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Subject: <u>Installation of Online X-ray baggage screening system at the</u> airports in India.

In order to prevent explosives or any other dangerous devices which may be used to commit an act of unlawful interference, from being introduced by any means whatsoever on board an aircraft engaged in civil aviation operations, online-X-ray baggage screening system shall be installed at all airports served by civil commercial flights in a phased manner by the concerned airport operator in the manner as mentioned below:

- (i) In the first phase, online-X-ray baggage screening system shall be installed at all 17 international airports (list enclosed) at the earliest.
- (ii) Trained and BCAS certified screeners shall be deployed for operation of the on line-X-ray baggage screening system.
- (iii) Standards for online-X-ray baggage screening system have already been specified by the BCAS vide Circular No. 25/2004 dated 27.12.2004.
- (iv) Installation of online-X-ray baggage screening system shall be done in consultation with the concerned RDCOS, BCAS, Aircraft Operator and Incharge airport management.
- (v) Action taken report shall be sent by the Airport Operator to the BCAS Hqrs from time to time.

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Encl: List of International airports