

In-flight Turbulence Encounter

Accident Investigation Interim Statement

Airbus A330-243 Nansha District, Guangzhou City, Guangdong Province, China 18 June 2019

05-2020

In accordance with the Hong Kong Civil Aviation (Investigation of Accidents) Regulations (Cap. 448B), an investigation is in progress to determine the circumstances and causes relating to the accident involving a Hong Kong Airlines Airbus A330, registration B-LHA, which encountered turbulence enroute from Beijing to Hong Kong on 18 June 2019.

Based on the collected evidence, the investigation team is analysing the causes of the accident from the operational and cabin safety aspects.

In accordance with paragraph 6.6 of Annex 13 to the Convention on International Civil Aviation, if the report cannot be made publicly available within twelve months, the State/Administration conducting the investigation shall make an interim statement publicly available on each anniversary of the occurrence, detailing the progress of the investigation and any safety issues raised.

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