

[Press release]

HKBAC attains IS-BAH Stage 3 Raising the Bar of Safety Standard for Asia FBOs

[Hong Kong — 27 August 2021] The **Hong Kong Business Aviation Centre (HKBAC)** is proud to announce that in August 2021 it has been awarded Stage 3 certification of the International Standard for Business Aircraft Handling (IS-BAH), a global industry best practice designed by the International Business Aviation Council (IBAC) for best safety management system across the globe. HKBAC’s attainment of the IS-BAH Stage 3 certification follows the NATA Safety 1st Clean™ Certification awarded earlier for its pandemic response in 2020, and is a further recognition of its safety protocol/system not only in managing risks in its day-to-day operation especially during the pandemic but also underlining its unwavering commitment to continuous improvement in safety and services of the highest possible standard.



Madonna Fung, General Manager of HKBAC, remarked, “We are pleased that HKBAC’s safety management system underpinned by our long-standing, entrenched safety culture is endorsed through the IS-BAH Stage 3 certification. Safety, Service and Style have been our motto and commitment. We appreciate that standards are ever-evolving with the changing safety rules and regulations as well as client needs, and have never been complacent. We shall continue to improve in particular through our HK\$400 million expansion plan at the Hong Kong International Airport, which will strengthen the city’s capacity in providing premium business aviation services and help enhance the positioning of Hong Kong as the international aviation hub in Asia. We are committed to boosting connectivity hence economic development in the Greater Bay Area and the rest of the world.”

The IS-BAH certification, jointly created by the International Business Aviation Council (IBAC) and the National Air Transportation Association (NATA), is a set of world-class business aviation best practices for FBOs and Business Aircraft Handling Agents (BAHA),

focusing on safety management system (SMS) alongside the principles for risk mitigation, airside operations and corporate governance.

For more information on IS-BAH, please visit the following website:

http://www.ibac.org/is_bah

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The Hong Kong Business Aviation Centre (HKBAC) is a premier executive aviation support facility for business aircraft. Located at the Hong Kong International Airport, HKBAC is the most convenient arrival and departure point for destinations in Mainland China, other parts of Asia and beyond.

Opened in 1998, HKBAC provides the full range of professional aircraft technical support, ground handling service as well as passenger and crew services. The team is trained to serve customers of different nationalities and cultures, and to provide highly personalized flight handling.

HKBAC has been voted the Best Asian FBO in Professional Pilot's PRASE survey for an unprecedented 14 consecutive years (2008-2021).

For details, please visit <https://www.hkbac.com/>.

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