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Second Report of the Credentials Committee

1. The Credentials Committee of the 42nd Session of the Conference held three meetings on 9 June, 14 June and 15 June 2021 to examine the credentials received. The Credentials 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, in line with General Assembly Resolution 396 (V). 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. 170 Member Nations and 1 Member Organization, the European Union, have submitted valid credentials of their delegations as shown in *Annex*.
4. At its third meeting, the Credentials Committee reviewed the credentials as presented up to 15 June 2021 and reviewed procedural concerns raised regarding the credentials presented by Myanmar.
5. The Credentials Committee, noting the practice of the United Nations General Assembly and the decisions of other UN Organizations such as the World Health Assembly of the World Health Organization (WHO) at its 74th session held from 24 to 31 May 2021 and the International Labour Conference of the International Labour Organization (ILO) at its 109th session held between 7 and 19 June 2021 decided to recommend to the FAO Conference that it defer a decision on the credentials of Myanmar, pending guidance from the Credentials Committee of the United Nations Assembly.
6. Following the review, the Credentials Committee took the decision not to accredit at this stage any delegate for that Member Nation.
7. The Credentials Committee recommended to the Conference that the credentials of the delegations listed in the *Annex* to this Second Report be accepted¹ and that those delegations be

¹ Canada dissociates from the adoption of the Committee’s Report, solely with respect to the acceptance of the credentials submitted by the Maduro regime on behalf of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

authorized to participate fully in the Conference Session. The list reflects the situation as of 15 June 2021.

Annex

1. AFGHANISTAN
2. ALBANIA
3. ALGERIA
4. ANDORRA
5. ANGOLA
6. ARGENTINA
7. ARMENIA
8. AUSTRALIA
9. AUSTRIA
10. AZERBAIJAN
11. BAHAMAS
12. BAHRAIN
13. BANGLADESH
14. BELARUS
15. BELGIUM
16. BELIZE
17. BENIN
18. BHUTAN
19. BOLIVIA (PLURINATIONAL STATE OF)
20. BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA
21. BOTSWANA
22. BRAZIL
23. BULGARIA
24. BURKINA FASO
25. BURUNDI
26. CABO VERDE
27. CAMEROON
28. CANADA
29. CHAD
30. CHILE
31. CHINA
32. COLOMBIA
33. CONGO
34. COSTA RICA
35. COTE D'IVOIRE
36. CROATIA
37. CUBA
38. CYPRUS
39. CZECHIA
40. DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA
41. DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO
42. DENMARK
43. DJIBOUTI
44. DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
45. ECUADOR

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46. EGYPT
 47. EL SALVADOR
 48. EQUATORIAL GUINEA
 49. ERITREA
 50. ESTONIA
 51. ESWATINI
 52. ETHIOPIA
 53. EUROPEAN UNION (MEMBER ORGANIZATION)
 54. FIJI
 55. FINLAND
 56. FRANCE
 57. GABON
 58. GEORGIA
 59. GERMANY
 60. GHANA
 61. GREECE
 62. GRENADA
 63. GUATEMALA
 64. GUINEA
 65. GUYANA
 66. HAITI
 67. HONDURAS
 68. HUNGARY
 69. ICELAND
 70. INDIA
 71. INDONESIA
 72. IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)
 73. IRAQ
 74. IRELAND
 75. ISRAEL
 76. ITALY
 77. JAMAICA
 78. JAPAN
 79. JORDAN
 80. KAZAKHSTAN
 81. KENYA
 82. KIRIBATI
 83. KYRGYZSTAN
 84. KUWAIT
 85. LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
 86. LATVIA
 87. LEBANON
 88. LESOTHO
 89. LIBYA
 90. LITHUANIA
 91. LUXEMBOURG
 92. MADAGASCAR
 93. MALAYSIA

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94. MALAWI
 95. MALDIVES
 96. MALI
 97. MALTA
 98. MAURITANIA
 99. MAURITIUS
 100. MEXICO
 101. MICRONESIA (FEDERATED STATES OF)
 102. MONACO
 103. MONGOLIA
 104. MONTENEGRO
 105. MOROCCO
 106. MOZAMBIQUE
 107. NEPAL
 108. NETHERLANDS
 109. NEW ZEALAND
 110. NICARAGUA
 111. NIGER
 112. NIGERIA
 113. NORTH MACEDONIA
 114. NORWAY
 115. OMAN
 116. PAKISTAN
 117. PANAMA
 118. PAPUA NEW GUINEA
 119. PARAGUAY
 120. PERU
 121. PHILIPPINES
 122. POLAND
 123. PORTUGAL
 124. QATAR
 125. REPUBLIC OF KOREA
 126. REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA
 127. ROMANIA
 128. RUSSIAN FEDERATION
 129. RWANDA
 130. SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS
 131. SAINT LUCIA
 132. SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES
 133. SAMOA
 134. SAN MARINO
 135. SAUDI ARABIA
 136. SENEGAL
 137. SERBIA
 138. SEYCHELLES
 139. SINGAPORE
 140. SLOVAKIA
 141. SLOVENIA
 142. SOMALIA

143. SOUTH AFRICA
144. SOUTH SUDAN
145. SPAIN
146. SRI LANKA
147. SUDAN
148. SWEDEN
149. SWITZERLAND
150. THAILAND
151. TIMOR-LESTE
152. TOGO
153. TONGA
154. TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO
155. TUNISIA
156. TURKEY
157. TURKMENISTAN
158. TUVALU
159. UGANDA
160. UKRAINE
161. UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
162. UNITED KINGDOM
163. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
164. URUGUAY
165. UZBEKISTAN
166. VANUATU
167. VENEZUELA (BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF)
168. VIET NAM
169. YEMEN
170. ZAMBIA
171. ZIMBABWE