

**38TH SESSION - UNESCO GENERAL CONFERENCE
DELEGATES INFORMATION BUREAU**

COMMISSION IV - CULTURE

Date	12 November 2015	Room	II
N° meeting	2	Hour	From: 3 p.m To: 6 p.m

Chairperson(s)	H. E. Mr Arūnas Gelūnas	Country	Lithuania
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SUMMARY OF DEBATE(S)

Items examined	3.2, 4.4, 4.21, 7.7, 7.4		
Debate no	3	Debate status	Continuation
DRs examined The definitive list of draft resolutions will be announced at the beginning of each debate.			
Countries that took floor	Chili, Norway, Russian Federation, Canada, Germany, Estonia, Denmark, Poland, Dominican Republic, Thailand, Mali, Zimbabwe, Mongolia, Iran, Norway, Sweden, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Ecuador, Grenada, Senegal, Argentina, Barbados, Finland, Dominican Republic, Honduras, Mexico, People's Republic of China, Kazakhstan, Benin, Madagascar, Zambia, Namibia, Colombia, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Cameroon, Tanzania, Kenya, Tunisia, India, Czech Republic, Cuba, Brazil, Algeria, France, Canada.		
Summary of debate	<p>Debate 2</p> <p>- Item 3.2 (continuation). Debate N°2 was continued with 13 Member States taking the floor. (Draft budget for 2016-2017 and Major Programme IV-Culture). After the comments and reply of ADG/CLT, the draft resolution was adopted.</p> <p>- DR 38 C/DR.3 was presented by Iran. 17 Member States took the floor. The Representative of the Director General replied to questions raised by Member States. After consultation of the Legal Adviser, the DR 38 C/DR.3 was adopted.</p> <p>- DR 38 C/DR.12 was introduced by the Chairperson. China, a sponsor of the resolution, and one Member State took the floor. It was decided not to proceed with the examination of the DR.</p>		

Debate 3

ADG/CLT presented all documents.

- The DR on item 4.4 on the establishment of a Category 2 Centre for Creativity and Sustainable Development in Beijing was adopted without debate.

- Item 4.21 on the proclamation of 5 May as African World Heritage Day. The Chairperson introduced the item and ADG/CLT provided comments. 11 Member States took the floor, after which the DR was adopted.
- Items 7.7 on the 2011 Recommendation on the Historic Urban Landscape and 7.4 on the 1980 Recommendation concerning the Status of the Artist were introduced by the Chairperson and 10 Member States took part in the debate.
- At the end of the session, the Chairperson adjourned the debate until the following morning.