09 October 2017

Re: Invitation to the Asia-Pacific regional event on the Cape Town Convention and its Aircraft Protocol and cross-border transferability of aircraft (XBT), 8 & 9 November 2017, Singapore

Dear Invitees to the above,

The Aviation Working Group (AWG) invites you to an important Asia-Pacific regional event on the Cape Town Convention and its Aircraft Protocol (CTC) and cross border transferability of aircraft (XBT).

This event is jointly organized by the AWG and the Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore (CAAS) with the support of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) and the International Institute for the Unification of Private Law (UNIDROIT). It is hosted by the Singapore Aviation Academy (SAA).

It will be held in Singapore at the SAA – located at 1 Aviation Drive, Singapore, 499867 – on 8 & 9 November 2017.

The program for the event is attached.

The program will address the economic benefits of CTC, including links with the interpretation and implementation of, and compliance with, its provisions, as well as regional and global CTC developments. There will be special focus on actions by civil aviation authorities.

Additionally, a special session will be dedicated to ICAO’s new activities on the cross-border transfer of aircraft (XBT).

Invitees to this event are Asia-Pacific aviation officials, airlines, and leading legal practitioners.

There is no charge for this event, but delegates will cover their own expenses.

Please advise – by email to the undersigned with copy to Luana Low (luana.low@bocaviation.com) – if you or your designee will join this event.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you in Singapore.

Sincerely yours,

Jeffrey Wool
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Aviation Working Group
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cc: Francoise Collette, Airbus; co-chair, AWG; Daniel da Silva, Boeing; co-chair, AWG.
Program

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8 & 9 November 2017
Singapore

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Day 1: Cape Town Convention (CTC)
09h00 Registration and informal discussions over coffee
09h30 Welcome and opening comments
   Anna Veneziano, Acting Secretary-General, UNIDROIT
   Francois Collet, Vice-president, Structured Finance, Airbus
   Marla Weinstein, Legal Officer, ICAO
   Tan Siew Huay, Legal Director, CAAS
10h00 CTC Basics I: economics
   Daniel da Silva, Vice President, Strategic Regulatory Policy, Boeing
10h45 CTC Basics II: legal
   Anna Veneziano, Acting Secretary-General, UNIDROIT
   Jeffrey Wool, secretary general, AWG
11h45 CTC Basics III: international registry
   Marla Weinstein, Legal Officer, ICAO
   Rob Cowan, Managing Director, Aviareto
12h45 Lunch with key note speaker
   Robert Martin, Managing Director & CEO, BOC Aviation
14h00 Open question and answer and consultation session
14h30 Civil aviation authority compliance with CTC
   Jeffrey Klang, Regional Counsel, FAA
   Tan Siew Huay, Legal Director, CAAS
15h30 Best practices for lawyering under the Cape Town Convention
   Donald Gray, Partner, Blake Cassels & Graydon
   John Pritchard, Partner, Holland & Knight
   Paul Ng, Partner, Milbank
16h30 Open question and answer and consultation session
17h00 Reception
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Day 2: Cross Border Transferability (XBT)

09h00  Background to XBT: historical, legal, and economic
Daniel da Silva, Vice President, Strategic Regulatory Policy, Boeing
Donald Gray, Partner, Blake Cassels & Graydon

10h00  Break

10h15  Developments at ICAO on XBT
Miguel Marin, Chief, Operational Safety Section, ICAO

11h15  Core issues going forward on XBT
Jeffrey Klang, Regional Counsel, FAA
Jeffrey Wool, secretary general, AWG

12h00  Open question and answer and consultation session

12h25  Closing comments
Jeffrey Wool, secretary general, AWG

12h30  Lunch
Administrative Note

Regional Seminar on the Cape Town Convention and its Aircraft Protocol and Cross-Border Transferability of Aircraft for Asia-Pacific States

8 and 9 November 2017, Singapore Aviation Academy, Singapore

Hotel Arrangement

Delegates may wish to stay at the Village Changi Hotel (Website: www.stayfareast.com; tel: +65 6881 8888), which is located 5 minutes walk from SAA. The rate extended to SAA delegates is S$200nett/S$220nett per room night for single/twin-sharing standard room which includes daily breakfast, wifi and scheduled airport transfer.

To book a room, please complete and send the attached booking form to the hotel directly via email: erictan@fareast.com.sg and reseasy@fareast.com.sg

Directions to SAA

SAA is located at 1 Aviation Drive, off Telok Paku Road in the eastern part of Singapore. See map of SAA below. For more directions to get to SAA, click here.
HOTEL RESERVATION
Singapore Aviation Academy

Attention: Mr. Eric Tan
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A) Personal Details:
Last Name (Mr/Ms/Mrs): 1._________________________First Name: 1._________________________
Last Name (Mr/Ms/Mrs): 2._________________________First Name: 2._________________________

Email Address:

B) Reservation Details:
Arrival Date: Flight ETA Hrs
Departure Date: Flight ETD Hrs

C) Room Type Request:
Superior Room: ☐ S$200.00nett per room per night inclusive of one buffet breakfast & internet (Single)
Superior Room: ☐ S$220.00nett per room per night inclusive of two buffet breakfast & internet (Double/ Twin)
Superior Room: ☐ S$195.00nett per room per night inclusive of one buffet breakfast & internet (Only applicable for reservations 7 nights and above)
Superior Room: ☐ S$185.00nett per room per night inclusive of one buffet breakfast & internet (Only applicable for reservations 15 nights and above)

**The above rates are not applicable during surcharge period.**

Preferences ☐ King-bed ☐ Twin-Bed ☐ Smoking Room ☐ Non-Smoking Room ☐ Extra Bed S$80nett per day

** (All requests subject to availability)

D) Method of Guarantee:
Card Type (Please tick one) ☐ AMEX ☐ Diners Club ☐ Master card ☐ VISA
Card Member’s Name ___________________________ Signature ___________________________
Credit Card Number ___________________________ Expiry Date ___________________________

Kindly send this reservation form preferably 2 weeks before arrival date.

** Reservation received will be subjected to room availability.**

The Hotel reserves the right to offer higher category rooms if Superior is not available.

Terms & Conditions
1. Check In Details: Check in time is at 1400 hrs and check out time is at 1200 hrs.
2. Guarantee Policy: A credit card number is required to confirm or guarantee your reservations.
   All non-guaranteed reservations will automatically be released at 1800 hrs (local time) on day of Arrival.
3. Cancellation Policy: Reservations must be cancelled 1 working day before 1600 hrs (local time) prior to check in date. Otherwise, there will be a one-night penalty charge made onto the credit card guaranteed for "No Show."
4. Special request for room preferences as well as early arrival or late departure are subject to room availability.
5. The above rates are applicable for stay on/before 31 December 2017.
6. This form is good for reservation of one (1) room.

Hotel Use:
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