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Subject: Invitation to the 2017 Global Manufacturing Meeting

Dear All,

You are cordially invited to the 2017 Global Manufacturing Meeting, hosted by the European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA) Maintenance and Production Department. The meeting will be held at EASA's headquarters in Cologne Germany between 15 and 17 November 2017.

The first two days of this meeting are limited to aviation authorities, while the 17 November is also open to all industry production and manufacturing stakeholders.

The meeting goal is to foster cooperation and improve communication between the aviation authorities and industry stakeholders involved in aviation production activities, to facilitate the sharing of best practices and to identify common concerns. As the aviation industry continues to rapidly change, increased collaboration and a better exchange of ideas are needed to address new, unexpected, and complex situations.

The agenda will include topics such as:

- current and future manufacturing and oversight challenges;
- coordination of international supplier oversight and the sharing of oversight data;
- global oversight and cooperative oversight;
- acceptance of release forms globally;
- the introduction of SMS;
- rulemaking updates and proposals from the larger authorities;
- the global picture of BASAs

We welcome your participation and encourage your input to discuss these topics with your safety colleagues in the field of aeronautical manufacturing. If you have a particular interest on a particular item and would like to be on a panel or to provide a presentation, do not hesitate to contact us below.





Further information and the registration process will be made available on EASA's events webpage. Note that the meeting will be limited to 95 participants.

Please forward this invitation to other interested parties in your organisation, your associations or your industry who might also be interested in attending.

In order to help in preparing the meeting, submit any questions or proposals to the following email address GMC2017@easa.europa.eu

Yours sincerely,

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