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Subject: Constitution of Civil Aviation Advisory Group of Maintenance, Repair, and Overhaul (MRO), Cargo, Flight Training Organisation (FTO) and Ground-Handling (GH)-reg.

In order to comprehensively address the issues concerning MRO, Cargo carriage, FTO and GH, an advisory group is constituted as following:

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| (i) | Hon'ble Minister of Civil Aviation | - Chairman |
| (ii) | Hon'ble Minister of State in Civil Aviation | - Member |
| (iii) | Secretary, Ministry of Civil Aviation | - Member |
| (iv) | Director General of Civil Aviation | - Member |
| (v) | Sr. Economic Adviser, MoCA | -Convener |

2. In addition to the above, the respective sub-group shall include the following:

MRO

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| (vi) | CEO, Air India Engg. Services Limited | - Member |
| (vii) | Shri D. Anand Bhaskar, MRO (Airworks) | - Member |
| (viii) | Shri Bharat Malkani, Max Aerospace | - Member |
| (ix) | Shri Ashok Gopinath, GMR Aero | - Member |

Ground Handling

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| (x) | Shri Ramanathan Rajamani, CEO, AISATS | - Member |
| (xi) | Shri Ram Babu, CEO, AIATSL | - Member |
| (xii) | Shri Murali Ramchandran, CEO, Celebi | - Member |
| (xii) | Shri Pawan Dhoot, MD, Dhoot Group | - Member |
| (xiv) | Shri Gaurav Bhatia, Director, Bird Group | -Member |

Cargo

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| (xv) | Shri Keku B. Gazder, CEO, AAICALAS | -Member |
| (xvi) | Shri Cyrus Katgara, Chairman, ACFI | -Member |
| (xvii) | Shri Tushar Jani, Chairman, CSC | -Member |
| (xviii) | Shri G.V. S. Reddy, Chairman, APAO | -Member |

FTO

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| (xix) | Shri Chuck Pulakhandam, CEO CAE India | -Member |
| (xx) | Shri DP Hemanth, Head, AFTO | -Member |
| (xxi) | Shri Krishnendu Gupta, Director IGRUA | -Member |
| (xxii) | Shri YN Sharma, CEO, Chimes Aviation | -Member |

3. The Terms of Reference for the Advisory Group, inter-alia includes as under:

- (i) To evolve strategy to ensure growth of MRO, Ground Handling, Cargo and FTO sectors.
- (ii) To create a congenial ecosystem in the country by suggesting regulatory, policy improvements and measures for better efficiency and growth of the sector.

- (iii) To suggest measures to increase the participation of Indian carriers in air cargo transportation and promote employment growth.
 - (iv) To suggest measures for infrastructure improvement and capacity building for air cargo sector.
 - (v) To suggest measures for incentivizing domestic air cargo sector growth.
 - (vi) To suggest provisioning of improved training infrastructure at FTOs and employment.
 - (vii) To suggest measures to facilitate skill development of instructors
 - (viii) To suggest measures to create a level playing field for airlines to ensure best services at competitive prices, adoption of best practices as per IATA and ICAO standards including the state of the art infrastructure and equipment.
 - (ix) To improve aviation services in general.
 - (x) To improve the regulatory provisions.
4. The Advisory Group may co-opt any other expert(s), if necessary for taking requisite advise and inputs with the permission of the Chair.
5. The Group shall have its meetings at Delhi or at any other place within India as decided by the Chair. The Group may meet as may be decided by the Chair.



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To

All members of Advisory Group

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1. PS to HMCA/PS to HMoSCA
2. Sr. PPS to Secretary (CA)
3. Sr. EA/All Joint Secretaries/DDG/Directors in MoCA