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Attn: Kuwaiti Air Operator Certificate & Private Operator Certificate Holders

Subj.: ICAO MID Activation for the Khartoum FIR, Contingency Coordination Team (CCT)

The ICAO MID has activated Khartoum FIR a Contingency Coordination Team (CCT). Hence, in coordination with ICAO MID the Kuwait DGCA is publishing this Safety Bulletin to make the civilian air travel safe by the flights operated by Kuwaiti Air Operator Certificate holders and Private Operator Certificate holders, when flying into, over or near uncertain, high risk zones in Sudan which impacted the provisions of the ATS within Khartoum FIR over Sudan and South Sudan.

Air Operator Certificate holders shall conduct their Risk Assessment, Mitigation and implement contingency procedures. Air Operators to ensure adherence to Safety Bulletin - 01/2023, the organizational Safety Management Systems (SMS) and the guidance of ICAO (DOC. 10084), when operating in Khartoum FIR. Operators are urged to continuously monitor the security and safety of operations along their routes when operating in Khartoum FIR, 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.

Kuwait DGCA is closely monitoring the situation and will inform accordingly.

The DGCA highly appreciates all our Operators continuous cooperation.

Sincerely,

**Deputy Director General
for Aviation Safety, Aviation Security & Air Transport Affairs**