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**ICAO Seminar on the Implementation of ATN Ground/Ground and Air/Ground Applications and ATS Messaging Management Centre (AMC) User Training Course for the NAM/CAR/SAM Regions**  
(Dominican Republic, 23 to 27 November 2009)

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

(Presented by the Secretariat)

### 1. Site and date

The ICAO Seminar on the Implementation of ATN Ground/Ground and Air/Ground Applications and ATS Messaging Management Centre (AMC) User Training Course for the NAM/CAR/SAM Regions will be held in the Hotel OASIS HAMACA Beach Resort, Spa & Casino, del from Monday 23 to Friday 27 November 2009.

### 2. Address and contact information – Site of the event

Boca Chica (in the outskirts of the city)  
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### 5. Registration of participants

Participants are to register on Monday 23 November 2009 from 08:00 to 09:00 hours.

**6. Opening ceremony**

The opening ceremony of the vent will be on Monday 23 November 2009, from 09:00 to 09:30 hours.

**7. Temperature**

In Santo Domingo, the temperature during the month of November is approximately of 28°C.

**8. Exchange rate and credit cards**

The national currency is the Peso (RD\$). The current exchange rate is RD\$36.25 per US\$1.00. Exchange your money in banks or authorized money exchange stores.

**9. Credit cards**

The following international credit cards are accepted in most stores and restaurants: American Express, Master Card, Visa, Diners Club, etc.

**10. Passport, visa and vaccine requirements**

A valid passport and visa are required for citizens from certain countries. To this effect, delegates are kindly requested to complete the formalities **well in advance** in order to obtain entry visa from the respective embassy or consulate. This also applies in the event of vaccine requirements.

**11. Hotels**

The hotels suggested hereunder provide special tariffs to all participants at the meeting:

<i>Site of event:</i>		
<i>Hotel OASIS HAMACA Address: Boca Chica Telephones: 809-523-4611 E-mail: hamaca.banquetes@hotelesoasis.com Yatnaa Gúzman o Mildred Henriquez</i>	<i>Simple</i>	<i>US\$110.00</i>
	<i>Double</i>	<i>US\$85.00</i>
	<i>Triple</i>	<i>US\$60.00</i>
	<i>Includes: All included</i>	
	<i>5-star hotel</i>	
<i>Other nearby hotels:</i>		
<i>Hotel Don Juan Address: Boca Chica Telephones: 809-523-4511 / 809-523-930, Ext. 8007 E-mail: reservas@donjuanbeachresort.com Contact: Mayra Vicente</i>	<i>Single</i>	<i>US\$85.00</i>
	<i>Double</i>	<i>US\$65.00</i>
	<i>Includes: All included</i>	
	<i>3-star hotel</i>	

**Note:** As usual, hotel reservations must be guaranteed with a credit card. These prices are approximate and are subject to change.

The IDAC Dominican Republic contact to assist you in the reservations is:

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12. **Hospitals**

The **Clínica Abreu**, located in Ave. Independencia No. 42, corner of Beller, Tel: +688-4411, is the recommended hospital.

13. **Commercial hours**

From 08:30 to 19:30 hours, approximately.

14. **Electricity**

110 Volts/60Hz.

15. **Airport tax**

Airport tax is US\$ 20.00 (some airlines include it in the ticket).

16. **Taxes and tips**

The tax for purchases is included in the prices of the articles. The tips at restaurants are not included in the bill, and normally is around 10% of the consumption.

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