

## **Aviation Standards**

## **Special General Information Circular**

# ICAO Contracting States Accepting COVID-19 Related Differences Filed by Saudi Arabia

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#### **Purpose:**

This special information circular is issued to assist air operators and any other interested parties in knowing the current status of ICAO Contracting States in terms of acceptance of COVID-19 related ICAO SARPs differences filed by the other Contracting States.

### **Background:**

As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, the ICAO has established an efficient mechanism allowing contracting states to file any differences from ICAO Standards on certification and licensing that may arise from mitigation measures due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The official ICAO COVID-19 Contingency Related Differences (CCRD) page is available at the following link:

https://www.icao.int/safety/COVID-19OPS/Pages/ccrd.aspx

Further, the ICAO continuously provides updated reports on actions by contracting states on the COVID-19 CCRD which are as follows:

- 1) Report providing information grouped by States **CLICK HERE**
- 2) Report providing information grouped by Standard CLICK HERE
- 3) A CCRD graphical interface has been kindly developed by IATA and available **HERE**



Acceptance of COVID-19 CCRD filed by the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia by other Contracting States:

Although the ICAO publicly available and updated reports provide all needed information regarding the acceptance of contracting states to COVID-19 related differences filed by other states, the table provided in this circular provides a quick reference to those contracting states that have declared their acceptance to differences filed by other contracting states.

Column1	ICAO Contracting State	Recognition of other State Differences
1	Afghanistan	Afghanistan recognizes The difference filed by other ICAO member states.
2	Albania	We accept other ICAO States Members Differences
3	Algeria	We accept other ICAO States Members Temporary Differences under Covid-19 Pandemic Period
4	Andorra	Andorra accepts relevant differences filed by other States.
5	Angola	We accept other ICAO States Members Differences
6	Anguilla, UK Overseas Territories	Anguilla accepts other State's differences.
7	Antigua and Barbuda	The Eastern Caribbean Civil Aviation Authority (ECCAA) will recognize the validity of certificates from other States and the temporary differences adopted, based on mitigation measures for COVID-19
8	Argentina	The National Civil Aviation Administration (ANAC) will recognize the validity of certificates from other States and the emporary differences adopted, based on itigation measures by COVID-19.
9	Armenia	Armenia recognizes differences declared by other states in accordance with applicable mitigating measures.
10	Aruba, Kingdom of the Netherlands	Aruba will recognise other States' differences as long as the period of the extension is maximum 12 months, and the medical certificate was valid on the date that the exemption was issued.
11	Australia	Australia will accept alleviation's from other States in accordance with applicable mitigating measures.
12	Austria	Austria recognizes differences of other states.
13	Azerbaijan	Azerbaijan Republic recognizes differences of other states.



14	Bahamas	Yes
15	Bahrain	We accept other States differences
16	Bangladesh	Bangladesh recognises the differences declared by other States.
17	Barbados	It is universally recognized that due to the COVID- 19 Global Pandemic, States are required to onsider different measures/guidelines to ensure operations can still be conducted under current constraints.
18	Belarus	BELARUS WILL ACCEPT ALLEGATIONS FROM OTHER STATES IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE MITIGATING MEASURES DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC
19	Belgium	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139. As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States. Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
20	Belize	The Belize Department of Civil Aviation will recognize the validity of certificates from other contracting States and the temporary differences adopted by these States, in accordance with applicable mitigating measures due to the COVID-19.
21	Benin	YES. Provided the issuing State documents the extension issued related to the medical certificate.
22	Bermuda, UK Overseas Territories	Bermuda accepts other states differences
23	Bhutan	We accept the other states' differences.



24	Bolivia	Bolivia recognizes the validity of the medical certificates and the temporary differences issued by other States, based on the conditions and mitigation measures established by those States during the COVID-19 pandemic.
25	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Bosnia and Herzegovina recognizes differences of other states.
26	Botswana	YES BOTSWANA WILL RECOGNISE OTHER STATES DIFFERENCES
27	Brazil	Brazil recognizes differences of other states.
28	British Virgin Islands, UK Overseas	The British Virgin Islands accept other State's differences
29	Brunei Darussalam	Brunei Darussalam accept other Contracting State differences
30	Bulgaria	
31	Burkina Faso	Burkina Faso recognizes the differences from other States
32	Burundi	Burundi will recognize the validity of other States' ceitificates and licenses based on their temporary differences submitted via the CCRD
33	Cabo Verde	Cabo Verde recognizes the differences of other States.
34	Cambodia	SSCA accepts other ICAO Contracting States Members' Differences
35	Cameroon	Cameroon recognizes differences of other States provided that the effective implementation of the safety oversight system is deemed satisfactory
36	Canada	Differences filed by other contracting States will be recognized by Canada during the COVID-19 pandemic, unless TCCA deems safety is being compromised.
37	Cayman Islands, UK Overseas Te	Cayman Islands accept other State's differences
38	Central African Republic (the)	Central African Republic recognize differences of other States
39	Chad	Chad Civil Aviation Authority recognises differences of other States
40	Chile	Differences with other States will be recognized.
41	China	China will recognise and accept alleviations from other States in accordance with applicable mitigating measures → which are either consistent with the QRG or being evaluated and shall achieve equivalent safety level.
42	Colombia	Colombia recognize and accept other States temporary differences.



43	Comoros (the)	Comoros recognizes differences of other ICAO member States.
44	Congo (the)	The Republic of Congo recognises Differences of other State
45	Cook Islands (the)	Cook Islands accepts differences filed by other states based on applicable mitigation measures.
46	Costa Rica	The Civil Aviation Authority of Costa Rica will recognize the validity of certificates of other States, as well as the temporary differences adopted, based on risk mitigation or alleviation measures taken by those States.
47	Côte d'Ivoire	Cote d'Ivoire accepts other states temporary differences.
48	Croatia	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States the differences will be recognised as well based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
49	Cuba	The Cuban State will accept the measures taken by other contracting states. Previous consultation with those contracting states could be required.
50	Curaçao, Kingdom of the Netherla	The Cuban State will accept the measures taken by other contracting states. Previous consultation with those contracting states could be required.



51	Cyprus	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EU Member States, the differences are automatically recognised on the basis of Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards recognition or acceptance of the validity of certificates and licences affected by the special temporary measures (related to COVID-19) issued by non-EU States, Commission Regulation No 452/2014 laying down technical requirements and administrative procedures related to air operations of third country operators applies.  Commission Regulation (EU) No 452/2014 of 29 April 2014 laying down technical requirements and administrative procedures related to air operations of third country operators pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 216/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ EU L 133, 6.5.2014, p. 12).
52	Czech Republic	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139. As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States.
53	Democratic Republic of the Congo	DRC CAA ACCEPT OTHERS ICAO STATES MEMBERS DIFFERENCES.



54	Denmark	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EU Member States, the differences are automatically recognised on the basis of Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards recognition or acceptance of the validity of certificates and licences affected by the special temporary measures (related to COVID-19) issued by non-EU States, Commission Regulation No 452/2014 laying down technical requirements and administrative procedures related to air operations of third country operators applies:  Commission Regulation (EU) No 452/2014 of 29 April 2014 laying down technical requirements and administrative procedures related to air operations of third country operators pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 216/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ EU L 133, 6.5.2014, p. 12).
55	Djibouti	Djibouti accepts relevant differences filed by other States.
56	Dominica	The Eastern Caribbean Civil Aviation Authority (ECCAA) will recognize the validity of certificates from other States and the temporary differences adopted, based on mitigation measures for COVID-19
57	Dominican Republic (the)	The Dominican Republic will recognize the validity of certificates from other States and the temporary differences adopted, based on mitigation measures by COVID-19.
58	Ecuador	Ecuador recognizes the validity of the medical certificates and the temporary differences issued by other States, based on the conditions and mitigation measures established by those States during the COVID-19 pandemic.
59	Egypt	Egypt recognizes differences of other states.
60	El Salvador	The State of El Salvador will recognize for the validity of the licenses, certificates and authorizations of other States, as well as the temporary differences adopted, based on the mitigation measures by COVID-19.



61	Equatorial Guinea	Differences published by the other states member, are recognized, for reasons of COVID-19
62	Estonia	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139. As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States the differences will be recognised as well based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
63	Eswatini	The Kingdom of Eswatini will recognise differences of other States submitted via the CCRD
64	Ethiopia	We accept other ICAO States Members Differences
65	Falkland Islands, UK Overseas Te	Falkland Islands accept other State's differences
66	Fiji	Fiji will accept differences filed by other States in accordance with applicable mitigating measures.
67	Finland	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States.  Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.



68	France	France recognises the extension of the validity of medical certificates by other States, based on Regulation (EU) n°2018/1139, provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States.  Medical certificates with an extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.  The extension of medical certificates with limitations/restrictions reducing the standard validity is not accepted.
69	Gabon	Gabon will recognize differences filed by other States as long as they are within the guidelines presented in that Sate's details of differences and mitigations
70	Gambia (the)	The Gambia recognizes differences of other States.
71	Georgia	Yes
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72	Germany	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139. As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States the differences will be recognised as well based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
72	Germany	EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139. As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States the differences will be recognised as well based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are



75	Greece	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA ember States.  Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity eriod more than two times are not recognised.
76	Grenada	The Eastern Caribbean Civil Aviation Authority (ECCAA) will recognise the validity of certificates from other States and the temporary differences adopted, based on mitigation measures for COVID-19
77	Guatemala	The State of Guatemala will recognize the validity of the certificates issued by others States as well as, the temporary differences adopted, based on risk mitigation or alleviation measures taken by those States
78	Guernsey, UK Crown dependencies	Guernsey will continue to recognise and accept the validity of certificates and licenses issued by those States that have met our normal policy criteria for the issuance of a certificate of validation based on Guernsey Aviation Requirements (GARs).
79	Guinea	We accept other ICAO members States Differences
80	Guinea-Bissau	GUINEA-BISSAU recognizes differences notified by other States
81	Guyana	Guyana will accept other ICAO Member States Differences, except it is the opinion of the GCAA that such differences may compromise safety.
82	Honduras	The State of Honduras (AHAC) will recognize the validity of the certificates of others States as well as, the temporary differences adopted, based on risk mitigation or alleviation measures taken by those States



83	Hong Kong (SAR), China	Recognition of other state differences may be considered subject to the availability of the confirmation from the concerned State Authority that:  (i) there are no additional safety risks on the flight operations of those operators under their oversight arisen from such differences, or such risks have been properly mitigated; and  (ii) the crew under their oversight are physically and mentally fit to secure a safe operation of aircraft.
84	Hungary	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States.  Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.



85	Iceland	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EC) No 216/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council as implemented with Regulation No 75/2016. As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States the differences will be recognised as well based on Regulation (EC) No 2016/2008 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States.  Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
86	India	India recognises differences filed by other contracting States. Contracting State Air Crew shall carry the State Exemption/ Extension Letter and any other document issued.
87	Indonesia	Indonesia accepts other ICAO Member States' filed differences
88	Iran (Islamic Republic of)	Iran recognizes differences of other states.
89	Iraq	Iraq shall recognize differences filed by other states as long as long as they are within the guidelines presented in Iraq details of difference and mitigations.
90	Ireland	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EU Member States, the differences are automatically recognised on the basis of Regulation (EU) 2018/1139. As regards recognition or acceptance of the validity of certificates and licences affected by the special temporary measures (related to COVID-19) issued by non-EU States, Commission Regulation No 452/2014 laying down technical requirements and administrative procedures related to air operations of third country operators applies



91	Isle of Man, UK Crown dependencies	The IOM will continue to recognise and accept the validity of certificates and licenses issued by those States that have met our normal policy criteria for the issuance of a certificate of validation based on their temporary differences submitted via the CCRD
92	Italy	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EU Member States, the differences are automatically recognised on the basis of Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards recognition or acceptance of the validity of certificates and licences affected by the special temporary measures (related to COVID-19) issued by non-EU States, Regulation 452/2014 laying down technical requirements and administrative procedures related to air operations of third country operators applies.
93	Jamaica	Jamaica will recognize the differences of other States in as much as those differences do not compromise safety of operations in Jamaica based on a risk assessment
94	Japan	JCAB accepts differences of other states during this time.
95	Jersey, UK Crown dependencies	Jersey will continue to recognise and accept the validity of certificates and licenses issued by those States that have met our normal policy criteria for the issuance of a certificate of validation based on Jersey Aviation Requirements (JARQs)
96	Jordan	All ICAO Member states differences are recognized only under COVID19 Pandemic period
97	Kazakhstan	The Republic of Kazakhstan recognizes differences of other states.
98	Кепуа	Kenya recognizes differences of other States.
99	Kiribati	Kiribati Accepts Differences filed by Other states based on applicable mitigation Measures.
100	Kuwait	The state of Kuwait, accept other states differences
101	Kyrgyzstan	The Kyrgyz Republic recognizes differences of other states.
102	Lao People's Democratic Republic	Lao PDR recognizes differences of other states.



103	Latvia	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions /mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States.  Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
104	Lebanon	DGCA Recognize other state differences
105	Liberia	Liberia will recognize Differences of other States filed during this COVID-19
106	Libya	Differences filed by other contracting States will be recognized by the State of Libya during the COVID-19 pandemic.
107	Lithuania	Lithuania recognizes differences of other states.
108	Luxembourg	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139. As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States the differences will be recognised as well based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
109	Macao (SAR), China	Recognition of a Contracting State's COVID-19 Contingency Related Difference (CCRD) will be considered provided that mitigating measures have been taken by the Contracting State and the risks have been mitigated.



110	Madagascar	So far, Madagascar has not declared non- acceptance of temporary differences notified by other states. If applicable, a notification will be sent to ICAO
111	Malawi	Malawi will accept the differences of the other ICAO Members States during this time.
112	Malaysia	Differences filed by other contracting States will be recognized by Malaysia during the COVID-19 pandemic. Contracting State Air Crew shall carry the State Exemption/ Extension Letter and any other documentation issued
113	Maldives	YES
114	Mali	Mali recognises differences of other States
115	Malta	Certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States: the differences will be automatically recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139. Certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States: The recognition of acceptance of validity of certificates and licences affected by the special temporary measures (related to COVID-19) is in accordance with Regulation 452/2014 laying down technical requirements and administrative procedures related to air operations of third country operators.
116	Marshall Islands (the)	YES, RMI DCA would recognize or accept the validity of the other State's certificate and licenses based on their temporary differences submitted via the CCRD.
117	Mauritania	Mauritania recognize temporary differences from other states submitted through CCRD
118	Mauritius	Differences filed by other contracting States will be accepted by Mauritius during the COVID -19 pandemic
119	Mexico	México recognizes differences of other member states.
120	Monaco	Reconaissance complète
121	Mongolia	We accept other states differences
122	Montenegro	Montenegro recognizes differences of other States.
123	Montserrat, UK Overseas Territories	Montserrat accepts other State's differences



124	Morocco	Morocco accept the validity of other States' certificates based on their temporary differences submitted via the CCRD as long as they are:  1- Made for a period not exceeding 4 months, with the possibility of additional renewal(s) for no longer than the same period.  2- carried out based on risk assessments and, if necessary, complemented by additional risk mitigation measures.
125	Mozambique	YES
126	Myanmar	Accept Other Contracting States' Differences
127	Namibia	Namibian will recognise aviation medical documents extended under similar condition by other states.
128	Nepal	Nepal agrees with difference filed by other States
129	Netherlands (the)	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States.  Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
130	New Zealand	New Zealand will accept mitigations from other States in accordance with applicable mitigating measures.
131	Nicaragua	The State of Nicaragua will recognize the validity of licenses and ratings from other States, as well as their temporary differences based on mitigation measures declared before ICAO and duly published.
132	Niger (the)	Niger accepts differences from other contracting states.



133	Nigeria	Differences filed by other Contracting States will be recognized by Nigeria during the COVID-19 pandemic provided risk management measures put in place by the Contracting State are complied with.
134	North Macedonia	North Macedonia recognized differences of other states as long as s they are within the guidelines presented in the North Macedonia details of difference and mitigation.
135	Norway	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by NON-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States. Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
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136	Oman	We accept other ICAO States member differences
136	Pakistan	We accept other ICAO States member differences  PCAA accepts other ICAO member states differences
		PCAA accepts other ICAO member states
137	Pakistan	PCAA accepts other ICAO member states differences  Civil Aviation Authority of Panama (AAC) recognizes the validity of medical certificates from other States and temporary differences adopted based
137	Pakistan Panama	PCAA accepts other ICAO member states differences  Civil Aviation Authority of Panama (AAC) recognizes the validity of medical certificates from other States and temporary differences adopted based on the mitigation measure by the Covid-19
137 138 139	Pakistan  Panama  Papua New Guinea	PCAA accepts other ICAO member states differences  Civil Aviation Authority of Panama (AAC) recognizes the validity of medical certificates from other States and temporary differences adopted based on the mitigation measure by the Covid-19  PNG accepts validity of other State certificates  Paraguay recognizes the temporary differences issued by others States, based on the conditions and mitigation measures established for those States



143	Poland	We accept other ICAO States Members Differences
144	Portugal	Portugal recognizes other States differences.
145	Qatar	The State of Qatar recognizes and accepts differences from this Standard filed by other States during the Covid-19 Pandemic.
146	Republic of Korea (the)	The Office of Civil Aviation of the Republic of Korea recognizes the differences of other Contracting States with a proviso that medical certificates holders are younger than 60 years old without any limitations.
147	Republic of Moldova (the)	Differences filed by other contracting States will be recognized by the Republic of Moldova during the COVID-19 pandemic.
148	Romania	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EU Member States, the differences are automatically recognised on the basis of Regulation (EU) 2018/1139. As regards recognition or acceptance of the validity of certificates and licences affected by the special temporary measures (related to COVID-19) issued by non-EU States, Commission Regulation No 452/2014 laying down technical requirements and administrative procedures related to air operations of third country operators applies. (Commission Regulation (EU) No 452/2014 of 29 April 2014 laying down technical requirements and administrative procedures related to air operations of third country operators pursuant to Regulation (EC) No 216/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ EU L 133, 6.5.2014, p. 12).)
149	Russian Federation (the)	The Russian Federation fully recognizes all differences, related to COVID-19, which have been officially published by Member States.
150	Rwanda	Rwanda will recognize the validity of certificates from other States and the temporary differences and/or exemptions issued based on mitigation measures by COVID-19.



151	Saint Kitts and Nevis	The Eastern Caribbean Civil Aviation Authority (ECCAA) will recognise the validity of certificates from other States and the temporary differences adopted, based on mitigation measures for COVID-19
152	Saint Lucia	The Eastern Caribbean Civil Aviation Authority (ECCAA) will recognise the validity of certificates from other States and the temporary differences adopted, based on mitigation measures for COVID-19
153	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	The Eastern Caribbean Civil Aviation Authority (ECCAA) will recognise the validity of certificates from other States and the temporary differences adopted, based on mitigation measures for COVID-19
154	San Marino	The Republic of San Marino recognises differences of other states
155	Sao Tome and Principe	Sao Tome and Principe recognizes differences of other States
156	Saudi Arabia	Saudi Arabia recognizes differences of other states
157	Senegal	SENEGAL will recognize the differences published in the CCRD-EFOD by other contracting states during the COVID-19 pandemic.
158	Serbia	Differences filed by other contracting States will be recognized by the Republic of Serbia during the COVID-19 pandemic, unless the CAD deems safety is being compromised.
159	Seychelles	Seychelles accepts other ICAO Member State's Temporary Differences under the pandemic period.
160	Sierra Leone	Sierra Leone will recognise Differences of other Stated filed during this COVID-19 pandemic
161	Singapore	Recognition of a Contracting State's COVID-19 Contingency Related Difference (CCRD) will take into consideration assurances from the Contracting State that: (i) any resulting safety risks have been mitigated; and (ii) its operators remain competent in conducting operations safely.



162	Slovakia	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will berecognised without further technical evaluation based on the Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on the Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States.  Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
163	Slovenia	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States the differences will be recognised as well based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
164	Solomon Islands	Solomon Islands CAA will accept mitigations from other States in accordance with applicable mitigating measures.
165	Somalia	Somalia recognizes differences filed by other States
166	South Africa	RSA will accept the differences of the other ICAO Members States during this time.
167	South Sudan	We accept other State differences



168	Spain	Respecto a los certificados y licencias expedidos por los Estados miembros de EASA, las diferencias se reconocerán sin necesidad de una evaluación técnica adicional en base al Reglamento (UE) 2018/1139. En lo que respecta a los certificados y licencias emitidos por Estados no pertenecientes a EASA, las diferencias se reconocerán también sobre la base del Reglamento (UE) 2018/1139, siempre que las condiciones/mitigacion es asociadas a esas diferencias sean adecuadas. En particular, este será el caso cuando esas condiciones/mitigacion es sean equivalentes a las condiciones/mitigacion es notificadas por los Estados Miembros de EASA. No se reconocen los certificados médicos cuyo período devalidez ampliado exceda más de dos D179veces su período de validez estándar.
169	Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka accepts the differences of the other Members States included in the COVID-19 Core CCRD subject to the availability of the confirmation from the concerned state during this period.
170	St Helena, UK Overseas Territories	St Helena accepts other State's differences
171	Sudan (the)	Sudan recognizes differences of other states.
172	Suriname	Suriname shall accept temporary differences from other Member States as filed with ICAO.



173	Sweden	As regards the certificates and licences issued by EASA Member States, the differences will be recognised without further technical evaluation based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139.  As regards the certificates and licences issued by non-EASA States, the differences will be recognised based on Regulation (EU) 2018/1139 provided that the conditions/mitigations associated with those differences are adequate. This will be particularly the case when those conditions/mitigations are equivalent to the conditions/mitigations notified by EASA Member States.  Medical certificates with the extended validity period exceeding their standard validity period more than two times are not recognised.
174	Switzerland	We accept other ICAO States Members Differences
175	Syrian Arab Republic	All ICAO Member states differences are recognized only under COVID19 Pandemic period
176	Tajikistan	We accept other ICAO States Members Differences
177	Thailand	Thailand recognizes differences of other states.
178	Timor-Leste	CAATL Accepts Other ICAO States Members Differences
179	Togo	Togo recognizes differences of other ICAO member States
180	Tonga	Tonga will accept mitigation from other States in accordance with applicable mitigating measures.
181	Trinidad and Tobago	Trinidad and Tobago shall recognize as valid certificates and licences issued by States in compliance with all Articles of the convention on International Aviation.
182	Tunisia	Differences filed by other contracting States will be recognized by Tunisia during the COVID-19 pandemic .
183	Turkey	



184	Turkmenistan	Differences filed by other contracting States will be recognized by the Turkmenistan during the COVID-19 pandemic, unless the CAA deems safety is being compromised.
185	Turks & Caicos Islands, UK Over	Turks and Caicos Islands recognise other States' differences
186	Uganda	Uganda accepts other ICAO States Members Differences
187	UK Main	The UK will recognise other States differences that increase expiry to up to one year from any original ICAO-compliant expiry date, provided that:  1) The medical certificate was valid on the date that the exemption was issued  2) The medical certificate holder must not have been subject to a reduction in medical fitness at the time of the issue of the validity extension.  3) the medical certificate must not have been administratively suspended, revoked or subject to other such enforcement activity  4) Other States publish their policy for the assessment and oversight of medical certificate holders who have medical restrictions or limitations, or are under additional medical surveillance by their AME or the Medical Assessor of the State.
188	Ukraine	Ukraine accepts relevant differences filed by other ICAO States Members.
189	United Arab Emirates (the)	UAE shall recognize differences filed by other states provided that the risk stemming from the alleviation is appropriately and continuously mitigated by the operator and each alleviation is authorised and continuously monitored by the State of Operator and State of Issue, as applicable The UAE recognises current ICAO QRG as acceptable mitigation measures to allow operation in the UAE airspace.
190	United Republic of Tanzania (the)	Differences filed by other contracting States will be recognized by Tanzania during the COVID-19 pandemic.



191	United States of America (the)	Differences filed by other contracting States will be recognized by the United States during the COVID-19 pandemic, unless the FAA deems safety is being compromised.
192	Uruguay	The Civil Aviation Authorrity of Uruguay will consider accepting other ICAO member States Differences, after due revision and assessment.
193	Uzbekistan	Our State will recognize or accept the validity of other States' certificates and licenses based on their temporary differences submitted via the CCRD
194	Vanuatu	Vanuatu will accept mitigations from other States.
195	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	State will recognize or accept the validity of other States' certificates and licenses based on their temporary differences submitted via the CCRD
196	Viet Nam	Vietnam recognizes differences of other States.
197	Yemen	The Republic of Yemen recognizes and accepts differences from other ICAO member States
198	Zambia	Will accept other ICAO States Members Temporary Differences related to Covid-19 Pandemic Period
199	Zimbabwe	Yes