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SUBJECT: INTEGRATED AIR AND MISSILE DEFENCE (IAMD) COMMON EDUCATION&TRAINING PROGRAM (CET-P) CALLING LETTER

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> AC/PLANS/A7-PTEE/SCG/21-1400 ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CONCEPT FOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING – PLAN IN PREPARATION FOR RAMSTEIN LEGACY EXERCISE SERIES

NR.03_01 AUG 2022_IAMD COE TAKES OVER THE LEAD OF THE IAMD COMMON EDUCATION AND TRAINING PROGRAM (CET-P)

1. **Introduction**: Integrated Air & Missile Defence Center of Excellence (IAMD COE) is pleased to invite you to the IAMD Common Education & Training Program (CET-P) which will take place at the premises of NMIOTC in Souda bay, Chania, Crete, Greece. Two iterations will be held in 2023 from 8th to 11th May 2023 and from 30st October to 2nd November 2023.

In 2021, based on TOBRUQ LEGACY 2015-20 findings, the initiative to establish NATO Surface Based Air & Missile Defence (SBAMD) CET-P was taken by CAOC UE. Initial letter mentioned that a wide variety of different initiatives were ongoing to gain improvements in one of NATO's major challenges: The integration and connectivity between national SBAMD forces, national CRCs and NATO entities. Beside the technical challenges, we are also facing the issue of a lack of common understanding on execution of NATO Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures (TTPs). This lack of common understanding hampers the conduct of multinational Training & Exercises and has, as subsequent, negative effect on mission execution of NATO Task Force & Mission.

2. **Aim**: The intent is to develop a standardized set of education modules and to offer the opportunity to Nations to get NATO provided education and training in the domain of IAMD and SBAMD practices with preparation of multi/national exercises and missions (e.g. RALY EX, VJTF mission etc.).

3. **Course content**: In order to fill the gap in NATO IAMD education and training, following lectures have been developed and are being delivered by specialists from, IAMD COE, JAPCC, CCSBAMD, AIRCOM A7, CAOC UE and CAOC TJ.

Module 1: Introduction to NATO IAMD

- NATO C2 Structure / Responsibilities
- Air C2 / ATO Cycle / JPDAL process
- Data Link Connection
- Threats to SBAMD forces

• Module 2: Tactical Education

- SBAMD Planning process / Principles
- SBAMD Operating Areas / ACMs
- MoC / MoO / TBMFs / COVREP / Movement Execution
- TBMF Vignettes
- RS / WCS / FCOs
- Reporting / SSTO / SSREP / KILLREP
- Reporting Syndicate Work
- Other Aspects of IAMD Mission AOAD / C-RAM / C-UAS
- IAMD Training Opportunities
- Training Critique

4. **Primary training audience:**

- National SBAMD Instructors / Trainers / Lectors
- SAMOC / SBAMDOC / GOC / FU Operators / Planners
- CRC SAM Allocators / SAM Allocator Assistants

5. **Level of expertise:** 300.

6. **Schedule:** Both 2023 iterations of the course will be conducted over four days, from Monday to Thursday (8th to 11th May 2023 and 30st October to 2nd November 2023). It is advised to use Sundays (or earlier) and Fridays (or later) as travel days. Detailed agenda of the CET-P will be delivered to the registered participants together with Joining Instructions NLT 45 days prior to the execution.

7. Participation and Registration

It is mandatory for all individuals to submit the course application form online.

Registration platform at <u>https://www.iamd-coe.org/</u> will be open NLT 1st Jan 2023.

Early registrations are very much appreciated to support our planning.

Registration Deadline:

For 1st CET-P (8th to 11th May 2023) - NLT 8 Mar 2023

For **2nd CET-P (30st October to 2nd November 2023)** - <u>NLT 30 Aug 2023</u>

(Later registration submissions may be accepted on an individual basis).

All ACCEPTED participants will receive Joining Instructions NLT 45 days prior to the execution.

If number of registered personnel exceed the limit of the course (22 seats), the seats per nation will be limited to serve as many nations as possible. In such a case, all applicants will be notified whether they are accepted to the course or not.

Do not start your travel arrangements prior to receival of the Joining Instruction!!!

8. **Language:** The course will be conducted in English. Translation into other languages will not be provided. Active communication skills needed (not lower than standard language proficiency (SLP) level 2).

9. **Classification:** The classification of CET-P is NATO SECRET. All participants are to carry their NATO SECRET clearance.

10. **Tuition Fee:** The cost for the 4-day course is $60 \in$. The fee includes daily transportation from Chania city center to NMIOTC and vice versa during the course days, administrative costs (such as folders, notepads, printouts, other course material) and coffee and refreshments.

Five (5) seats in total are allocated as free of charge for IAMD COE Participating Nations.

Remarks: More detailed and updated information will be always available at the website of the Centre: <u>https://www.iamd-coe.org/</u>

11. **Points of Contact:** For further information or clarifications please contact:

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12. I am looking forward to having an interesting and productive event, providing us with an opportunity to enhance the IAMD community knowledge and experience sharing.

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