CONFERENCE

Fortieth Session

Rome, 3-8 July 2017

Second Report of the Credentials Committee

1. The Credentials Committee of the 40th Session of the Conference held two meetings on 30 June and 3 July 2017, to examine the credentials received. The Committee elected H.E. Daniela Rotondaro (San Marino) as its Chairperson, and H.E. Mónica Robelo Raffone (Nicaragua) as its Vice-Chairperson.

2. The Credentials Committee noted Rule III of the General Rules of the Organization on “delegations and credentials”, as well as the practice and criteria followed by the Organization with respect to the acceptance of credentials, in accordance with the prevailing practice in the United Nations System on the matter. The Credentials Committee also noted that the Council, at its 148th Session held in December 2013, endorsed proposals to further streamline the overall process of acceptance of credentials, including through increased reliance on credentials issued by Permanent Representatives accredited to the Organization, taking into account the reduction in the duration of sessions of the Conference, as well as the recent practice of other organizations of the United Nations System.

3. The Credentials Committee reviewed the credentials or information received regarding the composition of delegations shown in Annex I. 16 Members have not provided any information on their participation or representation in the Conference session.

4. The Committee recommended to the Conference that the credentials of the delegations listed in Annex I to this First Report be accepted, on the understanding that, as appropriate formal credentials of Members and Associate Members, in original form, would be communicated to the Director-General in due course, and that all delegations be authorized to participate fully in the Conference session. The list reflects the situation as of 6 July 2017.
1. AFGHANISTAN
2. ALBANIA
3. ALGERIA
4. ANDORRA
5. ANGOLA
6. ARGENTINA
7. ARMENIA
8. AUSTRALIA
9. AUSTRIA
10. AZERBAIJAN
11. BAHAMAS
12. BANGLADESH
13. BARBADOS
14. BELARUS
15. BELGIUM
16. BELIZE
17. BENIN
18. BOLIVIA (PLURINATIONAL STATE OF)
19. BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA
20. BOTSWANA
21. BRAZIL
22. BULGARIA
23. BURKINA FASO
24. BURUNDI
25. CABO VERDE
26. CAMBODIA
27. CAMEROON
28. CANADA
29. CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC
30. CHAD
31. CHILE
32. CHINA
33. COLOMBIA
34. CONGO
35. COSTA RICA
36. CÔTE D’IVOIRE
37. CROATIA
38. CUBA
39. CYPRUS
40. CZECHIA
41. DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF KOREA
42. DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO
43. DENMARK
44. DJIBOUTI
45. DOMINICA
46. DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
47. ECUADOR
48. EGYPT
49. EL SALVADOR
50. EQUATORIAL GUINEA
51. ERITREA
52. ESTONIA
53. ETHIOPIA
54. EUROPEAN UNION
55. FIJI
56. FINLAND
57. FRANCE
58. GABON
59. GAMBIA
60. GEORGIA
61. GERMANY
62. GHANA
63. GREECE
64. GRENADA
65. GUATEMALA
66. GUINEA
67. GUINEA-BISSAU
68. GUYANA
69. HAITI
70. HONDURAS
71. HUNGARY
72. ICELAND
73. INDIA
74. INDONESIA
75. IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)
76. IRAQ
77. IRELAND
78. ISRAEL
79. ITALY
80. JAMAICA
81. JAPAN
82. JORDAN
83. KAZAKHSTAN
84. KENYA
85. KIRIBATI
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88. LAO PEOPLE’S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
89. LATVIA
90. LEBANON
91. LESOTHO
92. LIBERIA
93. LIBYA
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102. MEXICO
103. MONACO
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106. MOROCCO
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109. NAMIBIA
110. NAURU
111. NEPAL
112. NETHERLANDS
113. NEW ZEALAND
114. NICARAGUA
115. NIGER
116. NIGERIA
117. NORWAY
118. OMAN
119. PAKISTAN
120. PALAU
121. PANAMA
122. PAPUA NEW GUINEA
123. PARAGUAY
124. PERU
125. PHILIPPINES
126. POLAND
127. PORTUGAL
128. QATAR
129. REPUBLIC OF KOREA
130. REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA
131. ROMANIA
132. RUSSIAN FEDERATION
133. RWANDA
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