



ASSEMBLY — 39TH SESSION

PLENARY

Agenda Item 5: Election of Member States to be represented on the Council

CANDIDATURE OF ARAB MEMBER STATES

(Presented by the Arab Civil Aviation Commission (ACAC)¹)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY	
This paper presents the names of the four Arab member States nominated for election to the Council of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) for the next triennium 2016-2019.	
<i>Strategic Objectives:</i>	This working paper relates to all Strategic Objectives.
<i>Financial implications:</i>	This working paper does not require any additional resources.
<i>References:</i>	Doc 7600/8, <i>Standing Rules of Procedure of the Assembly of the International Civil Aviation Organization (Eighth edition)</i>

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 In accordance with the provisions of Article 50 a) of the *Convention on International Civil Aviation* (Chicago Convention), four Arab Member States of ACAC expressed their desire to stand for nomination as candidates in the elections for membership of the ICAO Council. Pursuant to its resolution 13 GA/23, adopted during its 23rd Session held in Jeddah, 18-19 May 2016, the General Assembly of ACAC agreed to support the nomination of these four States.

2. CONSIDERATION

2.1 Based on the above, the Arab Member States have the honour to inform the 39th ICAO Assembly that they unanimously nominate the following Arab States for the elections of the ICAO Council for the next 2016-2019 triennium:

a) Part One: States of chief importance in air transport

- None

- b) Part Two: States not otherwise included which make the largest contribution to the provision of facilities for international civil air navigation
 - Arab Republic of Egypt
 - Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

- c) Part Three: States not otherwise included whose designation will ensure that all the major geographic areas of the world are represented on the Council
 - United Arab Emirates
 - People's Democratic Republic of Algeria

3. ACTION BY THE ASSEMBLY

3.1 The Assembly is invited to:

- a) take note of this working paper; and
- b) elect the four Arab States nominated by ACAC for membership of the Council.

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ⁱ Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, United Arab Emirates, Kingdom of Bahrain, Republic of Tunisia, Republic of Djibouti, People's Democratic Republic of Algeria, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Republic of Sudan, Republic of Somalia, Republic of Iraq, Sultanate of Oman, State of Palestine, State of Qatar, State of Kuwait, Lebanese Republic, State of Libya, Arab Republic of Egypt, Kingdom of Morocco, Islamic Republic of Mauritania, Republic of Yemen