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Membership of the Organization

(a) New membership

(II) Affiliate Members

I. Introduction

1. The purpose of this document is to inform the General Assembly on the applications for affiliate membership, which the Assembly is to examine in accordance with Article 7 of the Statutes and rules 49 and 50 of its Rules of Procedure, as well as to report changes in the Affiliate Members' composition since the nineteenth session of the General Assembly.

A. Applications for affiliate membership

2. In accordance with the Executive Council decisions at its 93rd session (Madrid, Spain, 13 June 2012) (CE/DEC/16(XCIII)), 94th session (Campeche, Mexico, 24 October 2012), (CE/DEC/16(XCIV)) and 95th session (Belgrade, Serbia, 28 May 2013) (CE/DEC/19(XCV)), the Executive Council provisionally admitted the following bodies to affiliate membership, in accordance with Articles 7(3) and 7(4) of the Statutes, subject to subsequent approval by the General Assembly:

1. ADVERTISING AGENCY « GREAT SILK ROAD » (UZBEKISTAN)
2. ALTERNATIVE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS (PALESTINE)
3. ASSOCIAÇÃO BRASILEIRA DAS OPERADORAS DE TURISMO – BRAZTOA (BRAZIL)
4. AYUNTAMIENTO S. BARTOLOME DE TIRAJANA (MASPALOMAS) (SPAIN)
5. BENCH EVENTS (UNITED KINGDOM)
6. CASPIAN TRAVEL AGENCY AND CARGO LLC (AZERBAIJAN)
7. CHIC OUTLET SHOPPING – VALUE RETAIL PLC (UNITED KINGDOM)
8. CONFEDERACIÓN ESPAÑOLA DE AGENCIAS DE VIAJES (CEAV) (SPAIN)
9. CONSOLIDATED TOURISM AND INVESTMENT CONSULTANTS LTD CTICO (JAMAICA)
10. CONSULTORES ASOCIADOS EN TURISMO S.A. DE C.V. (MEXICO)
11. CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU DELLA REPUBBICA DI SAN MARINO (SAN MARINO)
12. DELTA GROUP LTD (AZERBAIJAN)
13. DESTINATION MARKETING ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL (DMAI) (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)



14. ÉCOLE HÔTELIÈRE DE LAUSANNE (SWITZERLAND)
15. EL CORTE INGLES (SPAIN)
16. ELEGANT TRAVEL” (AZERBAIJAN)
17. ERA STYLE (AZERBAIJAN)
18. ESCUELA SUPERIOR DE TURISMO DEL INSTITUTO POLITÉCNICO NACIONAL (MEXICO)
19. EUROTOURISM COMPANY (AZERBAIJAN)
20. FEDERACIÓN DE TURISMO DEL ESTADO BOLÍVAR (VENEZUELA)
21. FEDERAL ESTABLISHMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION “RUSSIAN STATE UNIVERSITY OF TOURISM AND SERVICE” (RUSSIAN FEDERATION)
22. FEST TRAVEL (TURKEY)
23. FINNISH SANTA CLAUS FOUNDATION (FINLAND)
24. FUNDACIÓN BARCELONA MEDIA (SPAIN)
25. GATO – GADESHGARAN TOUR OPERATOR (IRAN)
26. GDTUR (SPAIN)
27. GILAN TOURISM (AZERBAIJAN)
28. GLOBAL LLC (AZERBAIJAN)
29. GOBIERNO AUTONOMO DESCENTRALIZADO PROVINCIAL DEL GUAYAS (ECUADOR)
30. GUBILEN S.A (URUGUAY)
31. GYEONGGI TOURISM ORG. (REPUBLIC OF KOREA)
32. HELLENIC CHAMBER OF HOTELS (HCH) (GREECE)
33. IATCA INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC TRAINING CERTIFICATION AUDIT SERVICES LTD. (TURKEY)
34. IMPROTEX TRAVEL, TOURS CONFERENCES (AZERBAIJAN)
35. INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF LAW AND BUSINESS (LITHUANIA)
36. INTERNATIONAL STUDENT IDENTITY CARD ASSOCIATION (NETHERLANDS)
37. KASPIAN TUR MMC (AZERBAIJAN)
38. KERALA INSTITUTE OF TOURISM AND TRAVEL STUDIES (INDIA)
39. KHAZAR TRAVEL “XEZER TOURS AND TRAVEL” (AZERBAIJAN)
40. KWELA FLEET MANAGEMENT (SOUTH AFRICA)
41. LESLIE HOSPITALITY CONSULTING (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
42. MARTA ROSSI E SILVA ZORZANELLO FAIRS AND ENDEAVORS (BRAZIL)
43. MEDICAL TOURISM ASSOCIATION (UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
44. MEXICO TRAVEL CHANNEL (MEXICO)
45. MICROSOFT INNOVATION CENTER TOURISM TECHNOLOGIES – MICTT (SPAIN)
46. MISS HERITAGE WORLD ORGANISATION (MHW) (NAMIBIA)
47. NH HOTELES (SPAIN)
48. OBSERVATORIO DE DERECHO DE TURISMO – FACULTAD DE DERECHO UNIVERSIDAD DE BUENOS AIRES (ARGENTINA)
49. PACIFIC ASIA TRAVEL WRITERS ASSOCIATION - PAWTA (INDIA)
50. PASHA TRAVEL LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) (AZERBAIJAN)
51. POS. LDA – PROVIDER OFFSHORE SERVICES (ANGOLA)
52. QAFQAZ POINT HOTEL (AZERBAIJAN)
53. RUSSIAN TRAVEL GUIDE CO LTD (RUSSIAN FEDERATION)
54. SANTUR – SANTA CATARINA TURISMO S/A (BRAZIL)
55. SAPPHIRE LLC (AZERBAIJAN)
56. SECRETARIA MUNICIPAL DE BENTO GONÇALVES (BRAZIL)
57. SEG SWISS EDUCATION GROUP (SWITZERLAND)
58. SINDBAD LLC (AZERBAIJAN)
59. SLIK WAY AIRLINES LLC- “SW TRAVEL” BRANCH (AZERBAIJAN)
60. SMART HOLIDAY (AZERBAIJAN)

61. SPEKTR KO LLC (AZERBAIJAN)
62. ST.-PETERSBURG STATE UNIVERSITY OF SERVICE AND ECONOMICS (RUSSIAN FEDERATION)
63. THE ADMINISTRATION OF WINTER AND SUMMER TOURIST COMPLEX "SHAHDAG" (AZERBAIJAN)
64. THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT AGENCY – TOURISM DEPARTMENT OF ALMATY CITY (KAZAKHSTAN)
65. UNIVERSIDAD AUTÓNOMA DE CHIAPAS (MEXICO)
66. UNIVERSIDAD DE OCCIDENTE (MEXICO)
67. UNIVERSIDAD GUANAJUATO (MEXICO)
68. UNIVERSITY OF BUSINESS IN PRAGUE (CZECH REPUBLIC)
69. UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY SYDNEY LEISURE SPORT AND TOURISM (AUSTRALIA)
70. VILLAGE FOR ALL SRL (ITALY)
71. YOUTH 2 YOUTH IN ZIMBABWE
72. ZIMBABWE YOUTH IN TOURISM (ZIMBABWE)

3. The Executive Council at its 93rd session, granted a period of two months for the following candidates to receive the governmental support of their countries:

- CITY OF VENICE (ITALY)
- FUNDACIÓN UNIVERSITARIA CAFAM (COLOMBIA)
- STUDENT MARKETING (SLOVAKIA)

All of them received such governmental support.

4. The Executive Council at its 94th session, granted a period of two months for the following candidates to receive the governmental support of their countries:

- INTERNATIONAL CONSORTIUM – HOTELS & TOURISM (RUSTICAE-RANSMADRID-ESTUDIO LANZAROTE) (SPAIN)
- GDTUR (SPAIN)

Both of them received such governmental support.

5. The 95th session of the Executive Council granted a period of 30 days to the following candidates in order to complete their affiliate membership application with the corresponding governmental support:

- UNIVERSIDAD LA SALLE CANCÚN (MEXICO)
- VISIT ELCHE (SPAIN)

which obtained such governmental support; and

- DEPT. TOURISM & HOSPITALITY HAZARA UNIVERSITY MANSEHRA KP (PAKISTAN)
- GAUTENG TOURISM AUTHORITY (GTA) (SOUTH AFRICA)
- INSTITUTE OF TOURISM, BEIJING UNION UNIVERSITY (CHINA)
- INSTITUTO MOVATUR (SPAIN)

- LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (UKRAINE)
- MONA TOURS LTD. (ISRAEL)
- NANKAI UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF TOURISM AND SERVICE MANAGEMENT (CHINA)
- SEASTAR CONSULTANCY (UNITED ARAB EMIRATES)
- YOUNG TOURISM LEADERS (TURKEY)

which did not receive governmental support.

B. Withdrawals

6. Since the 19th session of the General Assembly, the following bodies have ceased to be Affiliate Members or have announced that they will be withdrawing from affiliate membership in accordance with Article 35(3) of the Organization's Statutes (one year advance notice):

2011:

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| - ADVENTURE TRAVEL TRADE ASSOCIATION | 03/11/2011 |
| - COMITÉ RÉGIONAL DE TOURISME PROVENCE-ALPES-CÔTE D'AZUR | 26/10/2011 |
| - MOONSHINE MARKETING S.L. | 29/10/2011 |
| - OFFICE DU TOURISME ET DES CONGRÈS DE PARIS | 20/10/2011 |
| - TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY - DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION, PARK AND TOURISM SCIENCES | 04/11/2011 |

2012:

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| - ABRAHAM PATH INITIATIVE | 01/04/2012 |
| - ASSOCIAZIONE CENTRO STUDIO AURORA ONLUS | 14/11/2012 |
| - AUTHENTREX S.A. | 06/07/2012 |
| - BERJAYA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF HOSPITALITY | 05/08/2012 |
| - CENTRO DE INVESTIGACIÓN Y FORMACION DE EMPRESAS, SAL (CIFESAL) | 22/07/2012 |
| - CENTRO TURISTICO STUDENTESCO E GIOVANILE (CTS) | 31/12/2012 |
| - CHRISTEL DEHAAN TOURISM AND TRAVEL RESEARCH INSTITUTE | 19/01/2012 |
| - COMITÉ DU TOURISME DE LA GUYANE | 28/11/2012 |
| - COMITÉ RÉGIONAL DU TOURISME D'ALSACE | 08/01/2012 |
| - COSTA DAURADA | 05/12/2012 |
| - DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM, LEISURE, HOTEL AND SPORT MANAGEMENT, GRIFFITH BUSINESS SCHOOL | 18/08/2012 |
| - FEDERAÇÃO NACIONAL DE HOTEIS, RESTAURANTES, BARES E SIMILARES | 30/12/2012 |

- FEDERACIÓN ESPAÑOLA DE ASOCIACIONES DE AGENCIAS DE VIAJES (FEAAV)	22/12/2012
- HAVANATUR, S.A.	11/01/2012
- INSTITUT FRANÇAIS DES SCIENCES ET DES TECHNOLOGIES DES TRANSPORTS, DE L'AMÉNAGEMENT ET DES RÉSEAUX – IFSTTAR – DAEI	29/11/2012
- INSTITUTO MUNICIPAL DE TURISMO (IMTUR) DEL AYUNTAMIENTO DE PALMA DE MALLORCA	23/02/2012
- INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION FOR IT AND TRAVEL AND TOURISM (IFITT)	04/08/2012
- KENYA TOURISM FEDERATION	14/11/2012
- LE CORDON BLEU PERU	28/11/2012
- NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SOCIETY	07/02/2012
- PHILIPS, HOSPITALITY GROUP	27/10/2012
- QUIMBAYA -TOURS	08/11/2012
- THE TOURISM COMPANY	05/10/2012
- TOURISM BUSINESS COUNCIL OF SOUTH AFRICA	22/09/2012
- TOURISME MONTRÉAL	29/11/2012

2013:

- AIR FRANCE	04/07/2013
- ASOCIACIÓN EMPRESARIAL DE AGENCIAS DE VIAJES ESPAÑOLAS (AEDAVE)	17/02/2013
- CENTRO ITALIANO DI STUDI SUPERIORI SUL TURISMO E SULLA PROMOZIONE TURISTICA DI ASSISI (CST)	19/03/2013
- CONSELL MUNICIPAL DE TURISME DE CALPE	01/01/2013
- CORPORATION DE L'INDUSTRIE TOURISTIQUE DU QUÉBEC	14/02/2013
- DESTINATION MANAGEMENT CHILE S.A. (DMC S. A.)	21/02/2013
- DUBLIN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY - FACULTY OF TOURISM & FOOD	20/02/2013
- FEDERACIÓN ESPAÑOLA DE MUNICIPIOS Y PROVINCIAS (FEMP)	13/06/2013
- FUNDACION CIDTUR	28/02/2013
- RENFE OPERADORA	14/08/2013
- UNIVERSITY OF SURREY - SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES FOR THE SERVICE SECTOR	30/04/2013

C. Affiliate Members with more than four years of accumulated contribution arrears (Art. 34)

7. In accordance with the Secretary-General's decision, Affiliate Members subject to the provisions of Article 34 of the Statutes are granted a period of six months to regularize their situation with the Organization or to establish a payment plan aimed at settling their arrears, before their membership is cancelled.

8. Therefore, the following Affiliate Members that have not settled their situation within such period are considered to be former members with contributions owing, effective on the indicated dates:

Effective 2 July 2012:

- ACCOR
- CÁMARA DE PERIODISTAS Y COMUNICADORES DE TURISMO
- CHAM PALACES AND HOTELS
- CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY OF THE DODECANESE
- CONFEDERACIÓN DE ORGANIZACIONES TURÍSTICAS DE LA AMÉRICA LATINA (COTAL)
- CONFEDERACIÓN NACIONAL TURÍSTICA, A.C.
- DNIPRO HOTEL
- ECOTOURISM KENYA
- ENCIRCA, INC.
- FEDERATION OF TOURISM ASSOCIATIONS OF NIGERIA
- FUNDACIÓN EMPRESARIAL COMUNIDAD EUROPEA CHILE (EUROCHILE)
- GREEN GLOBE INTERNATIONAL, INC.
- JIBEK JOLY HOLDING COMPANY
- MIDDLE EAST AIRLINES - AIRLIBAN
- MONDIAL ENERGY INC.
- NEVADA COMMISSION ON TOURISM
- TABASHEER TRAVEL & TOURISM AGENCY
- THE SCHOLAR SHIP
- TOURISM RESEARCH CENTER OF UNIVERSITY OF TEHRAN
- TRAVEL MEDIA APPLICATIONS - TRAVEL DAILY NEWS INTERNATIONAL
- WEST AFRICA TOURISM UNION (WATU)
- WORLD ASSOCIATION FOR THE PROTECTION OF TANGIBLE AND INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE IN TIMES OF ARMED CONFLICTS (WATCH)

Effective 1 July 2013:

- ASOCIACIÓN DE AGENCIAS DE TURISMO DE CUSCO (AATC-CUSCO)
- BRAZILIAN CONFEDERATION OF CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAUX
- CAMARA PROVINCIAL DE TURISMO PICHINCHA (CAPTUR)
- ELITE TRAVELER
- GIPET, GROUPEMENT INTERPROFESSIONNEL DES PROFESSIONNELS DES ENTREPRISES TOURISTIQUES
- GLOBAL TOURISM INTERFACE
- INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF HOTEL MANAGEMENT AND TOURISM
- LINCOLN UNIVERSITY
- PROVINCIA DI AVELLINO
- THE ROUTE DEVELOPMENT GROUP
- TOURISM RESOURCE LIMITED
- TRALLIANCE CORPORATION
- UNION INTER-ARABE POUR L'HÔTELLERIE ET LE TOURISME
- VISA INTERNATIONAL

D. Change of registered business name

9. The General Assembly is informed that the companies indicated below have modified their registered business name:

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<u>Former name</u>	<u>Present name</u>
PATRONATO DE TURISMO DE MADRID	MADRID VISITORS & CONVENTION BUREAU
PROMITUR	CAMARA DO TURISMO DE CABO VERDE
TURISMO DE SALAMANCA, S.A.U.	TURISMO, COMERCIO Y PROMOCIÓN ECONÓMICA DE SALAMANCA, S.A.U

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<u>Former name</u>	<u>Present name</u>
DELEGACIÓN DE TURISMO DE LA DIPUTACIÓN DE BARCELONA	GERENCIA DE SERVICIOS DE LA DIPUTACIÓN DE BARCELONA

OBSERVATORIO REGIONAL DO TURISMO

OBSERVATÓRIO DO TURISMO DOS AÇORES

E. Present number of Affiliate Members

10. Taking into account the applicants for affiliate membership provisionally admitted by the Council since the previous General Assembly, and the withdrawals mentioned above, the number of Affiliate Members as of **25 August 2013**, date of the 96th session of the Executive Council, **amounts to 411 Members**. This figure does not include new candidatures to be submitted at the aforementioned Executive Council session.

11. An updated list of Affiliate Members will be distributed during the General Assembly.