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**NOTIFICATION OF INCIDENTS OR ACCIDENTS
BY STRIKE WITH FAUNA**

The Civil Aviation Authority, through the Airports Department, communicates to the aircraft operating companies, pilots, ramp personnel and operations personnel of International Airports, the following provision:

In accordance with the provisions of the “**Airport Services Manual / Part 3 Hazard Control and Reduction Representing Wildlife**”, ICAO Doc 9137-AN / 898, they are requested that, for any accident or incident resulting from the strike of birds or other fauna with an aircraft, must be notified using the form that can be downloaded on the Civil Aviation Authority website:

<https://www.dgac.go.cr/aeropuertos-de-costa-rica/#2>

This provision originates in order for the State to have information that must be sent to ICAO. The forms that must be completed, when a clash with wildlife occurs are:

- ❖ Notification of clashes with wildlife (Bird / Other Wildlife Strike Report)

Any impact with fauna must be communicated as soon as possible to the operator of the aerodrome where the event occurred so that it proceeds with the corresponding follow-up and initiates the investigation process.

The official report to the DGAC must be made by the air operator to the DGAC no later than 24 hours after the event has occurred, using the aforementioned form, which must be completed and sent via email to the account impactofauna@dgac.go.cr with a copy to the person in charge of wildlife management at the aerodrome where the impact occurred. Below is the contact data to which it should be copied according to the aerodrome where the impact occurred, as well as telephone numbers to alert incidents:

ICAO Aerodrome Code	Contact name	E-mail	Telephone (code 506)
MROC	Marvin Sojo and/or Marco Durán	msojo@aeris.cr mduran@aeris.cr	2440-8257
MRLB	Hernán Juárez	hjuarez@dgac.go.cr	2106-9137, 2668-1197, 2668-1032
MRPV	Allen Vargas Rodríguez	avargasr@dgac.go.cr faunamrpv@dgac.go.cr	2106-9110, 2106-9107, 2106-9113, 2106-9106
MRLM	Julio Arias	jarias@dgac.go.cr	2106-9152

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