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The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith a copy of the unclassified portion of the Monthly Summary of the Ministry of Civil Aviation for the Month of **March, 2020** for kind information.



(Usha Padhee)  
 Joint Secretary

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**Detailed Monthly information for the month of March, 2020**

Important Policy decisions taken and major achievements during the month:

1. **MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION**

- A. Passengers carried by domestic airlines during Jan-Feb 2020 were 251.50 lakhs as against 238.56 lakhs during the corresponding period of previous year thereby registering annual growth of 5.42% and monthly growth of 8.98%
- B. 'Lifeline Udan' flights have been started by MoCA to transport essential medical cargo to different parts of the country to support India's fight against COVID - 19.

2. **DIRECTOR GENERAL OF CIVIL AVIATION (DGCA)**

A.

- (i) **402**Licenses / Ratings were issued including **13** FATA issued and **125** Endorsements.
- (ii) **1087** number of non-scheduled flight clearances issued for landing/technical landing/overflying of foreign registered aircraft including Private, charter, VIP, Cargo, Ambulance, ITP Charter etc. during the month of March 2020.
- (iii) **7** number of new aircraft added/endorsed on the AOC of Scheduled Airlines.
- (iv) Public Notice No. DGCA-18014/1/2020-DTL-DGCA dated 27th March 2020 on Extension of Validity of Licenses, Ratings, Skill Test and Exams for Issue, Renewal and exercising the privileges of Pilot Licenses for a period of 90 days from 23<sup>rd</sup> Mar 2020 in view of Pandemic COVID-19.

B.

- (i) Type Acceptance has been granted to Contracting State Type Certificates for following airplanes for operation of aircraft in India:  
Engine
  - Type Acceptance of Honey well engine international engine model AS907-2-1A
- (ii) Type Acceptance issued to following Contracting State Supplemental Type Certificate for incorporation of modifications in Indian registered aircraft:  
Aircraft
  - Acceptance of FAS STC SA01830WI on Cessna aircraft model 172S.
  - Acceptance of EASA STC-2004-2872 for freighter conversion of ATR 72-212A aircraft model.
  - Type acceptance of ST01278SE on Textron aviation aircraft model B 200.

Helicopter

- Acceptance of FAA Supplemental type certificate (STC) SR00692DE for installation of cabin Heater system on Bell Helicopter Model No. 429.

### C. The eGCA Project for development of eGCA application/solution:

eGCA project for development of eGCA application/solution is in implementation phase. Phase 1 Go live has been completed and Phase 2 implementation is in progress.

### 3. AIRPORTS AUTHORITY OF INDIA (AAI)

#### A. During the month of March 2020, AAI awarded work for:

- (i) Construction of New Integrated Passenger Terminal Building at C.C.S International Airport, Lucknow SH:- Provision of Baggage Handling System along with CT- EDS at a Cost of Rs 104.14 crores on 20.3.2020.
- (ii) Extension of Runway with Blast Pad, Taxiway, RESA, Resurfacing of Existing Runway and other associated works at Kolhapur Airport. SH: Additional works for extension of runway at a cost of Rs 66.12 crores on 5.3.2020.

#### B. Traffic Trend:

Monthly Traffic Reporter for the month of December, 2019 has been prepared and uploaded on AAI website. The broad highlights of Traffic Reporter for the month of December, 2019 and (April - Dec) 2019-20 are as follows: -

FEBRUARY, 2020 VIS-À-VIS FEBRUARY, 2019

During the month of February 2020, all Indian airports taken together handled 222.48 thousand aircraft movements (excluding General Aviation Movements), 29.48 million passengers and 267.86 thousand tonnes of freight. The aircraft movements and passenger traffic have increased by 10.8% and 7.1% respectively while the freight has decreased by 1.2% during February, 2020 over February, 2019.

FEBRUARY, 2020 VIS-À-VIS FEBRUARY, 2019

During the period of (April-February) 2019-20, all Indian airports taken together handled 2422.62 thousand aircraft movements (excluding General Aviation Movements), 323.47 million passengers and 3118.19 thousand tonnes of freight. The aircraft movements and passenger traffic have increased by 1.2% and 2.2% respectively while the freight has decreased by 4.1% during the period under study.

- C. Aerodrome Licensing Workshop: To sensitize APDs on various Licensing issues including early closure of pending DGCA surveillance inspection observations, two-day workshop covering regulations, documents to be

submitted for new/renewal/IFR to VFR conversion of licenses, Aerodrome Manual preparation, Change Management, DGCA checklist, ATRs, SMS Manual etc. have been conducted in Mumbai on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> March 2020.

#### 4. Air India Ltd.

##### A. Operational Fleet Size

	As on 31.03.2020
Air India	127
Air India express	25
Alliance Air	19
Total	171

##### B. On Time Performance for the month of March, 2020

Month	Domestic OTP (%)	International OTP (%)	OVERALL OTP (%)
Mar-20	83.9	79.8	82.4

##### C. Air India Market Share:

Sector	Market Share (%)
International (Jan 2020)	18.00
Domestic (Jan 2020)	11.60

D. The details of flights operated for evacuation and subsequent quarantine of Indians coming from abroad, in addition to cargo flights operated during the COVID-19 crisis:

(i) International Flights:

- a) Delhi-Milan-Delhi (AI-137/AI-138) – 14<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- b) Delhi-Rome-Delhi (AI-123/AI-122) – 21<sup>st</sup> March 2020

(ii) Domestic Flights

- a) Delhi-Jaisalmer-Delhi (AI-2421/AI-2422) – 15<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- b) Delhi-Jaisalmer-Delhi (AI-3421/AI-3422) – 15<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- c) Delhi-Jaisalmer-Delhi (AI-4421/AI-4422) – 16<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- d) Delhi-Jaisalmer-Delhi (AI-5421/AI-5422) – 18<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- e) Delhi-Jaisalmer-Delhi (AI-6421/AI-6422) – 18<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- f) Delhi-Jodhpur-Delhi (AI-7421/AI-7422) - 25<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- g) Delhi-Jodhpur-Delhi (AI-8421/AI-8422) - 25<sup>th</sup> March 2020

(iii) Cargo Flights-

- a) Mumbai-Delhi-Mumbai (AI-1677/AI-1624) – 26<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- b) Delhi-Aizwal-Kolkata-Hyderabad (AI-1889) – 27<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- c) Mumbai-Delhi-Mumbai (AI-1809/AI-1624) – 28<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- d) Delhi-Imphal-Delhi (AI-1889/AI-1890) – 28<sup>th</sup> March 2020

- e) Mumbai-Delhi-Hyderabad-Chennai-Mumbai (AI-1677/AI-1624) – 29<sup>h</sup> March 2020
- f) Mumbai-Delhi-Bengaluru-Coimbatore-Mumbai (AI-1677/AI-1417) – 30<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- g) Chennai-Port Blair-Chennai (AI-1549/AI-1550) – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020
- h) Delhi-Hyderabad-Trivandrum-Goa(AI-1439) – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020
- i) Mumbai-Delhi-Guwahati-Mumbai (AI-1677/AI-1624) – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020

**5. Status of Public Grievances in MoCA**

No. of Public Grievances redressed during the month	No. of Grievances pending at the end of the month
<b>404</b>	<b>1320</b>

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