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Announcement of the Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand

RE: Reduction of the Rate of International Arrival and Departure Fees to Mitigate Impact of the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Transmission on Air Operators
B.E. 2563 (2020)

As Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) outbreak since January 2020 has had tremendous impact on aviation industry, especially on air operators, the Civil Aviation Board, in the Meeting No. 2/2562, on 13 March 2020, issued a resolution to approve mitigation measures for air operators affected by the COVID-19 transmission, as proposed by the Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand. The Civil Aviation Board approved the reduction of International Arrival and Departure Fees collected from air operators calculated from the numbers of international arriving and departing passengers who travel to or from 11 high-risk territories in accordance with Section 15 (9) of the Air Navigation Act, as Amended by the Air Navigation Act (No.14) B.E. 2562. In addition, by virtue of Section 20 (5) of the Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand Emergency Decree B.E. 2558 (2015), the Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand Board, in the Meeting No. 3/2563 on 30 March 2020, issued a resolution to approve the above-mentioned reduction of International Arrival and Departure Fees. Therefore, the Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand hereby issues this Announcement under Section 40 of the Emergency Decree to reduce the rate of International Arrival and Departure Fees Collected from Air Operators Operating as follows:

Article 1 This Announcement shall be cited as “Announcement of the Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand RE: Reduction of the Rate of International Arrival and Departure Fees to Mitigate Impact of the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Transmission for Air Operators B.E. 2563 (2020).

Article 2 The rates of International Arrival and Departure Fees collected from the air operators calculated from the numbers of international arriving and departing passengers who travel from and to 11 high-risk territories as listed in the attachment of this Announcement shall be reduced from fifteen (15) Thai baht per passenger per flight to be ten (10) Thai baht per passenger per flight.

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Article 3 The reduction of the rate of International Arrival and Departure Fees under Article 2 shall be effective from 1 April B.E. 2563 (2020) until 31 December B.E. 2563 (2020).

Article 4 Rules on calculating numbers of passengers, timeframe and remittance methods of international arrival and departure fees under Article 2 shall be in accordance with the Announcement of the Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand on Rate, Timeframe and Remittance of International Arrival and Departure Fees B.E.2559, given on 26 October B.E. 2559 (2016) and the Announcement of the Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand on Rate, Timeframe and Remittance of International Arrival and Departure Fees (No. 2) B.E.2559, given on 9 November B.E. 2559 (2016)

Article 5 The Civil Aviation Authority of Thailand may announce a list of high-risk territories of the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) infection in addition to the territories as listed in this Announcement following the policy of the Ministry of Transport or of the Government.

Article 6 This Announcement shall come into force on the date of its announcement.

Given on 3 April B.E. 2563 (2020)

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The List of High-Risk Territories Attached to
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High-Risk Territories mentioned in the Announcement to or from which air operators operate shall be entitled to such reduction of the rate of international arrival and departure fees calculated from the numbers of passengers who travel from or to the following territories:

- (1) People's Republic of China;
- (2) Republic of Korea;
- (3) Japan;
- (4) Republic of Singapore;
- (5) Islamic Republic of Iran;
- (6) Special Administrative Region: Hong Kong;
- (7) Special Administrative Region: Macao;
- (8) Taiwan;
- (9) Italian Republic;
- (10) French Republic;
- (11) Federal Republic of Germany.