



ASSEMBLY — 39TH SESSION

PLENARY

Agenda Item 3: Establishment of Committees and Commissions

FINAL REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

(Presented by the Chairperson of the Credentials Committee)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Final Report of the Credentials Committee indicates that credentials submitted by 184 Member States and 57 observers were found in due and proper form, and that 183 Member States and 57 observer delegations registered.

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 and Services Management – Assembly and Council Secretariat.
<i>Financial implications:</i>	None
<i>References:</i>	Doc 7600/8, <i>Standing Rules of Procedure of the Assembly of the International Civil Aviation Organization</i>

1. At the First Meeting of its Plenary held on 27 September 2016, the Assembly agreed to the establishment of the Credentials Committee and the Delegations of Bahamas, Bangladesh, Congo, Lebanon and Luxembourg were invited to nominate members for this Committee.

2. On 27 September 2016, the First Meeting of the Credentials Committee was held; the Committee was composed as follows:

Mrs. Julia Brathwaite-Rolle	(Bahamas)
Mr. S.M. Lutful Kabir	(Bangladesh)
Mr. Roméo Boris Makaya Batchi	(Congo)
Mr. Souleiman Eid	(Lebanon)
Ms. Linda Mazzola	(Luxembourg)

The Committee unanimously elected Mr. Souleiman Eid, member of the delegation of Lebanon, Chairperson of the Committee.

3. At the Second Meeting of the Plenary, the Chairperson of the Credentials Committee presented an interim report to the Assembly and informed that, as of 1500 hours on 27 September 2016, 164 Member States and 39 observer delegations had registered for the Assembly. Credentials in due and proper form had been received from 170 Member States and 43 observers.

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 Fifth Meeting on 4 October 2016, the Credentials Committee found that the credentials submitted by 184 Member States and from 57 observers had been presented in due and proper form.

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