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A CALL FOR INDUSTRY COLLABORATION TO SUPPORT USE OF E-FREIGHT

The Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore (CAAS) and Infocomm Development Authority of Singapore (IDA) are seeking industry support to collaborate and promote the use of e-freight@Singapore, a process re-engineering effort that aims to integrate the air cargo and logistics supply chain by electronically linking stakeholders.

This Call-For-Collaboration (CFC) initiative hopes to develop and promote an efficient method to manage paperless air cargo processes in Singapore, establish interoperable data exchange standards and promote the adoption of the successful business process integration to more players.

To engage companies and raise the profile of the e-freight programme an industry briefing was organised on 15 April to share details about the e-freight@Singapore programme. This forum gave participants the opportunity to raise and clarify issues regarding the programme. In another session organised on 26 April, a technical briefing and networking event was held to facilitate discussions on the programme, and the formation of consortiums to participate in the CFC.

Companies have been invited to submit proposals through the CFC with innovative solutions to support paperless air freight processing and to improve the capabilities of the sector. When the solution is fully deployed, the goal is to achieve productivity gains, improved work productivity, cost efficiency, time savings, error reduction and increased interoperability. The proposal submission deadline is 30 June and the CFC is slated to be awarded in August or September.

For more information on e-freight@Singapore and the CFC, please visit www.ida.gov.sg or www.caas.gov.sg. Queries may also be emailed to [ida_efreight@ida.gov.sg](mailto:idae_freight@ida.gov.sg).

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