

F. No. AV. 13030/06/2010-DT
Government of India
Ministry of Civil Aviation

“B” Block, Rajiv Gandhi Bhawan,
Safdarjung Airport, Aurobindo Marg.
New Delhi. Dated 22.10.2012

ORDER

Sub: **Setting up of the Civil Aviation Economic Advisory Council (CAEAC)**

The Civil Aviation Economic Advisory Council (CAEAC), set up vide order of even no. dated 9th December, 2010, has been re-constituted with immediate effect with the following composition:

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| (a) | Hon'ble Minister of Civil Aviation | Chairman |
| (b) | Secretary , M/o Civil Aviation | Member |
| (c) | Secretary , Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister | Member |
| (d) | Representative of Industry Association: | |
| (i) | Federation of Indian Airline (FIA)
(Secretary General or his representative) | Member |
| (ii) | Association of Private Airport Operators
(Secretary General or his representative) | Member |
| (iii) | Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)
(Director General or his representative) | Member |
| (iv) | Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI) (Secretary General or his representative) | Member |
| (v) | The Associated Chambers of Commerce and Industry of India (ASSOCHAM) | Member |
| (vi) | Chairman, Express Industry Council of India | Member |
| (e) | Representative from Consumer fora | |
| (i) | Shri D. Sudhakar Reddy, Air Passengers Association of India | |
| (ii) | Shri. R. Desikan,
Trustee Consumer Association of Indian | |

- (f) **Representative from Economic research bodies**
 - (i) Shri Rajat Kathuria,
International Management Institute
- (g) **Representative from International Air Transport Association (IATA).** Member
- (h) **Legal, Cost & Chartered accounting professionals** Members
- (i) **The President, Travel Agents Association of India** Member
- (j) **Director General of Civil Aviation** Member
- (k) **Economic Advisor- Ministry of Civil Aviation** Member Secretary

2. The Terms of Reference (TOR) of this **Civil Aviation Economic Advisory Council (CAEAC)** are as under:

- (i) Shall advise a suitable policy framework for ensuring affordable air service to remote underserved areas in the country.
- (ii) Shall advise the Ministry in framing an appropriate regulatory frame to ensure sustainability and viability of air transport services in India.
- (iii) Shall assess the investment requirements and advise measures to boost investment in the Civil Aviation in India.
- (iv) Shall advise on all fiscal levies, charges and other budgetary matters connected with the Civil Aviation Sector.
- (v) Shall advise on comprehensive Regulatory Framework to protect consumer interest like Public disclosure of tariffs and conditions of service to passengers.
- (vi) Shall advise on approaches to evolve a Policy framework for liberalization of International air services.

Additional Guidelines

- (i) The Council may also form sub-Groups on various subject matters covered in the TOR.
- (ii) The Council may also co-opt additional experts as and when considered necessary. Airlines & airports can be invited as special invitees as and when required.

3. The **Civil Aviation Economic Advisory Council (CAEAC)** shall meet once in every quarter, deliberate on these issues and advise the Ministry of Civil Aviation from time-to-time.

4. The **Civil Aviation Economic Advisory Council (CAEAC)** shall be serviced by the E.R. Division, M/o Civil Aviation.

5. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister of Civil Aviation.

(S.K Chhikara)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

To,

Chairman and Members of the Committee

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