



GENERAL ASSEMBLY

22ND SESSION

12 MAY 2016, BISHKEK, KYRGYZSTAN

DECISIONS

Decision 1

- Item 2** Designation of the Credentials Verification Committee
Item 3 Report of the Credentials Verification Committee

According to **Article 10 and 11** of the Internal Regulations, the General Assembly established the Credentials Verification Committee consisting of each of the following:

Representative of **Algeria**

Representative of **Kyrgyzstan**

Mr. Ahmed Zenaidi, Director of Administration (ICDO), was appointed Rapporteur.

The General Assembly considered the Credentials Verification Committee's report confirming that the mandates of all the delegates present were valid.

As stated, the General Assembly unanimously **adopted** the Credentials Verification Committee's report. The quorum and right to vote requirements set out in **Articles 15 and 16 of the Constitution** were fulfilled.

Number of Member States present: **40**

Number of Member States excused: **2**

Number Member States absent: **14**

Decision 2

- Item 4** Adoption of the Agenda

The Agenda is adopted **unanimously** by the members of the General Assembly.

Decision 3

- Item 5** Election of the President and Vice-President of the General Assembly

Côte d'Ivoire, represented by General Kili Fiacre Fagnidi, Director General of the National Office of Civil Protection, was elected to the Presidency of the General Assembly for the period 2017-2018.

Sudan, represented by Major General Hashim Abdelmageed Taha, Director-General of the Civil Defence, was elected to the Vice-Presidency of the General Assembly for the period 2017-2018.

Decision 4

Item 6 Election of members of Executive Council

Member States whose mandate is set to end on 31 December 2016, namely, **Algeria, China, Egypt, Jordan, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Tunisia and United Arab Emirates**, were re-elected for a four-year mandate (2016-2020).

Kuwait is elected for a four-year mandate (2016-2020)

All these States are called upon to designate a representative to the Executive Council.

The composition of the next Executive Council will be as follows (23 members):

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| • Algeria | • Azerbaijan | • Burkina Faso | • Cameroon |
| • China | • Congo | • Cote d'Ivoire | • Egypt |
| • Georgia | • Jordan | • Kazakhstan | • Kyrgyzstan |
| • Lebanon | • Moldova | • Niger | • Pakistan |
| • Qatar | • Russian Federation | • Saudi Arabia | • Senegal |
| • Tunisia | • United Arab Emirates | • Kuwait | |

Decision 5

Item 7 New Member States and new Observers

Having considered item 7, the General Assembly welcomes the admission of:

- **Kuwait, Cuba and Tajikistan** as full Member States of the Organization;
- **Union of Comoros** as an Observer State;

and calls upon Member States to cooperate fruitfully with the new members.

Decision 6

Item 7 Status of Observer States

According to Article 2, para. 2 of the Internal Regulations, the Observer status of the following States has been confirmed for a two-year period: Belarus, Chile, France, Malta, Mauritius, Monaco, Nicaragua, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Serbia, Slovakia, Switzerland, South Africa, Ukraine, Uzbekistan and Zimbabwe.

RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTION I REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE ORGANIZATION SINCE THE 21st SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,
HAVING HEARD the Secretary-General's report on the activities of the Organization since the 21st Session of the General Assembly,
HAVING CONSIDERED the reports on the activities of the Organization presented by the Secretary-General to the 48th and 49th sessions of the Executive Council,
APPROVES these reports,
AND THANKS the Secretary-General for his constant efforts in favour of the Organization.

RESOLUTION II PROGRAMME OF ACTIVITIES OF THE ICDO FOR THE YEARS 2017 AND 2018

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,
HAVING HEARD the report of the Secretary-General on the Programme of activities of the ICDO for the period 2017-2018,
ADOPTS unanimously the Programme and calls upon all Member States, Observer States and Affiliated Members to support this Programme and do their utmost to support the ICDO in carrying it out.

RESOLUTION III ADMISSION TO THE STATUS OF AFFILIATED MEMBER

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,
IN ACCORDANCE with Article 50 of the Constitution and Article 2 of the Internal Regulations,
AND PURSUANT the procedures and criteria for accession to the status of associated member and affiliated member adopted by the General Assembly in its 13th Session,
CONFIRMS the admission of the following organizations to the status of ICDO affiliated member:

- **All-Russian Science and Research Institute on Civil Defence and Emergency Situations (Russian Federation)**
- **Russian Union of Rescuers (Russian Federation)**
- **St-Petersburg University of State Fire Service of EMERCOM of Russia (Russian Federation)**
- **State Fire Academy of EMERCOM of Russia (Russian Federation)**
- **Association ODM DE RCBP IS (Russian Federation)**
- **Ras Laffan Emergency & Safety College – RLESC (Qatar)**
- **Russian-Serbian Humanitarian Centre (Serbia)**
- **Multidisciplinary Civil Defence College (Kazakhstan)**
- **International Civil Defense Support & Coordination Agency (Switzerland)**

RESOLUTION IV
FINANCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,
HAVING CONSIDERED the audit reports for the financial years 2014 and 2015 adopted by the 48th and 49th sessions of the Executive Council,
APPROVES the Audit report and the ICDO financial activities for the financial period 2014-2015, and
DISCHARGES the Secretary-General for his financial management during that period.

RESOLUTION V
FINANCIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,
HAVING CONSIDERED the proposal of the Secretary-General concerning the arrears of contribution,
CONFIRMS the postponement of the voting rights of the Kingdom of Lesotho and the Republic of El Salvador until these countries revive their interest and commitment to their obligations towards the ICDO, and
APPROVES the proposal for a new Two-Year Plan (2017-2018) as follows: “*each payment of a one-year contribution erases ¼ of the arrears as of 31st December 2016*”. The Two-Year Plan will end on 31 December 2018 and will be the last opportunity for Member States to settle their arrears,
DECIDES that the provisions of the Article 5 of the Constitution shall be applied to the countries with arrears of 200.000 CHF or more.

RÉSOLUTION VI
QUESTIONS SUBMITTED BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

AFTER HEARING the report of the Secretary-General concerning the trial in process between the ICDO and Mr. Saad El Nounou, as well as the intervention of Major General Hashim Abdelmajeed, Director General of the Civil Defence of the Republic of Sudan (**Document No 6**), affirming :

- The full continuous support of Sudan to the ICDO ;
- The confirmation that Sudan personally invited Mr. El Nounou and took in charge the entirety of Mr. El Nounou expenses during his stay, contrary to what he claimed.
- The confirmation that the ICDO is not concerned by this case,

MANDATE the Secretary-General to pursue the procedures in process with the Swiss justice, to defend the honour and safeguard the good image of the Organization.

RESOLUTION VII
DECISIONS TAKEN BY THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
AT ITS 48th AND 49th SESSIONS

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,
HAVING READ AND CONSIDERED the decisions taken by the Executive Council at its 48th and 49th sessions,
APPROVES these decisions unanimously, without opposition or abstentions,

INVITES the Secretariat to implement the aforementioned decisions whereby projects and activities will contribute to the development of the ICDO services. (See Appendix: Decisions taken by the Executive Council at its 48th and 49th Sessions).

The GENERAL ASSEMBLY unanimously expresses its deepest thanks and gratitude to the Kyrgyz Republic, to His Excellency the President of the Republic, to His Excellency the Prime Minister, to His Excellency the Minister of Emergency Situations for their warm and generous welcome and their tremendous support which contributed to the success of this double event, the 49th session of the Executive Council and the 22nd session of the General Assembly.

General Kili Fiacre Fagnidi
President of the General Assembly



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