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**SAFETY BULLETIN - 01/2023**

**Attn: All Kuwait Air Operator Certificate Holders**

**Subj.: Safety of Civil Aircraft Operating into, over or near Uncertain, High Risk, Heightened Military Activities or Conflict Zones**

This Safety Bulletin reminds our Air Operator Certificate holders when flying into or over Airports & Airspaces or any uncertain or high-risk zones due to heightened military activities or increased political and conflict tensions.

Air Operator Certificate holders shall conduct their Risk Assessment, Mitigation and implement contingency procedures in advance. Air Operators to ensure adherence to the organizational Safety Management Systems (SMS) and the guidance of ICAO (DOC. 10084), when operating in zones as mentioned above.

Operators are urged to continuously monitor the security and safety of operations along their routes when operating in the above zones, ensuring the provision of Air Traffic Services is applied throughout the flight in compliance with international standards.

Furthermore, Operators shall continuously monitor NOTAMs and AIPs in the zones mentioned above and act accordingly.

Sincerely,

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