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**ASSEMBLY — 38TH SESSION**

**PLENARY**

**Agenda Item 3: Establishment of Committees and Commissions**

**FINAL REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE**

(Presented by the Chairman of the Credentials Committee)

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The Final Report of the Credentials Committee indicates that, out of 184 Member States and 53 observer delegations registered, credentials submitted by 184 Member States and 46 observer delegations were found in due and proper form.

**Action:** The Assembly is invited to approve the Final Report of the Credentials Committee.

<i>Strategic Objectives:</i>	Supporting Implementation Strategies – Programme Support – Legal Services and External Relations; Administration Governing Bodies – Assembly and Council Secretariat.
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<i>Financial implications:</i>	None
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<i>References:</i>	Doc 7600/7, <i>Standing Rules of Procedure of the Assembly of the International Civil Aviation Organization</i>
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1. At the First Meeting of its Plenary held on 24 September 2013, the Assembly agreed to the establishment of the Credentials Committee and the Delegations of Lao People's Democratic Republic, Nicaragua, Swaziland, Ukraine and United Arab Emirates were invited to nominate members for this Committee.

2. On 24 September 2013, the First Meeting of the Credentials Committee was held; the Committee was composed as follows:

Mr. Yakua Lopangkao	(Lao People's Democratic Republic)
Mr. Carlos Bonilla Vílchez	(Nicaragua)
Ms. Winile Dlamini	(Swaziland)
Ms. Olena Melnyk	(Ukraine)
Mr. Ismaeil Mohammed Al Balooshi	(United Arab Emirates)

The Committee unanimously elected Mr. Ismaeil Mohammed Al Balooshi, member of the delegation of the United Arab Emirates, Chairman of the Committee.

3. At the Second Meeting of the Plenary, the Chairman of the Credentials Committee presented an interim report to the Assembly and informed that, as of 1500 hours on 24 September 2013, 160 Member States and 41 observer delegations had registered for the Assembly. Credentials in due and proper form had been received from 165 Member States and 36 observer delegations.

4. The Assembly agreed on the recommendation of the Credentials Committee to urge all States and organizations that had not yet presented due and proper credentials to do so as soon as possible and, meanwhile, in view of Rule 7 of the Standing Rules of Procedure of the Assembly, to permit them to participate in its deliberations.

5. At its Fourth Meeting on 30 September 2013, the Credentials Committee found that the credentials submitted by 184 Member States and from 46 observer delegations had been presented in due and proper form.

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