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### Wednesday 15 April 2009 - Day 1

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8.30 - 9.00	Registration		
<b>Opening Sessio</b>	n		
9.00 - 9.05	Welcoming remarks		
	<i>Mme. Nguyen Nguyet Nga</i> Director General of Multilateral Economic Cooperation Department Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Viet Nam		
9.05 - 9.10	Opening speech		
	<b>H.E. Mr. Le Manh Hung</b> Vice Minister of Ministry of Transport of Viet Nam		
9.10 - 9.15	5 minutes break		
Session I: Impl	ementation of the ICAO Universal Security A	udit (USAP)	
Chaired by Mr.	Nguyen Van Linh (Director of Aviation Security	Department, CAA of Viet Nam)	
9.15 - 9.20	Self introduction of delegates		
9.20 - 9.50	Overview of aviation security developments in the Asia Pacific Region and the importance of aviation security audits	Mr. Scottie R. Laird USA Transport Security Administration (TSA)	
9.50 - 10.30	The ICAO Universal AVSEC Audit Programme (1 <sup>st</sup> Cycle) – useful lessons learnt	Mr. Nguyen Thanh QUY Chief of Aviation Security Instructor, Flight Training Centre, Vietnam Airlines Corporation	
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee break		
11.00 - 11.30	ICAO Security Audit – Experiences and	Mr. Vu Duc HUAN	
	benefits gained	Executive Director of Security Services Company, Northern Airports Corporation (NAC), Viet Nam	
11.30 - 12.00	Preparing for the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Cycle of USAP audit	Mr. Murray (Hugo) PORTER Senior Technical Specialist - Aviation Security, Aviation House, New Zealand	
12.30 - 14.00	Lunch break		
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14.00 - 14.30	Preparing for an AVSEC audit – the need for implementation of AVSEC Quality Control and the development of a National AVSEC Quality Control Programme	Mr. Nicholas LUM Assistant Director Dept. International Relations and Security Ministry of Transport of Singapore
14.30 - 15.00	Compliance management of the Security Programme for aviation services providers (including regulated cargo agents and other airlines related services providers)	Mr. Anjum K. AGARWALA USA Transport Security Administration
15.00 - 15.30	Security Management System (SeMS) from an operator's perspective.	<b>Capt. Toby McNamara</b> General Manager Safety, Security and QA, Jetstar Pacific Airlines
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee Break	
16.00 - 16.45	Sharing information of the implementation of the $1^{st}$ cycle and the preparation for the implementation of the $2^{nd}$ cycle USAP audit	APEC member economies
16.45 – 17.15	<ul> <li>Moderator's remarks and discussion</li> <li><i>Expected outcomes:</i> <ul> <li>The strengthen in the aviation capacity of member economies via the full compliance with ICAO Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPS) should be enhanced and promoted to secure the air transport.</li> <li>The perspective of sharing of the results of USAP audit and the corrective actions plan as urged by the ICAO Assembly Resolution A36-20.</li> <li>Encouraging APEC member economies (which are ICAO Member States) to fully cooperate with USAP.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
18.30 - 21.00	Welcoming Dinner	

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Session II: Cor	npliance in Security Oversight System and Se	MS
	Murray (Hugo) Porter	
Seni	or Technical Specialist - Aviation Security - Avia	
9.00 - 9.30	Compliance management of the National	Mr. Murray (Hugo) PORTER
	Civil Aviation Security Programme	Senior Technical Specialist - Aviation
		Security - Aviation House, New Zealand
9.30 - 10.00	Compliance management of the Operator	Mr. John EDWARDS
	Security Programme	Head of Cargo Security Office -
		International Aviation Transpor
		Association (IATA)
10.00 - 10.30	Security Management System (SeMS) from a	Mr. John EDWARDS
	regulator's perspective	Head of Cargo Security Office –
		International Aviation Transport
		Association (IATA)
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee break	
11.00 - 11.30	Security audits for air cargo – possible best	Mr. Anjum K. AGARWALA
	practices	USA Transport Security Administration
11.30 - 12.00	Security control measures for the hand	Mr. Anjum K. AGARWALA
11.30 - 12.00	carriage of Liquids, Aerosols and Gels	USA Transport Security Administration
	(LAGs) – the possibilities and challenges	USA Hansport Security Administration
	towards harmonization amongst stakeholders	
12.00 12.20		
12.00 - 12.30	Moderator's remarks and discussion	
	Expected outcomes:	
	Encouraging APEC economies to cooperate building projects on bilateral or regional baindustry to ensure that security regimes are st world.	asis, undertaken by both government and
	Recognition of the crucial role of certificati	on of supply chain validation procedures
	APEC economies are encouraged to consider the	
	Administrations to enter into bilateral or	
	acceptance.	
12.30 - 14.00	Lunch break	
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2	John EDWARDS	
Hea	ud of Cargo Security Office – International Aviat	ion Transport Association (IATA)
14.00 - 14.30	Aviation Security Audits – the importance of	Mr. Nicholas LUM
	human factors	Assistant Director
		Dept. International Relations and Security
		Ministry of Transport of Singapore
14.30 - 15.00	The importance of aviation security audits -	Mr. John EDWARDS
	the view from IATA	Head of Cargo Security Office -
		International Aviation Transport
		Association (IATA)
15.00 - 15.30	Coffee break	
15.30 - 16.00	Moderator's remarks and discussion	
	Expected outcomes:	

	Updating and sharing common awareness of current status and policies of aviation security and discussed future directions to enhance security measures.	
16.00 - 16.30	Closing remarks	
	Mr. Luu Thanh Binh Deputy Director General of Civil Aviation Administration of Viet Nam (CAAV)	



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# **Summary Report**

Purpose: Consideration Submitted by: Viet Nam



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### SUMMARY REPORT

The APEC Training Symposium entitled "**Optimize the use of audits and investigation to strengthen aviation security in APEC economies**" was held in Ha Noi, Viet Nam from 15-16 April 2009. Participants from APEC member economies, representatives of international and non-governmental organizations including IATA, air carriers, airport operators and relevant Vietnamese governmental agencies attended the Symposium.

The main objectives of the Symposium were (i) draw the attention of APEC economies to the ICAO USAP and security audit/investigation, hence to facilitate better coordination between economies and ICAO in the implementation of USAP; (ii) to improve the utilization of audit in strengthening the oversight of aviation security activities, and (iii) to encourage co-operation and collaboration in security audit among economies in mutual recognition to enhance the security capability.

The Seminar was opened by H.E. Mr. Le Manh Hung, Deputy Minister for Transport of Viet Nam and Mme. Nguyen Nguyet Nga, Director General of Multilateral Economic Cooperation Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Viet Nam.

### Session outcomes and key issues

### Session 1: Implementation of the ICAO Universal Security Audit (USAP)

Eight presentations presented by USA, Viet Nam, New Zealand, Singapore and Jetstar Pacific Airlines emphasized the importance of the ICAO Universal Security Audit Programme (USAP) in auditing the security as well shared their own experiences in how to effectively implement the 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle of USAP and preparation for the next Cycle. Symposium participants also got the views of global results of the 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle of USAP and learned about the experiences and practices when undertook the 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle of some economies.

The Symposium also shared the useful experiences of how to prepare for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Cycle of USAP audit and critical requirements of developing and maintaining of an effective National AVSEC Quality Control Programme. The domestic carrier Jetstar Pacific Airlines presentation also drew the attention of audiences to a new concept but is nowadays mandatory requirements for International Aviation Transport Association (IATA) members – Security Management System (SeMS) practices from the views of an air carrier.

### Session 2: Compliance in Security Oversight System and SeMS

Speakers from New Zealand, United States and IATA laid the emphasis on AVSEC auditing in assurance the compliance of AVSEC activities to the national and operator standards and requirements. Taking into account the priority of aviation security quality control system, Malaysia shared with the Symposium her perspectives in AVSEC auditor training.

The SeMS trend of development was reviewed at a regulator's perspective while best practices in security audits for air cargo and the possible harmonization of security control measures for the hand carriage of Liquids, Aerosols and Gels (LAGs) were debated.

As the harmonization of AVSEC procedures and arrangements is needed to facilitate the traveling by air of public, the Symposium shared the views on the role of ICAO Cooperative Aviation Security Programme – Asia Pacific (CASP-AP) in the harmonization of security standards.

### Session 3: Aviation Security: Other perspectives

At this last session, speakers from Singapore and IATA highlighted other factors also contribute to the success of AVSEC audit process, i.e. human factor. The future trend of AVSEC audit also was retouched by the IATA representative with proposals for moving forwards.

The collaboration between APEC economies has been underlined in order to effectively assisting economies to enhance its AVSEC capability and further tighten the cooperation in the region.

After two days of extensive and fruitful discussions, participants identified a number of recommendations for consideration by member economies and the APEC CTTF, as follows:

- 1. Call on member economies who are ICAO Contracting States to fully comply with ICAO Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPS).
- 2. Encourage the APEC economies who are non Contracting States to ICAO to consider ICAO SARPS as framework for best practices in aviation security.
- 3. Emphasize to all APEC economies the importance of ensuring a robust aviation security through rigorous application of quality control and oversight using a risk management framework.
- 4. Recognizing the importance of information exchange in creating ground for confidence and collaboration, APEC economies are encouraged to consider limited sharing of the results of USAP audit and the corrective actions plan as urged by the ICAO Assembly Resolution A36-20.

- 5. Encourage APEC economies to cooperate and collaborate in implementing capacity building projects on bilateral and regional basis and to build-up recognition relationships to identify and share best practices in aviation security.
- 6. Recommend each APEC Member Economy maximize the benefits of ICAO USAP, utilize findings from the economy's audit to aid in prioritizing revisions to that economy's programs (NCASP, NCASQCP, NCASTP, etc.), security processes, stakeholder programs, and legislation.
- 7. APEC economies are encouraged to consider the role of ICAO Cooperative Aviation Security Programme (CASP-AP) in the harmonization of security standards.

In conclusion, Mr. Luu Thanh Binh, Deputy Director General (DDG) of Civil Aviation Administration Viet Nam (CAAV) delivered concluding remarks, summing up what had been discussed and achieved in three seminar sessions. Participants agreed that the recommendations would be circulated for participants' comments and the final recommendations would be submitted to the coming APEC CTTF meeting for considerations. DDG Binh also thanked member economies for their active participation in and valuable contributions to the Symposium. Member economies highly appreciated the discussion and outcomes of the Symposium and thanked Viet Nam for her good organization and hospitality./.



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# Overview of Aviation Security Developments in the Asia Pacific Region

Presented by: Mr. Scottie R. Laird USA Transport Security Administration

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# Aviation audit – results and experience

Presented by: Mr. Nguyen Thanh Quy

Chief of Aviation Security Instructor Flight Training Centre Vietnam Airlines Corporation

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# Objectives

- Successful of The ICAO Universal AVSEC Audit Programme 1st Cycle in Vietnam
- The achievements of Vietnam AVSEC after The 1st Cycle of ICAO Universal AVSEC Audit Programme.

Ths. Thanh quy

# • Lessons learnt.



# CORRECTIVE RESULTS

- Identify AVSEC products
- Complete the legal frame
- Complete the AVSEC Programme
- Complete the training programme
- Develop the AVSEC quality evaluation programme
- Conducting internal services evaluation



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# **ICAO Security Audit**

# **Experiences and benefits gained**

Presented by: Mr. Vu Duc HUAN

Executive Director Security Services Company Northern Airports Corporation (NAC), Viet Nam

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### PRESENTATION ICAO Security Audit – Experiences and benefits gained

Dear distinguished guests and colleagues,

From 2003 to 2007, ICAO had implemented three audits at Noi Bai (the first audit on September 2003, the second on March 2005 and the third on June 2007) in order to review and evualuate aviation security arrangements at Noi Bai airport, examine the corrective actions after ICAO's previous recommendations and point out future works as:

- Implement of situation deal with mistakes follow ICAO's suggestions from VIE 801 Project on 2003 and ICAO's recommendations on March 2005 at Noi Bai international airport.

- Appreciate generally and particularly security-measures at terminals, air field, in-out control, screening, inspect passengers and baggage, security solutions refer to cargos; ready for dealing with acts of unlawful interference...

- Appreciate fully implementation ICAO Annex 17 Standards refer to security operation at all level: 3.18, 3.2.1, 3.2.3, 3.2.6, 3.4.1, 3.4.2, 4.2.1, 4.2.2, 4.3.1, 4.3.3, 4.4.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4, 4.4.5, 4.4.7, 4.4.8, 4.5.1, 4.5.2, 4.5.3, 4.5.4, 3.2.4, 4.6.3, 4.7.1, 4.7.2, 5.1.2, 5.1.3. at Noi Bai International Airport.

- The 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle of ICAO USAP had been strong influence and had brought about a fundamental change in quanlity, effectiveness, image of aviation security task at Noi Bai International Airport as follows:

1. Recommendations of ICAO about finance, expence in guarantee aviation security, about roles, responsibilities of airport security in ensure flight-operation and in planning, construct substructure... has contributed to awaken, positive responsible attitude and realize politic guidance from Leaders of Government, Ministry of Communication, Civil Aviation Administration of Viet Nam and Northern Airports Corporation and organs, enterprises at Noi Bai with aviation security importance.

Realize responsibility and attitude of officer, staff in SASC as well as, others organs, enterprise at Noi Bai had a deep change. They understood aviation security importance and obey strictly all safety rules and instroduction.

2. Immediately after ICAO USAP in 2003 ultil now, thanks to aviation security specialist's recommendations, there are increasing number of investment, buying more specialized aviation instruments, as well as reparing, upgrading to support effectively for terminal's security safety. Many new tools as: Portable Explosive Detector, Passport Detector, Alcohol Detector and Explosive Warning Software. Basic substructures support aviation safety as: camera, security check-point...after ICAO's examination security system has been invested, built strenthenly follow ICAO's Standards and Recommendations.

3. Before ICAO has made inspection, Noi Bai had built and deploied the Noi Bai Airport Security Program (ASP) itself and apply a list of accumulative rules at the same time, unscientific in consulting and apply. In the first edition, USAP's rules as well as introductions of National Aviation Security Program (NASP) are general, imparticality, inflexibility and infeasibility.

Through ICAO's audit, doc-system of stimulations, procedures, introductions about aviation security from Gorvernment, Ministry of Communication, VietNam Aviation Department, Northern Airports Corporation and enterprises at Noi Bai Int'l Airport has been revised, strengthened. A/P ASP and NASP had been amended, edited totally. Scientific and feasible in application, fit for ICAO' Standard and Recommendations, affirmation is a kingpin-doc of NASP as well as Noi Bai ASP.

4. Throught ICAO's audit had pointed out one important point in Noi Bai security tasks: stimulated Docs as well as put-into-practise are not clear in ranged responsibility, authority of each organ, unit during in charge of emercency airport or dealing-with acts of unlawful interference. It makes difficultly in co-operation. When something go wrong, it can not accuse of responsibility, recrimination.

To make good above USAP 1<sup>st</sup> Cycle's suggestions had built base of relation, cooperation. Assign a duty and role in a clear way. Procedure ensure security safety as well as airport emergencies.

5.The USAP had helped to improve prestige, image and position of Noinai airport security forces.

Finally, on my behalf and NASC's representation, with useful lessons from USAP (Cycle 1) for guarantee security at Noi Bai Int'l Airport. I greatly appreciate to:

- Mr. Graham Lockwood - ICAO's specialist who in charge of Chieft Technical Advisor for VIE 801 Project.

- Mrs. Anderson Penny, Mr. Duthie Alex, Mr. Lee Joo-Hyung and Mr. Vandekamp Richard who are ICAO auditors in the audit team in 2005;

- Member of ICAO audit team who undertook the follow-up visit in 2007.

- All organs, units that had co-operated, supported NASC so much in improving, reforming process of Noi Bai Int'l Airport security aviation system.

Thank you for your kind attention!



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# Preparing for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Cycle of the USAP Audit

Presented by: Mr. Murray (Hugo) PORTER

Senior Technical Specialist - Aviation Security, Aviation House, New Zealand

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# Preparing for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Cycle of the USAP Audit

Murray (Hugo) Porter Senior Technical Specialist Aviation Security New Zealand Civil Aviation Authority

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### **The Questionnaire**

- For <u>Accurate</u> completion by Contracting States to help with assessment
- Should <u>not</u> be regarded as onerous
- > Gives comprehensive information of State Oversight System
- One of the major tools required for conducting an Aviation Security Audit
- > Timely completion and submission back to ICAO to ensure effective and efficient audit

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# Preparing for an AVSEC Audit –

# the need for implementation of AVSEC Quality Control and the development of a National AVSEC Quality Control Programme

Presented by: Mr. Nicholas LUM

Assistant Director Dept. International Relations and Security Ministry of Transport of Singapore

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- Because it is required by ICAO ?
- Monitor implementation of AVSEC measures
- Compliance of the measures with the National Civil Aviation Security Programme (NCASP)
- · Ensuring the effectiveness of the NCASP
- Identifying measures that might call for changes in the regulation, programme or means of implementation.



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### Why the need for quality control ?

- Ensure effective oversight of AVSEC activities
- Harmonisation of standards across the State – weakest link
- Assessment of security standards and procedures implemented by airports, aircraft operators and other providers of security services

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### Why the need for quality control ?

- Identification of deficiencies and recommends and/or enforces corrective procedures
- Prevention of insider threat independence of quality control so that even oversight personnel are also subject to surveillance
- Legislation penalties the teeth

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# ICAO as an example Annex 17 = NCASP ICAO has an independent team to audit States to ensure that States come up to a minimum standard – that standard being that set out in Annex 17. Annex 17 sets out as the minimum required to prevent acts of unlawful interference Audits on programmes, and national oversight activities etc Checks corrective action plans

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### ICAO as an example

- · Follow up audits to ensure that gaps are closed
- Prevention of the case of weakest link global harmonisation
- Review of Annex 17 and Doc 8973 to reflect currency of measures to be able to respond to latest threats.
- The teeth transparency of audit results
- 2<sup>nd</sup> cycle audits to emphasize on security oversight
- The future of ICAO audits ?






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## Compliance Management of Security Programs for Aviation Services Providers

Presented by: Mr. Anjum K. AGARWALA USA Transport Security Administration

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# Security Management System (SeMS)

## from an operator's perspective

Presented by: **Capt. Toby McNamara** General Manager Safety Security and QA, Jetstar Pacific Airlines

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Examples: When we first started to audit in VN we found auditees suspicious and skeptical.

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Agreed actions occur following the Audit. A more proactive and collaborative approach can prepare auditees and improve the actual processing being audited. Slide 5

Take away the mystery	_
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Review	
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Result Circulation: It is important that auditees understand where audit results will be tabled and who may view them. This provides some context and includes the auditee in the overall goal of sustaining an effective security culture.

Review: Be open to debate the points of contention. Regulators and Operators would benefit from periodic reviews of audit programmes

External Review: Encourage and invite other operators or regulators to review your concepts and discuss local issues. Symposiums and conferences such as this one are an excellent starting point to share ideas and experiences however we should consider more regular external reviews among the AVSEC community contained within APEC economies.

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AVSEC Community vs. Commercial Protection: To be truly open and effective ALL involved in AVSEC need to share both investigation and audit results. The challenge for Security Managers is to protect commercial concerns while warning AVSEC colleagues of potential risks. This is where regulators can offer assistance by way of facilitating periodic forums where audit results and investigation results can be discussed in generic terms.



Port	Plans	<u>Security</u> Occurrences	Local Security Meetings	Physical	<u>Comment / Rating</u>
Port 1	Crisis and Security plans in place.	Pilfering, Aggressive pax / poor stn staff response, O/S baggage and upgrade fees being kept by check in staff	Yes – BL Access Introduction of monthly BL / AA Security meetings	Improved – Camera systems fixed. Average initial response from AA to unruly pax.	Physical security has improved but officer response could be better. An effective level of cooperation experienced between BL and AA. With AA actively seeking feedback from BL. Airport Manager engaged to actively monitor pilfering issue.
Port 2	Crisis and Security plans in place.	Pilfering, unruly pax, reporting ineffective and only done by exception.	Yes, however little to no feedback provided	Cameras remain broken. Staff not being screened. Poor response to situations from AA	Security equipment remains unserviceable and to date there has been no reply from the A4 on correcting this. BL staff failing to report occurrences. Security Memo issued to Ports and warning station personnel of ongoing issue.
Port 3	Crisis and Security plans in place.	Pilfering - unruly pax, upgrade and o/s baggage fees retained by staff	Yes – BL Access	Appropriate for BL operations and above standard of other regionals	Pilfering continues to occur. The reporting culture and support from airport remains effective.
Port 4	Crisis and Security plans in place.	Unruly passengers offloaded.	Yes but no results provided with regard to offloaded pax	Screening effective. Little to no physical perimeter security.	Port is one of the better regional ports. Despite poor perimeter security an upgrade is planned with the new terminal. In addition a maturing security culture is evident.
Port 5	Crisis and Security plans in place.	Nil Reports	Yes –BL Access	Nil Change from previous report	Security at Port remains effective and the placement of a dedicated station manger has enhanced communication between BL and Port authorities.
Port 6	Crisis and Security plans in place.	Nil Reports	Yes –BL Access	Appropriate for BL operation	Perimeter security remains adequate for current operations – however unauthorized access to the airfield is frequently observed.
Port 7	Station Crisis plan requires update. Local ASP	Fuel Discrepancies occurring again	Yes – BL Access	Improved perimeter security / new equipment	Much improved from initial operations . Crew actively monitoring fuel discrepancies to reduce recurrence.

This is an example of one tool we are currently using to provide a security snapshot to our Station Managers, General Managers, Board of Management, Airport Authorities and the CAAV AVSEC dept. "Port" has replaced the actual Airport name and AA = Airport Authority. The content is a sample only.

The snapshot is as much a review of our own operation as it is of our assessment of the security operation observed in the ports.

It is updated every two months.

Initially the snapshot provided a tool for the Security department to communicate to the board. As we circulated it to a wider audience within the company we began to get positive responses from stations. In addition the Station Managers and GM Ground operations wanted to know how they were tracking. The CEO is quizzed by the board as to the results and obviously the security manager is guizzed by the CEO as to the comments and results. With increased interest in the snapshot came an enhanced culture. Our first two snapshots were predominantly AMBER / MEDIUM. It is now the case that the majority is LOW/GREEN. Most recently we have shared the snapshot with one of the Airport Authorities and the CAAV AVSEC dept. Common findings were held among the operator, authority and regulator. While maybe not for everyone the circulation among current recipients is has proved an effective tool. It is suggested that this could be provided to all ports and stations as one way of tracking progress against each other. It could be discussed and debated in the previously suggested periodic AVSEC Community meetings. No commercial information is relayed – depending on the particular AVSEC Community issues can be discussed and presented in generic terms as opposed specifically naming ports.

A similar approach can be used in circulating investigation results. Details can be generic with focus on the issue as opposed to the company experiencing the incident.



Standardize does not equal compromise: It is sometimes believed that standardsing and sharing audit requirements lowers standards. It was not long ago that the mentality of auditors was to actively seek as many non-compliant issues as possible and then issue impossible corrective actions. This goes for both regulators and operators internal auditors.

As we move to enhancing AVSEC through concepts such as SeMS Security needs to embrace well developed Safety SMS concepts such as no blame culture, sharing data across operators and authorities and actively engaging external parties to review procedures



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## Quality control: Malaysian perspective in AVSEC Auditor training

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i.	Aircraft and In-Flight Security
j.	Cargo/Mail Security and Catering; etc

























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# **Compliance in Security Oversight System**

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# Compliance in Security Oversight System

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## Security Programmes

- Acceptance to meet rule requirements
- Surveillance Audit
- Outcomes required
- Evidence based
- Occurrence notification and reports
- Risk Assessments



## CAA Rule Part 109

- Provides for certification of RACAs by CAA
- Enables airline to accept & carry consignments without having to apply further controls other than:
  - Checking of security declaration
  - Check for any signs of tampering
  - Maintain security of consignment <u>once</u> <u>accepted</u> (by CTO on behalf of airline)

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### **Advisory Information**

- Advisory Circulars for all rules
- Available off CAA website
- Provide <u>guidance & direction</u> on acceptable means of compliance –
  - not compulsory

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## **Security Regulatory Work**

- Overseeing security programmes & measures to be taken by airlines, Aviation Security Service, Airways & aerodromes
  - Audit of airlines, aerodromes, Aviation Security Service, & Airways Corp
- Analysis of audit findings, investigations into breaches/incidents including followup actions
- Contingency planning







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## **Compliance management**

## of the Operator Security Programme

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#### Five pillars have been identified for long-term strategic benefits:

Taking a threat-based, risk managed approach to security, in particular through Security Management Systems, to maximize efficiency in security programmes.

Shaping the regulatory framework for security, to remove unnecessary and duplicative measures.

Building relationships with key decision makers, and forming industry coalitions to tackle industry issues.

Putting technology to its best use, harmonising standards and seeking new cost effective solutions for both security and facilitation.

Dealing with ineffective measures and inappropriate requirements globally, to prevent costly non-standard requirements being implemented.



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The 14 Core Elements necessary to have a SEMS according to IOSA requirements can be integrated in many ways.

In it's most basic form, if the intent of an airline is only to pass the IOSA audit, what is required is to have all the core elements present somewhere in the airline's document library. SEMS can simply a document Organisational chart that has cross-references to other airline publications where the appropriate documentation is found.

IATA and IOSA is not asking its Members to engage in an effort that will result in duplication of documentation, this would be counter productive and not beneficial.

Therefore, if an air carrier already has well develop security crisis management procedures as part of its crisis management plan, there is no need to re-write everything, a simple crossreference in the SEMS document will suffice.

Then, when it is time for the IOSA audit, the airline only needs to ensure that all the documents that are referred are available for consultation and obviously that the procedures described have been implemented.





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# Security Management System (SeMS)

## from a regulator's perspective

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14 Core elements forming the basis for IOSA security provisions

Need all 14 to have 0 finding audit in the AVSEC part

Appears challenging but very much achievable

Lets look at a couple of elements, starting with QC & QA

Airlines need to know their programmes are working as intended, that standard operating procedures are understood and being followed and security performance is acceptable. This can't be properly achieved without having quality assurance mechanisms in place. However these can and should be proportionate to the size and complexity of their operation.

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There are multiple levels of compliance when it comes to SEMS and other Security Requirements.

Obviously, the baseline is meeting air carrier security programme requirements of your State of registry. Without this, you will lose your certificate to operate and have to end operation.

Currently, in order to pass the security part of IOSA, all you need is to have the SEMS core element in documented and implemented.

For the moment integrating these into every aspect of your operation is only a highly desirable security best practice.

And a fully integrated SEMS becomes an integral component of an Integrated Airline Management System (I-AMS) which IATA is hoping will become the industry standard for operational best practices.



Governments & industry stakeholders must jointly own the problem and solution Security & facilitation controls need to fit business models where-ever possible, not the reverse







IATA							
Security Findings – Top 5							
Provision	Number of Findings						
SEC 1.10.6 The Operator shall have a process for performing periodic operational security exercises to practice and evaluate the: i) effectiveness of procedures designed for response to security incidents; ii) implementation of security procedures by applicable personnel; iii) usefulness and serviceability of security equipment. (GM)							
SEC 1.10.4 The Operator shall have a process for conducting periodic or event-driven security surveys that identify needs and weaknesses of the Security Programme. (GM)	20						
SEC 1.6.1 The Operator shall have a management and control system for documentation and/or data used directly in the conduct or support of operations under the Security Programme (GM)	15						
SEC 4.1.2 The Operator shall have a process to ensure the implementation of appropriate security measures in response to: i) security threats directed against the Operator; ii) threat levels issued by applicable state aviation security authorities. (GM)	13						
SEC 4.3.1 The Operator shall have a process for the investigation of incidents involving: i) threats or acts of unlawful interference; ii) failure of implementation of security controls.	13						

to include:

i) a means of identifying the version of operational security documents;

ii) a controlled distribution process that ensures availability of the current version of the

Security Manual in areas of the operation where security measures are implemented;

iii) procedures for the identification, dissemination and disposal of security sensitive information;

iv) review and revision as necessary to maintain the currency of information contained in documents;

v) a method for issuing temporary or emergency revisions;

vi) retention of documents that permits easy reference and accessibility;

vii) identification and disposal of obsolete documents;

viii) retention and dissemination of documentation received from external sources, to include manuals and documents from applicable regulatory authorities. (GM)

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## Air cargo Security

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#### INTERAGENCY GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL AVIATION Department of Transportation Federal Aviation Administration Washington, DC 20591

February 25, 2009

Presented by: Principal Staff Officer

#### IGIA 18/4.61A FINAL ACTION

Title: Aviation Security Panel (AVSECP) – U.S. Working Paper "The Supply Chain Approach to Air Cargo Security" to be Presented at the Twentieth Meeting of the Aviation Security Panel (AVSECP/20) to be held in Montreal, March 30 – April 3, 2009.

The IGIA member agencies (the Federal Communications Commission abstained) and the Department of Justice by informal action completed February 24, 2009, approved IGIA 18/6.61 dated February 5, 2009.

The approval of IGIA 18/4.61 was forwarded to the U.S. Representative on February 26, 2009, for submission to ICAO.

Attachment



International Civil Aviation Organization

#### WORKING PAPER

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#### **AVIATION SECURITY PANEL (AVSECP)**

#### **TWENTIETH MEETING**

#### Montréal, 30 March to 03 April 2009

#### Agenda Item x: Review of Annex 17

#### THE SUPPLY CHAIN APPROACH TO AIR CARGO SECURITY

(Presented by the United States)

#### SUMMARY

This paper details the elements of and benefits associated with the use of supply chain screening and "chain of custody" requirements for securing air cargo, which emphasizes effective security management of the entire air cargo supply chain. The supply chain approach to air cargo security has been implemented successfully in Ireland and the United Kingdom; is under consideration by Canada and the European Commission as a way of increasing air cargo security; and is similar to an initiative undertaken by the International Air Transport Association referred to as "Secure Freight." The United States has developed a system, modelled after those in the UK and Ireland, referred to as the Certified Cargo Screening Program, to provide a mechanism by which industry may achieve 100% screening without impeding the flow of commerce. Benefits include decreased air carrier delays and expedited supply chain flow; the ability to build bulk configurations that can be tendered without rescreening; the ability to ship certain cargo types without potential invasive screening later in the chain; and an ability to maintain in-house packaging integrity.

Action by the AVSECP is in section 3 of this document.

#### 1. **INTRODUCTION**

1.1 In the United States, the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007, Pub. L. No. 110-53 (Aug. 3, 2007) ("9/11 Act"), mandates 100 percent screening of cargo transported on passenger aircraft not later than August 2010. These changes are expected to cause significant air cargo handling delays at airports where all screening is currently performed. To meet this challenge, the United States is emphasizing effective security management of the entire air cargo supply chain by building upon established programs: air cargo security regulations, standard security programs, security directives, information sharing, increased use of certified explosives detection canine teams, and an augmented inspector cadre for cargo. Key to the success of this air cargo security regime is collaboration with domestic and international stakeholders—U.S.-based shippers, freight forwarders, and passenger air carriers—through a program that facilitates screening early in the supply chain using currently approved screening methods and stringent facility and personnel security standards. The United States advocates a multi-layered approach to secure all air cargo before loading onto passenger aircraft. Consequently, in an effort to avoid

slowdowns in global trade, the United States recommends securing cargo early in the supply chain by trusted, vetted, and validated facilities. Allowing these entities to secure cargo at the earliest possible point in the supply chain minimizes shipment delays by preventing the bottlenecks that may result from limiting this process to a single point further down the supply chain. Approved facilities will ensure shipment integrity at each facility and maintain that integrity through stringent chain of custody controls.

1.2 This collaborative strategy involves every component of the air cargo shipping system: shipping facilities, manufacturing facilities, third party logistics companies, haulers, warehouses, distribution centers, contract manufacturers, and independent cargo screening facilities. These system components may apply for certification as an authorized screening facility. Freight forwarders are also eligible to apply.

#### 2. **DISCUSSION**

2.1 In the United States, approximately 12 million pounds (approximately 5.45 million kilograms) of cargo are transported daily on passenger aircraft. To accommodate this considerable stream of commerce, the United States currently has in place a multi-layered, risk-based system for securing cargo traveling on passenger aircraft. As required by applicable security programs and regulations, air carriers are now primarily responsible for screening a percentage of cargo to be transported on passenger aircraft. In addition, air carriers are required to screen, or provide to the U.S. Transportation Security Administration (TSA) for screening, all cargo that meets certain high-risk criteria. Regardless of risk, TSA screens 100 percent of cargo at smaller, low volume airports.

2.2 Currently, required cargo screening is conducted by air carriers, using the following TSA-approved methods of screening: physical search with manifest verification, x-ray, explosives trace detection, explosives detection systems, and decompression chamber. Cargo consolidations built by air carriers or accepted in that form from shippers and freight forwarders are subject to random screening by TSA-trained and certified explosives detection canine teams. For unique cargo types that do not lend themselves easily to these established screening methods, TSA permits alternative screening methods.

2.3 Additional layers of security augment the required screening. For example, with very few exceptions, cargo may only be accepted for transport on passenger aircraft when there is an established business relationship between the shipper and accepting freight forwarder or air carrier. Employees and authorized representatives of air carriers and freight forwarders with unescorted access to cargo must undergo a TSA security threat assessment. Also, Security Identification Display Area security requirements at regulated airports have been expanded to include areas where cargo is loaded and unloaded.

2.4 The 9/11 Act's mandate cannot be achieved by relying on the current system, whereby air carriers are almost exclusively responsible for screening cargo. Currently, air carriers alone do not have the capacity to screen the volume of cargo that is now transported on passenger aircraft daily. Requiring passenger air carriers to screen 100 percent of air cargo would inevitably result in flight delays, congestion at airport cargo facilities, backlogs of unscreened cargo, and missed flights—in short, such a requirement would significantly impede the flow of commerce. Likewise, requiring screening of the current volume of cargo carried on passenger aircraft at the airports by parties other than air carriers would be impractical, if not impossible, if only because of the lack of space to accommodate such an operation.

2.5 **Stakeholder Involvement**. To fulfill the 9/11 Act's requirements, the United States must rely on the cooperation of industry. Success will only be achieved by augmenting current screening resources with those of multiple stakeholders and ensuring that screening is conducted at earlier stages in the air cargo supply chain. As discussed more fully below, in connection with the Certified Cargo Screening Program, TSA is working with air carriers, freight forwarders, and shippers to create, pilot, and ultimately implement a program in which air cargo security is a responsibility shared by the entire air cargo industry.

2.6 **Technology.** A critical challenge to meeting the requirements of the 9/11 Act is the development of technology to accomplish the contemplated level of screening, particularly given current industry practices for packing cargo for transport aboard passenger aircraft. Under current

industry practice, a significant percentage of cargo that will be placed aboard passenger aircraft, particularly wide-body aircraft, is tendered at the airport in a consolidated state (*i.e.*, it has already been packaged on standard skids ready for loading and transport onboard the aircraft). Without the development of effective technology for dealing with cargo tendered in this manner, screening would require costly reengineering of existing packaging and shipping processes.

2.7 The new requirements for screening cargo on passenger flights will have the biggest impact on cargo that is transported on wide-body aircraft, the majority of which are operated on international lanes. For efficiency in operation, wide-body aircraft utilize Unit Load Devices (ULDs) to transport the cargo in the lower holds of the aircraft. These ULDs can hold up to 11,000 lbs. (4,990 kg) of cargo and can contain hundreds of pieces. Some ULDs are hard-sided (similar to baggage containers) within which the pieces are hand-stacked, while other ULDs are flat metal pallets on which the pieces are stacked, contoured to the aircraft shape, then shrouded in plastic and covered in heavy netting to prevent shifting during flight. Freight forwarders control most of the market; most shippers work through a freight forwarder for a variety of reasons, and do not negotiate directly with air carriers. As a result, a very high percentage of ULDs are filled or built by the freight forwarder at its own facility, not at the air carrier's facility. This is done not only for efficiency, but also because it enables freight forwarder to obtain better rates than when cargo is tendered "loose" (because less handling by the air carrier is required). For international cargo, the cut-off time for air carriers to receive cargo from freight forwarders (or shippers) is approximately 4 hours prior to departure time.

2.8 Without the development of technology to effectively screen cargo built on large pallets and in ULDs, screening cannot be executed primarily by air carriers on airport premises. If all cargo were to be screened only at airports by air carriers, they would have to either (a) break down or remove cargo from all ULDs previously built-up by freight forwarders, screen the cargo, and re-build the ULDs, or (b) require the freight forwarders to tender the cargo "loose," and then the air carrier would screen the cargo and build up all of the containers. Either scenario would be extremely labor intensive, costly in time, and eliminate rate discounts for industry, and therefore increase the cost of transport to shippers/consumers.

2.9 **100 Percent Screening for the Majority of Passenger Flights.** A key component of achieving the 9/11 Act's 50 percent milestone by February 2009 is a 100 percent screening requirement for narrow-body passenger aircraft that comprise approximately 95 percent of all domestic passenger flights and carry approximately 25 percent of all cargo that is carried on passenger aircraft. Most significantly, this requirement covers flights that carry more than three-quarters of all passengers. A benefit of this requirement is that the majority of air passengers are protected by enhanced screening measures, even in advance of full deployment of TSA's air cargo security strategy.

2.10 **Canine Program.** Current TSA security requirements already require that bulk cargo consolidations be made available by air carriers for screening by TSA-certified explosives detection canine teams. TSA has trained more than 450 teams that are deployed and operated by local law enforcement agencies at airports. Standard operating procedures governing these teams require that they devote a certain percentage of their duty time to the air cargo environment. Canine teams generally are concentrated at or near airports where there are high volumes of passengers and cargo. The U.S. Congress recently appropriated additional funding to TSA to expand its explosives detection canine program by 170 teams. More than half of these teams will be proprietary, that is, comprised of TSA-owned dogs and TSA-employed handlers, and devoted exclusively to screening air cargo. The deployment of additional canine resources ensures that a greater number of cargo consolidations that are subject to screening will in fact be screened.

2.11 **Increased Cadre of Inspectors**. In 2008, TSA employed 300 cargo inspectors exclusively dedicated to the oversight of air cargo. Since then, the United States has trained and deployed an additional 150 air cargo inspectors. Cargo inspectors operate under work plans to ensure that all air carriers and freight forwarders are inspected regularly, and that those that have had previous compliance issues are inspected more frequently and thoroughly. Cargo inspectors also conduct outreach to all regulated entities to ensure their ability and willingness to comply with the TSA requirements for freight forwarders prior to their approval. Along with performing daily oversight of cargo operators, inspectors also conduct covert testing of the air cargo system and participate in "cargo strike" surge activities at the largest cargo airports in the United States.

2.12 **The Certified Cargo Screening Program.** Another key component of TSA's air cargo security strategy involves working with partners across the air cargo industry to establish the

linchpin of TSA's—the Certified Cargo Screening Program (CCSP)—a voluntary program under which TSA will certify certain cargo screening facilities to screen cargo before it is tendered to air carriers for transport on passenger aircraft. This program will establish full supply chain security for air cargo and play a major role in overcoming the hurdles inherent in a 100 percent screening regime. The CCSP relies on layers of security to provide the best possible protection for cargo transported on passenger aircraft, with the least disruption to the flow of commerce. Under the CCSP, facilities upstream in the air cargo supply chain such as shippers, manufacturers, warehousing entities, distributors, and third party logistics companies will be able to apply to TSA to be designated as certified cargo screening facilities (CCSFs).

2.13 Freight forwarders that screen cargo may also apply for certification as CCSFs in order to screen cargo for transport on passenger aircraft. CCSFs will be required to screen cargo using TSA-approved methods and to implement chain of custody measures to ensure the security of the screened cargo throughout the air cargo supply chain prior to tendering it for transport and/or loading onboard passenger aircraft. Employees and authorized representatives of CCSFs with unescorted access to cargo, as well as the validators who will assess them, will be required to successfully undergo TSA-conducted security threat assessments. Before being certified, and periodically thereafter, the CCSF will be required to undergo examination by a TSA-approved validator. CCSFs will also be subject to regular and random inspections by TSA cargo inspectors to ensure their adherence to program requirements.

2.14 **Pilot Programs**. Once TSA's program is implemented, CCSF-screened cargo will contribute greatly toward meeting the 50 and 100 percent cargo screening requirements of the 9/11 Act. As part of the process of establishing this regulatory program, the United States is already testing the concept of screening earlier in the supply chain by conducting two pilot programs: (1) the CCSP (Phase One) pilot, involving shippers and other entities such as manufacturers, distributors and third party logistics companies; and (2) the screening technology pilot. The Phase One pilot program is currently being conducted at the following major gateway airports: San Francisco, Chicago, Philadelphia, Seattle, Los Angeles, Dallas-Fort Worth, Miami, Atlanta, and New York/Newark. The freight forwarder technology pilot is running at these same airports, with the addition of Dulles, Honolulu, Houston Intercontinental, Boston/Logan, Detroit, Denver, San Juan and Orlando airports.

2.15 Over 94 percent of all cargo transported on wide-body passenger aircraft transits through one or more of these 18 pilot airports, while approximately 61 percent of cargo transported on wide-body aircraft originates at just 6 of these airports. By focusing its outreach in the pilots on the entities using the airports with the highest volume of cargo transported on wide body passenger aircraft, the TSA is able to maximize the impact of the pilots and to gather significant data to determine the program's efficacy. The freight forwarder technology pilot is evaluating the effectiveness of cargo screening equipment recommended by TSA (such as Advanced Technology X-ray (AT X-Ray), ETD machines, and EDS) by commodity class at each participant's consolidation facility. The U.S. Congress appropriated funds to TSA specifically for the screening of air cargo. TSA is using these funds to assist in the deployment of appropriate screening technology pilot will evaluate the volumes of cargo the freight forwarder community is able to screen, and the effectiveness of the chain of custody procedures.

2.16 **Industry response**. Industry has responded enthusiastically to the call for participation in the pilot program. During 2008, TSA teams met with over 3,000 interested parties (including shippers, freight forwarders, and air carriers) in these 18 cities to explain the impact of the 9/11 Act screening mandate and the resulting TSA regulations, as well as the solution presented by the CCSP. To date, TSA is working at over 200 freight forwarder locations, with over 300 shipper locations undergoing the validation process to become certified to screen cargo. More than 50 major freight forwarders, with approximately 120 facilities, have committed to participating in the screening technology pilot and are in various stages of certification. In addition to the freight forwarders that are formally participating in the screening technology pilot, the TSA received applications from 47 other freight forwarder facilities that wish to become certified and plan to purchase the approved technology on their own.

2.17 The United States believes this approach has many benefits, in particular because moving the screening of cargo to shippers and these larger freight forwarders and away from the airports will allow air carriers to focus their screening capabilities on cargo accepted from smaller freight forwarders and shippers that do not have the volumes of cargo or the financial ability to invest in the infrastructure needed to screen cargo themselves.

2.18 **Research and Development.** To address technological challenges, the United States is working to identify technology gaps and to prioritize research and development requirements. Specifically, relevant U.S. agencies are working to develop and qualify technologies in the areas of automated break-bulk and bulk explosives detection; trace explosives detection; alternative screening technologies such as metal detection, non-linear junction device detectors, and Improvised Explosives Device (IED) disruptor technologies; blast mitigation technologies; stowaway detection technologies; and supply chain integrity technologies. U.S. agencies have collaborated in conducting laboratory and field assessments of AT X-ray and skid-sized x-ray technologies in 2007, and cooperative research activities are continuing concerning other promising technologies. Formal qualification testing of break-bulk (box/piece) air cargo screening technologies commenced in fall 2008, with a view toward adding successful technologies to an air cargo screening technology "TSA Approved Products List."

2.19 **Chain of Custody Maintenance.** To ensure that there is no single point of failure in the air cargo supply chain, approved facilities are required to establish and carry out a chain of custody protocol, immediately securing cargo before it leaves the designated cargo area. Having established shipment integrity, a secure chain of custody must be maintained until the cargo is accepted by an air carrier or another approved facility, which then implements its own security controls before loading onboard a passenger aircraft.

2.20 "Chain of custody" is a tiered process that begins with proper documentation. For example, the United States supports programs that require the accepting entity to receive documentary proof that each particular shipment has been secured prior to acceptance. Additionally, the accepting entity must visually confirm that proper physical security was applied and remains intact to prove chain of custody integrity. Such physical security methods include tamper-evident technology or the presence of a human escort. Chain of custody maintenance must be verified through these or other acceptance procedures before a shipment can be tendered to the accepting entity.

#### 3. ACTION BY AVSEC

- 3.1 The AVSEC Panel is invited to:
  - a) Provide this information to the Amendment 12 Working Group for its consideration when reviewing the standards and recommended practices related to air cargo;
  - b) Consider developing guidance material related to chain of custody and other aspects of air cargo security.

— END —

### ATTACHMENT – Secure Supply Chain Graphic





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## Security Controls for the Hand Carriage of Liquids, Aerosols and Gels (LAGs): Possibilities and Challenges towards Harmonization amongst Stakeholders

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# Aviation Security Audits –

## the Importance of Human Factors

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### Introduction

- Human Factors are a critical part of the security audit process. Having motivated, backgroundscreened, competent, certified and empowered persons performing security functions are essential.
- Out of 8 standards in Annex 17 on Quality Control, 4 of them relate to human factors. This reflects the importance placed on human factors in the quality control process.

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## Human Factors - Competency

• Selection (Doc 8973 Vol 1 Chap 8, 7th edn)

- There should be a set of selection criteria, eg

- education level
- job experience
- good knowledge of aviation and security matters, preferably from the Avsec industry
- clean criminal record and clearance for access to sensitive information
- good writing and speaking skills
- good interpersonal skills
- Appropriate physical attributes (eyesight, hearing etc)

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### **Human Factors - Competency**

- Training (Annex 17 Std 3.4.2)
  - "Each Contracting State shall ensure that the persons implementing security controls possess all competencies required to perform their duties and are appropriately trained according to the requirements of the national civil aviation security programme and that appropriate records are maintained up to date. Relevant standards of performance shall be established and initial and periodic assessments shall be introduced to maintain those standards"





#### • Certification (Annex 17 Std 3.4.3)

 Each Contracting State shall ensure that the persons carrying out screening operations are certified according to the requirements of the national civil aviation security programme to ensure that performance standards are consistently and reliably achieved.

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### Conclusion

- Prevention of the Insider threat
- Corrective actions
- Reports transparency vs information classification
- Auditing of the auditors
- Making for a better organisation

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# Security Freight (IATA Cargo)

# Supply Chain Security Solution

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The variety of approved measures and the extent to which approvals vary between States is confusing for regional and global operators and I suspect for many regulators; and it reduces the prospect of harmonization - between willing partners.

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					TRANS EC UK			WCO SAFE	
ORGANISATION AND RESPONSIBILITIES									
Organisation details	1	*	1	4	4	1	1	1	
Management support	1	4	4	4	×	V	N	1	
Established security policy	×	4	1	4	4	1	4	4	
Supply chain security policy	×	4	1				N	4	
Crisis management plans	1	4	1	4	4	1	4	4	
Compliant with legislation	×	4	1	4	4	1	4	•	
Roles, responsibilities clearly identified	4	4	4	4	×	×	V	×	
Assessment of risk and threat	1	4	1	•	4		N	×	
Screening of business partners	1	4	4				N	4	
Internal audit review and assessment	•	4	1	4	1		4	×	



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We need ICAO to endorse Security Management Systems. This will lead to more efficient implementation of security measures, better use of resources and a direct reduction in cost. It must apply to airlines, airports and regulators alike.