

**ASSOCIATION OF ASIA PACIFIC AIRLINES  
RESOLUTION NO. 8  
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**A RESOLUTION TO STRENGTHEN COOPERATION WITH AIRPORT  
AUTHORITIES IN THE REGION ON EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLANNING**

The AAPA ASSEMBLY OF PRESIDENTS, in its 45<sup>th</sup> meeting duly assembled,

RECOGNISING THAT:

- I. the immediate and effective response to emergencies at airports is paramount to not only save lives but to ensure that both airlines and airports are able to maintain smooth operations;
- II. the availability of an emergency response plan at airports will ensure the effective handling of aircraft emergencies;
- III. the activation of the airports' and airlines' emergency response plans can be expeditiously executed in an emergency setting through continuous coordination and drills between the parties involved;

RESOLVES:

- IV. TO WORK CLOSELY with airport authorities in further developing "best practices", seeking improvements in emergency response procedures and facilities, and to ensure that the jointly developed best practices are adopted regionally; and
- VII. TO ACTIVELY engage airport authorities in constant consultation and exercises, updating each other of latest developments in emergency response.

APPROVED this day of 9<sup>th</sup> day of November 2001 in Bali, Indonesia.

Certified correct:

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