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Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism  
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Dear Director General  
Civil Aviation Authority, Russian Federation

I am sending this letter, with respect for the close friendship between your state and Japan, to ask for your government's support in the implementation of aviation security measures.

Japan will host the G20 Osaka Summit to be held on June 28 and June 29, 2019, and since this period with leading figures from various states visiting Japan can become a possible target of international terrorism, we plan to strengthen our domestic aviation security measures temporarily.

At the same time, the Japanese government intends to adopt thoroughgoing measures against the threat of terrorism relating to aircraft that depart foreign airports bound for Japan as well, and recognizes the necessity to ensure to implement security measures equivalent to or stricter than the above mentioned ones for such aircraft.

All airlines with flights into Japan, in accordance with Article 129-2 of the Civil Aeronautics Act (130-2 of the same act for airlines not operating regular flights), are required to submit operation plans to the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism, and to comply with the operation plans according to Article 129-3 (1) of the same act. The operation plans are designed to ensure the implementation of security measures equivalent to or stricter than the Japan's security measures, to flights that depart foreign airports and arrive in Japan, as countermeasures against acts of unlawful interference.

Hence, for the period mentioned below when the security measures are strengthened in Japan, we are asking the air transport operators that operate flights that originate in your country and arrive in Japan to implement security measures equivalent to or stricter than the security measures mentioned below, and we would like to ask for your particular cooperation and support to enable the airlines to implement these measures without hindrance.

1. Period to implement the measures

Through 00:00 AM on June 27, 2019 to 00:00 AM on July 1, 2019 (JST)

Note: The above time is for arrival times in Japan.

2. Subject flights

All passenger flights directly bound for Japan

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3. Measures to be implemented  
As per attached.

Sincerely yours,

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