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Cc: Mr. Jaime Abigantus, IATA abigantusj@iata.org

Subject: **Technical meeting for the work plan of the Automatic Dependent Surveillance –
Broadcasting (ADS-B)**
(ICAO NACC Regional Office, Mexico City, Mexico, 30 to 31 July 2024)

Action
Required: **Confirm the attendance of a representative from IATA**

Dear Ms. Mailhot,

As a result of the First North American, Central American and Caribbean Working Group (NACC/WG) Surveillance Task Force (SURV/TF/01) Meeting, held online on 24 May 2024, after analyzing the works carried out to date on the implementation of Automatic Dependent Surveillance – Broadcast (ADS-B), and considering GREPECAS/21 Conclusion that was requested to create a work plan for the implementation of ADS-B and present it at the GREPECAS/22 meeting, Mr. Jaime Abigantus is invited to a face-to-face meeting from 30 to 31 July 2024 at the ICAO NACC Regional Office.


This meeting will be held in Spanish only with the attendance of representatives from Cuba, Dominican Republic, Mexico, and COCESNA, all of them under the process of ADS-B implementation. The meeting will have the support from the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), United States.

The objective of the meeting is to act on the implementation of ADS-B in the CAR Region's upper airspace, taking advantage of the surveillance infrastructure that these participating States/Organizations already have in place. In this regard, it's necessary that IATA, as airlines' representative, provide information on its use and actions needed to complete before implementing the regulation of the operation of the ADS-B in the region.

For follow-up, the designated person may communicate directly with Ms. Mayda Ávila (NACC-CNS@icao.int), Communications, Navigation, and Surveillance (CNS) Regional Officer of this ICAO NACC Regional Office.

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Accept, Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.


Christopher Barks
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North American, Central American and
Caribbean (NACC) Regional Office