

# **Security Snippets**

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## Passenger Arrested After Alleged Assault On Vancouver-bound Flight

A passenger on a flight bound for the Vancouver airport over the weekend was arrested upon arrival for allegedly assaulting someone on board. In a news release, Richmond RCMP said officers received a report of an "aggressive passenger" on a plane heading for Vancouver International Airport on Saturday afternoon. The alleged victim was travelling with the arrested passenger, authorities said. "Based on the individual's behaviours, airline staff determined they posed a potential safety risk to staff and passengers and (the individual was) restrained," Richmond RCMP said



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## **Bomb Threat At Hamilton Airport Not Credible**

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A bomb threat sent to John C. Munro Hamilton International Airport early Sunday evening, which led to a temporary evacuation, was found to be not credible. The airport said in a statement it received the threat shortly after 6 p.m. It notified Hamilton police and "out of the utmost caution" the airport "evacuated its terminal and notified tenants on airport property." Hamilton police said they were dispatched to the airport for reports of a bomb threat. Airport security advised it was a phone call with a threat. When police arrived, the airport was already evacuated, with exterior entrances secured. Police worked with airport security to do a sweep of the entire airport and found nothing suspicious or out of place, police said. The airport was cleared and the threat was deemed "noncredible," the airport said.





## Advocating For Aviation Safety, Security, Sustainability, And Resilience



ICAO Secretary General Juan Carlos Salazar recently concluded a high-level mission to Geneva, where he conducted a series of bilateral meetings and activities in support of the organization's safety and security priorities and air transport's sustainability and resilience objectives. These meetings included bilateral discussions with the Director-General of the World Health Organization (WHO), Dr Tedros Ghebreyesus;

the Secretary–General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), Rebeca Grynspan; the Deputy Secretary–General of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU), Tomas Lamanauskas; and the senior management team of the International Air Transport Association (IATA), including its Director General, Willie Walsh. In the course of the Secretary General's mission, he also addressed a "Town Hall" meeting in IATA, where he provided the association's staff members with a comprehensive update on ICAO's work and achievements.

## Corporate Security Training

- Bomb Threat Management
- Understanding & Managing
- Security Threats
- Security Management
- Security Awareness for Employees
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### BCAS Issues Show Cause Notices To Indigo, MIAL For Passenger Mistreatment

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Aviation security watchdog BCAS has issued show cause notices to IndiGo and Mumbai airport operator MIAL over the incident of passengers having food on the airport tarmac on Sunday, according to official sources. Many passengers rushed out of an IndiGo aircraft at the Mumbai airport, sat on the tarmac, and some were also seen having food there as soon as their diverted Goa-Delhi flight landed after a long delay on Sunday. Both IndiGo and MIAL were not proactive in anticipating the situation and making the appropriate facilitation arrangements for passengers at the airport, as per the notices issued by the Bureau of Civil Aviation Security (BCAS). The notices have been sent for passenger mistreatment, they added.





## ST Engineering Deploys Integrated Security Management Platform



ST Engineering's Urban Solutions business has deployed its next-generation AGIL Secure Integrated Security Management Platform at the new Dhoho Kediri International Airport in Indonesia. AGIL Secure provides real-time visibility and management of all security operations and functions across the airport and its associated buildings. ST Engineering Urban Solutions is deploying the solution in collaboration with partner Sinergi Teknoglobal Perkasa.

AGIL Secure integrates various security subsystems encompassing identity management, access control, video and analytics, intrusion detection and physical security, combining functionalities such as automated incident response, compliance management, analytics and reporting onto a single interface. The cloud-native, modular and scalable platform can operate with emerging security technologies as well as with legacy systems. Although it is designed as a cloud-native application, AGIL Secure can pivot to an on-premises solution.

#### **Aviation & Maritime Training**

- Aviation Security for Senior
- Management, Supervisors
- AVSEC for front-line Security Officers
- Tactical Profiling Course
- · Bomb Threat Handling
- Document Verification Course (Travel documents)
- Check-point Screeners Course (x-ray)
- Regulated Agent Regime for Airfreight
- Understanding Explosives
- International Ship & Port Facility Security Code
- Maritime Security Audits & Inspections



## Flight Forced To Land After Passenger Bites Flight Attendant



An airline spokesperson tells NBC News: "While flying over the Pacific Ocean, a passenger who was heavily intoxicated bit the arm of a female cabin attendant prompting the plane to return to Tokyo Haneda Airport." A plane has returned to its departure airport in Japan after a female member of the cabin crew was bitten by a drunk passenger, according to the airline. The All Nippon Airways (ANA) Flight 118 took off from Tokyo on Tuesday night and was heading to Seattle where it was due to land 10 hours later, FlightAware tracking data showed. But it went back to Tokyo's Haneda Airport three hours into its journey. An ANA spokesperson told Sky's US partner network NBC News: "While flying over the Pacific Ocean, a passenger who was heavily intoxicated bit the arm of a female cabin attendant prompting the plane to return to Tokyo Haneda Airport."

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## Morocco Arrests Interpol-Wanted Danish Suspect in Casablanca Airport

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Moroccan police at the Mohammed V International Airport in Casablanca arrested today a Danish suspect wanted by Interpol for drug trafficking. The 38-year-old suspect was the subject of a Red Notice issued by Interpol at the request of Danish judicial authorities, said a statement from Morocco's General Directorate of National Security (DGSN). Police in Casablanca arrested the suspect as part of a collaborative operation and intelligence exchange between Morocco's DGSN and the American Drug Enforcement Administration.

