

LETTER OF INTENT CONCERNING COOPERATION ON INITIAL AND CONTINUING AIRWORTHINESS

Between

THE GENERAL CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY (GCAA) OF THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

And

THE NATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION AGENCY (ANAC) OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL



The General Civil Aviation Authority (GCAA) of the United Arab Emirates (UAE) and the National Civil Aviation Agency (ANAC) of the Federative Republic of Brazil, hereinafter referred to as the "sides", have a common interest to enhance cooperation, and promote safe operation of civil aircraft, environmental quality, and technological development on aviation services.

Considering the Convention on International Civil Aviation, to which the Federative Republic of Brazil and the United Arab Emirates are state parties;

Recognizing the necessity for the sides to explore areas of potential collaboration in the fields of initial and continuing airworthiness through the mechanism of mutual recognition of Certificates of Airworthiness and oversight activities and with the objective of enhancing aviation safety and resource deployment, where possible;

The sides intend to promptly initiate negotiations following the execution of this LOI, aiming to sign a Memorandum of Understanding addressing collaboration on the following matters, though not limited exhaustively:

- o direct GCAA acceptance of ANAC Type Certificate, including novel/emerging technologies (example eVTOL/powered lift aircraft) (Initial Airworthiness);
- o direct GCAA acceptance of ANAC Supplement Type Certificate (initial airworthiness)
- o acceptance of components released from ANAC Production Organisations (new components) additional to those released from Maintenance Organisations (initial airworthiness and continuing airworthiness);
- o recognition of ANAC Design and Production Organisations (initial airworthiness);
- o 145 data exchange including but not limited to oversight data exchange (continuing airworthiness).
- o Mutual recognition of Maintenance Organisations (continuing airworthiness).





This non-binding letter of intent is not intended to create any rights or obligations under international or domestic law and does not have any financial implications for GCAA or ANAC.

Signed in two identical originals in English language.

Signed in Dubai, United Arab Emirates on the 24th of November 2023

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