



The following note is from Eva Sophia Shimanski, Executive Secretary of the ICAR Air Rescue Commission:

Dear ICAR Air Rescue Commission (AirCom) attendees at the 2024 Congress in Thessaloniki, and others interested in the work of ICAR AirCom:

As part of our collective effort to advance safety, improve knowledge, and foster open conversations about incidents and accidents in air rescue operations, I am excited to share the *Air Rescue Incident, Accident, and Near Miss Reporting Form*.

This form has been developed for use worldwide, and is not intended to be utilized solely by ICAR member delegates (which explains our broad international distribution of this email, and our request that you forward this email as broadly as possible). The form aims to provide a standardized way to report and analyze accidents and incidents, helping us all learn and improve together. By contributing your experiences and insights, we can build a stronger, more informed community committed to safety and operational excellence.

You can find the reporting form [HERE](#). I encourage everyone to review it and utilize it to report incidents, accidents, and near misses. Please share this form with other individuals in your agency and/or agencies you work with.

Your participation will help save the lives of rescuers and create a culture of transparency and continuous learning. If you have any questions or suggestions regarding the form or the reporting process, please feel free to reach out to me directly at eva.sophia333@gmail.com

Thank you for your commitment to advancing safety and knowledge.

Best Regards / Meilleures salutations / Mit freundlichen Grüßen / Distinti Saluti / Saludos cordiales

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