIVES”*****Organised by: ICAO EUR/NAT Office and EATEO****Hosted by: EUROCONTROL****Chairman: Raymond Benjamin (Former Secretary General of ICAO, Special Adviser to EATEO)****Introduction**

Aviation training and education support the Human Resources Development strategies established by States and the aviation community. This is necessary in order to ensure that they have access to a sufficient number of qualified and competent personnel to operate, manage and maintain the current and future air transport system at prescribed international standards for Safety, Air Navigation Capacity and Efficiency, Security and Facilitation, Economic Development of Air Transport, and Environmental Protection.

To ensure the Safety of the International Civil Aviation System, training and education should be developed and made available to all regions and sub regions with the collaboration and coordination of all aviation stakeholders.

EATEO has an instrumental coordination role in this process.

Objectives

- To promote practical ideas for cooperation between all stakeholders in air transport, in order to find comprehensive solutions to the aviation training and education challenges, including those relating to emerging issues such as, drones, cyber security, environment, crisis management/public health events etc.
- To highlight the need to ensure that qualified and competent aviation personnel developed through dedicated training, will be available to sustain the global growing aviation demands, including remote and under developed regions.
- To discuss the need of cooperation between international organizations, aviation industry, training organizations and academia.
- To highlight the need to support training organizations at regional and sub-regional level, especially on emerging aviation issues and in need of modernization.
- To discuss the need to establish and support relevant networks.

09.00 – 09.30**OPENING SESSION - Welcome addresses**

- **Eamonn Brennan** - Director General EUROCONTROL
- **Alessio Quaranta** - Chairman EATEO
- **Silvia Gehrler** - Regional Director, ICAO Europe and North Atlantic

09.30 – 10.40**SESSION ONE - Strengthening Regional and Interregional cooperation**

- **ICAO** - Sarantis Poulimenakos
- **EASA** - Frances Condron
- **EATEO** - Christos Petrou
- **AATO** - Margareth Moyo

10.40 – 11.00 : COFFEE BREAK**11.00 – 12.10****SESSION TWO - Complementing compliance with best practices**

- **EUROCONTROL** - Hendrik Dermont
- **JAATO** - Paula de Almeida
- **IATA** - Giancarlo Buono
- **Singapore CAAS** - Michael Lim

12.10 – 13.20**SESSION THREE - From theory to practice**

- **EUROCAE** - Adrian Cioranu
- **ACI** - John Webster
- **IFALPA** - Otjan de Bruijn
- **IFATCA** - Tom Larson

13.20 – 14.40 : LUNCH**14.40 – 15.50****SESSION FOUR - Utilizing the work and research output of the Academic Institutions**

- **Coventry University** - Steve Scott
- **Concordia University** - Sandra Nichol
- **Qatar Aeronautical Academy** - Maxwell Odhiambo
- **CERTH/Greece**- Maria Boile

15.50 – 17.00: PANEL DISCUSSION / CONCLUSIONS

- Chairman
- All participants

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