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Aeronautical Authorities of the Republic of Maldives

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The Department of State Policy in Civil Aviation of the Ministry of Transport of the Russian Federation presents its compliments to the aeronautical authorities of the Republic of Maldives and would like to address as follows.

First of all, I express my gratitude for issuing permits to Russian airlines for operating flights to Male. The Russian side highly appreciates the level of our relations and is doing everything possible to strengthen our cooperation and increase the number of flights between our countries at this difficult time for the whole world.

Russian airlines express their interest in operating flights to Gan, but this point is not included in the route table of the Annex to the Air Transport Agreement between the Government of the Russian Federation and the Government of the Republic of Maldives dated June 27, 1995.

In connection with the above and in accordance with Article 17 of the Agreement, we propose to conclude an agreement by exchange of letters about the inclusion of the point Gan into the route table for operating flights by Russian designated air carriers.

If you agree with the aforementioned proposal, we propose to consider this letter and a positive response to it as an agreement between the aeronautical authorities of Russia and Maldives on the abovementioned issue.

We hope to develop successful and mutually beneficial cooperation between our Authorities.

Yours faithfully,

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Mr. Alexandar V. Neradko
First Deputy Minister of Transport of the Russian Federation –
Director General
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Ministry of Transport of the Russian Federation

Sir,

The Maldives Civil Aviation Authority (MCAA) presents its compliment to the Federal Air Transport Agency of the Russian Federation, and has the honor to refer Air Services Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Maldives and the Government of the Russian Federation of 27th June 1995 and our letters 201-C/MIS/2020/105 dated 24th November 2020 and 201-C/MIS/2020/117 dated 30th November 2020.

In reference to the Annex – Section 1 (Routes for designated airlines of the Russian Federation) of the said Air Services Agreement, we are pleased to advise you that we hereby specify Gan International Airport (ICAO Code: VRMG) as an additional point in the Maldives for the designated airlines of Russian Federation operating the agreed services between the two countries. As such, we would accept proposals or applications from designated airlines of Russia intending to operate flight to and from Gan International Airport.

Further to the above, we note that pursuant to the said Annex, there are no restrictions on the number of frequencies and type of subsonic aircraft to be operated on the agreed services by designated airlines of both countries.

We understand that some of Russian airlines operating regular and charter services (Aeroflot, Nord Wind, Azur Air and Rossiya Airlines) are unable to increase flights at the moment due to frequency limitations at Moscow airports associated with COVID-19 measures. Hence, we kindly request your Authority to consider further increasing the present frequency limitations, especially for airlines operating from Moscow, to accommodate the current and any potential passenger demand from Russia to the Maldives.

Please note that this Authority will support decisions from Russian Federation towards restoring regular and charter airline operation and easing of travel restrictions for passengers travelling between our two countries.

Assuring you of our consideration

Yours faithfully

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Chief Executive



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