

# CASSOA Marks 5 Years, Gets New Executive Director

Details



**Entebbe, Uganda; 25 May 2012:** This year, the East African Community Civil Aviation Safety and Security Oversight Agency (EAC-CASSOA) made five years since it came into being. The Agency officially started work on 1 June 2007 following signing of the Protocol for its establishment by the Partner States' Ministers responsible for civil aviation on 18 April 2007.

The Agency is charged with promoting the safe, secure and efficient use and development of civil aviation within and outside the Partner States as well as providing Partner States with an appropriate forum and structure to discuss, plan and implement common measures required for achieving the safe and orderly development of international civil aviation through the implementation of international standards and recommended practices relating to the safety and security of civil aviation.

## **Mr. Barry Kashambo New Executive Director**

CASSOA used the occasion of its fifth anniversary celebrations to bid farewell to its founding Executive Director, Mr. Mtesigwa Maugo, who left the Agency at the end of his five-year term. Mr. Barry Kashambo replaces Mr. Maugo as Executive Director with effect from 1 June 2012.