



**Press Release**

**Yangon International Airport conducts fire drill at Terminal 1**

- The fire drill was conducted to promote safety and emergency preparedness at YIA, a priority of the airport.

**YANGON – 22 March 2019** – Yangon International Airport (“YIA”) has conducted the fire drill today. Starting from 1:30 PM, the drill was conducted at the basement of Terminal 1.



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The fire drill was conducted to promote fire safety and emergency preparedness and highlights YIA’s commitment to the safety and security of its valued passengers and stakeholders.

The drill involved a team of firefighters who responded to a fire incident using extinguishers. The fire triggered a fire alarm, leading to a mass evacuation of YIA staff in the basement of Terminal 1. YIA staff evacuated the basement in an orderly fashion. The drill was successfully concluded by 1:45 PM.

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## **About Yangon Aerodrome Company Limited (YACL)**

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Incorporated on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2015, Yangon Aerodrome Company Limited (YACL) operates and manages Yangon International Airport (YIA), the gateway to Myanmar. As the company responsible for Myanmar's largest and busiest airport, YACL sets the standard for YIA as a high-performing aviation hub, built on a foundation of daily excellence in infrastructure, operations and management.

Strategically located between India and China, Myanmar is less than six hours by air from two-thirds of the world's population. With Myanmar gaining popularity as a travel destination, YACL is committed to scaling up YIA's handling capacity for visitor traffic while continuously providing quality experiences for passengers and airlines alike.

YIA has 47 retail and service stores and 23 F&B outlets. With 32 international airlines connecting Myanmar to 30 destinations, YIA served a total of 6.035 million passengers from around the world in 2018.