STRATEGIC FOCUS

The Civil Aviation Authority of the Cayman Islands (CAACI) is the statutory organization responsible for the safety/technical and economic regulatory oversight of the aviation industry throughout the Cayman Islands.

The CAACI is currently comprised of the following regulatory divisions:

> ✈ Air Safety Regulations
> ✈ Air Navigation Services Regulation
> ✈ Economic Regulation & Administration
> ✈ Finance & Compliance

The CAACI strategic focus has been defined as follows:

VISION & PURPOSE

"A safe and credible aviation industry for the Cayman Islands"

MISSION STATEMENT

To enhance aviation safety performance through effective regulatory oversight

Building on key principles identified as being central to our organization:

> ✈ Partnership
> ✈ Sustainability
> ✈ Safety of the travelling public/airports/property
> ✈ Obligations to maintain international standards
> ✈ Procedures
> ✈ Human resource competence/proficiency

Corporate values identified and agreed upon include the following:

> ✈ **Safety first:** we never forget our organization's primary reason for being
> ✈ **People at the centre:** we develop our people to the highest standards and level of expertise in technical and non-technical areas

- **Leadership:** we build and promote a shared commitment to regulatory and aviation excellence regionally and globally
- **Regulatory objectivity:** we conduct our regulatory responsibility with impartiality
- **Integrity:** we ensure that the highest moral and ethical standards are maintained in the discharge of our responsibilities
- **Active collaboration:** we work with others to engage their knowledge and expertise and to generate effective solutions where we are jointly accountable for the end results
- **Accountability:** we account for our actions, accept individual and team responsibilities and transparently disclose results

Governance: the CAACI operates in a unique fashion in that the powers for regulation of the aviation industry are directly handed down from the UK Secretary of State to the Governor of the Cayman Islands and carried out by the Director-General (CAACI). As such, the CAACI reports directly to the Governor of the territory on technical/safety issues. There is also an appointed board of directors for the CAACI whose responsibility it is to oversee administrative matters for the Authority. The CAACI's primary responsibility is to ensure the safety and security of the aviation industry with focus on technical/safety oversight and economic regulatory responsibilities.

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