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SUBJECT: **SURFACE BASED AIR AND MISSILE DEFENCE (SBAMD)  
COMMON EDUCATION & TRAINING PROGRAM (CET-P)  
CALLING LETTER**

DATE: 4 Dec 2023

REFERENCE: a. 1802.20\_E02/CAOCUE/TREX/21 INITIATIVE TO  
ESTABLISH SBAMD COMMON EDUCATION AND TRAINING  
PROGRAM (CET-P)

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

c. 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 Centre of Excellence (IAMD COE) is pleased to invite you to the SBAMD CET-P Course (ETOC Course Code: AOP-AP-36865) which will take place at the premises of NMIOTC in Souda bay, Chania, Crete, Greece. Two iterations will be held in 2024:

- **08-11 Apr 2024, 1<sup>st</sup> iteration,**
- **18-21 Nov 2024, 2<sup>nd</sup> iteration.**

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 IAMD 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, CAOC UE and CAOC TJ.

- Module 1: **Introduction to NATO IAMD and SBAMD**
  - IAMD Policy and SDP 11000
  - NATO C2 Structure / Responsibilities
  - Air C2 / ATO Cycle / JPDAL process
  - Data Link Connection
  - NATO Space contribution to IAMD
  - NATO SBAMD history, policies & bodies
  - 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-UAS
  - IAMD Training Opportunities

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 2024 iterations of the course will be conducted over four days, from Monday to Thursday (08-11 Apr 24 and 18-21 Nov 24). 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 dates.

7. **Participation and Registration**

It is mandatory for all individuals to submit the course application form online **via IAMD COE web-site** ( <https://www.iamd-coe.org/> ) registration link of which will be active

as of December 2023 for both iterations. Early registrations are very much appreciated to support our planning. Registration **deadlines** are as follows:

- For 1st CET-P (08-11 Apr 2024) - NLT **09 Feb 2024**,
- For 2<sup>nd</sup> CET-P (18-21 Nov 2024) - NLT **13 Sep 2024**

(Later registration submissions need to be coordinated with OPR/Course Dir.)

An interior Selection Board process will be applied in order to select eligible applicants and those who are accepted are going to receive a letter of Joining Instructions NLT 45 days prior to the execution phase. Applicants are highly recommended **NOT to start their travel arrangements prior to receipt 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 SBAMD 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 €. The fee includes daily transportation from Chania city center to NMIOTC and vice versa during the course days. Six (6) seats in total are allocated free of charge for IAMD COE Participating Nations.

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

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 in the domain of SBAMD.

In the name of IAMD COE DIRECTOR

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