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To: LLLL operators/stakeholders

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Dear colleagues,

From a broader geopolitical perspective, current developments (ceasefire agreement between the US and Iran) indicate that diplomatic efforts are leading the situation, with no ongoing kinetic activity from Iran or Yemen affecting Israel.

Accordingly, the Civil Aviation Authority of Israel assesses that the level of safety at Ben Gurion Airport (LLBG) is at an acceptable level for civil aviation operations.

Subject to certain tactical and operational limitations, Ben Gurion Airport remains fully open.

Traffic levels at Ben Gurion Airport continue to increase steadily.

The airport is currently handling approximately 200 movements, with around 30,000 passengers daily. At present, approximately 15 international airlines are operating to and from LLBG.

Based on current developments, we expect approximately five more international carriers to resume operations within the coming week.

In parallel, along the northern border, localized and limited exchanges of fire continue to occur. These are contained in scope and geography and do not have any impact on civil aviation operations in Israel.

We are aware that the European CZIB remains in effect until 1 May 2026. CAAI maintains close and continuous coordination with the EASA CZIB team, as well as other International Regulators and operators, including ongoing information sharing and regular communication. This engagement supports a common understanding of the situation and contributes to informed and aligned risk assessments.

The Civil Aviation Authority of Israel continues to closely monitor the situation, maintain coordination with all relevant entities, and assess risks to civil aviation on an ongoing basis.

For any further information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us directly.

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