

## COUNCIL\*

### 108th Session

#### AGENDA

#### Tuesday, 28 November 2017

- 10.00 – 13.00
- Item 1: Opening of the session and credentials of representatives and observers
  - Item 2: Report of the Chairperson of the Council
  - Item 3: Election of officers
  - Item 4: Adoption of the agenda
  - Item 5: Status report on outstanding contributions to the Administrative Part of the Budget and Member State voting rights
  - Item 6: Admission of new Members and observers
    - (a) Applications for membership in the Organization  
*Adoption of draft resolutions on admission of new Members*
      - (i) Republic of Cuba
      - (ii) Cook Islands
      - (iii) Commonwealth of Dominica<sup>1</sup>
    - (b) Application for representation by an observer State  
*Adoption of draft resolution on admission of a new observer State*  
State of Kuwait

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\* Participants are informed that a video recording will be made of the Council proceedings.

<sup>1</sup> The draft resolution on the admission of the Commonwealth of Dominica (C/108/L/19) was adopted on 1 December 2017.

**Tuesday, 28 November 2017** (continued)

- Item 6: Admission of new Members and observers (continued)
- (c) Applications for representation by observers  
*Adoption of draft resolutions on admission of new observers*
- (i) Latin American and Caribbean Parliament (Parlatino)
  - (ii) AMEL Association International (Lebanese Association for Popular Action)
  - (iii) United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)
  - (iv) Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS)
  - (v) United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)
  - (vi) United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNISDR)
  - (vii) United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (UNESCWA)
  - (viii) Partners in Population and Development (PPD)
- Item 7: Report of the Director General
- 12.00 – 13.00 Item 8: Global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration
- Keynote address: **H.E. Mr Miroslav Lajčák**, President of the United Nations General Assembly
- Ms Louise Arbour**, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration, United Nations
- Mr William Lacy Swing**, Director General, IOM
- 15.00 – 16.00 Item 9: Draft report on the 107th Session of the Council  
*Adoption of draft resolution C/108/L/11 on the report on the 107th Session of the Council*
- Item 10: Report on matters discussed at the Twentieth and Twenty-first Sessions of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance
- (a) Summary update on the Programme and Budget for 2017
  - (b) Programme and Budget for 2018
- Adoption of draft resolution C/108/L/12 on the Programme and Budget for 2018*

**Tuesday, 28 November 2017** (continued)

Item 10: Report on matters discussed at the Twentieth and Twenty-first Sessions of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance (continued)

- (c) Report on the privileges and immunities granted to the Organization by States
- (d) Report on the Working Group on IOM–UN Relations and Related Issues

*Adoption of a draft resolution on the first anniversary of IOM within the United Nations system<sup>2</sup>*

- (e) Amendments to the Staff Regulations

*Adoption of draft resolution C/108/L/13 on amendments to the Staff Regulations*

- (f) Other items discussed at the Twentieth and Twenty-first Sessions of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance

- (g) Reports on the Twentieth and Twenty-first Sessions of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance

*Adoption of draft resolution C/108/L/14 on the reports on the Twentieth Session and the Twenty-first Session of the Standing Committee on Programmes and Finance*

16.00 – 18.00     Item 11:     General debate

18.15 – 20.15                             *Reception hosted by the Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs (Restaurant des Délégués)*

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<sup>2</sup> Draft resolution C/108/L/18/Rev.1 on the first anniversary of IOM within the United Nations system was adopted on 30 November 2017.



**Thursday, 30 November 2017**

10.00 – 12.00 Item 11: General debate (continued)

12.00 – 13.00 Item 14: Panel discussion: World Migration Report 2018: making sense of migration in an increasingly interconnected world

**Benedict Lawrence Lukwiya**, Deputy Permanent Representative of the Government of Uganda to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva

**Maurizio Enrico Luigi Serra**, Permanent Representative of the Government of Italy to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva

**Martin Ruhs**, Associate Professor of Political Economy, Oxford University, United Kingdom

**Marie McAuliffe**, Head, Migration Policy Research Division, IOM

Moderator: **William Lacy Swing**, Director General, IOM

13.15 – 14.45

*Side event: Mutual contributions and benefits: Integration of migrants in host societies*

15.00 – 16.00 Item 15: Panel discussion: Opportunities to address migration and climate change in the global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration

**Nicolas Hulot**, Minister for Ecological and Inclusive Transition, France

**Nazhat Shameem Khan**, Permanent Representative of Fiji to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva and Chief Negotiator for the COP23 Presidency

**Erik Solheim**, Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme (video message)

**Keiko Kiyama**, Co-President of Japan Emergency NGO (JEN), Executive Director, Japan Platform, Japan

Moderator: **William Lacy Swing**, Director General, IOM

16.00 – 18.00 Item 11: General debate (continued)

**Friday, 1 December 2017**

- 10.00 – 10.30    Item 16    Keynote address  
**H.E. Mr Ismail Omar Guelleh**, President of Djibouti  
(delivered by **Mr Hassan Omar Mohamed Bourhan**, Minister of Interior, Djibouti)
- 10.30 – 12.00    Item 11:    General debate (continued)
- 12.00 – 13.00    Item 17:    Migrants' voices  
**Augustine Blessing Eguvwese**, returnee from Niger to Nigeria, Managing Director of Amebo Radio Limited, Abuja, Nigeria  
**Fabiola Das Neves Sfalcini**, returnee from Switzerland to Brazil, founder of CHANCE language school, Belo Horizonte, Brazil  
Moderator: **Leonard Doyle**, Director, Media and Communications Division, IOM
- 15.00 – 17.00    Item 11:    General debate (continued)
- 17.00 – 18.00    Item 18:    Other business
- Item 19:    Date and place of the next sessions  
*Adoption of draft resolution C/108/L/15 on convening the next regular session*  
*Adoption of draft resolution C/108/L/16 on convening a special session of the Council*