



PAKISTAN DIVISION
AIR TRANSPORT GROUP LECTURE

The Royal Aeronautical Society and its associated professional bodies, the Institution of Engineers Pakistan and the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport are pleased to invite you to attend its Air Transport Group lecture on *Australian Aviation Safety Review—A Role Model for South Asia*, as a part of the Society's professional development programme. Admission is free.

EVENT DETAILS

Date: Wednesday, June 26, 2013.

Time: 2:30 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Venue: PIA Training Centre Auditorium.

Speaker: Wing Commander Naseem Ahmed, MRAeS.

ABSTRACT

Australia is the world leader in aviation safety. It was here that the foundation of the modern DFDR and CVR was laid in early 1930s. The country has the largest numbers of aircraft on its register. Aviation Australia, both civil and military, covers thousands of square miles of territory twice the size of India; however the number of incidents and accidents are lowest in the world. Australia has not visited any major accident of transport aircraft in living memory. Credit must be given to the Australian Transport Safety Bureau (ATSB), which was established through an Act of Parliament. ATSB is an independent organization that investigates all aviation, road transport and marine accidents. It also provides considerable support to countries in the Asia Pacific region and plays an important role in enhancing aviation safety in this region. Australia has helped Indonesia, Laos, Vietnam and Myanmar through bilateral agreements that have enabled these nations to introduce new legislation for establishing independent accident investigation organizations as a means for enhancing flight safety. An Indian aviation team also visited Australia in September last year and negotiated an agreement for financial and technical assistance to improve the situation of flight safety in India. Pakistan can also benefit from the Australian ideas and technical assistance in aviation safety.

ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Wing Commander Syed Naseem Ahmed graduated from PAF College of Aeronautical Engineering and was commissioned in the engineering branch of Pakistan Air Force in 1976. Among other engineering assignments he served as a member of the team

which established the PAF Institute of Air Safety in 1985. He has continued to serve in the area of air safety ever since. He has also served as a member of the PAF Aircraft Accident Investigation Board as well as the CAA Board, after leaving PAF in 2000. He has conducted investigation into more than 20 major aircraft accidents and has worked with almost all aircraft accident investigation organizations in the world. He has received two coveted awards from the Australian government for his outstanding contribution to aviation safety. He has recently founded the Society of Air Safety Investigators in Pakistan and has been elected its founding president.

The details of the program are given below:

- 1400: Registration of attendees.
- 1430: Attendees to be seated.
- 1435: Recitation from the Holy Quran.
- 1440: Introductory remarks.
- 1445: Lecture by Wg. Cdr. Syed Naseem Ahmed.
- 1530: Questions and Answers
- 1600 Closing address by AM Azim Daudpota, FRAeS, Immediate Past-President of Pakistan Division, followed by presentation of memento to the speaker, and refreshments in PTC Cafeteria for which arrangements shall be made by the Society.

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