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REPORT BY THE BUREAU ON QUESTIONS THAT DO NOT APPEAR TO REQUIRE DEBATE

After examination of the revised provisional agenda for the 185th session, it would appear that item 10 may be defined as a question which, in accordance with Rule 14, paragraph 2, of the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Board, does not appear to require debate.

In conformity with the same rule, however, it is still open to any Member to “request a discussion of any item for which the Bureau has recommended adoption of decisions without discussion”; “in that case, the item mentioned shall be discussed by the Board”.

Item 10 of the revised provisional agenda

INVITATIONS TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF STATES FOR THE REVISION OF THE 1983 REGIONAL CONVENTION ON THE RECOGNITION OF STUDIES, DIPLOMAS AND DEGREES IN HIGHER EDUCATION IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC (185 EX/10)

Action expected of the Executive Board

The Executive Board:

1. Recalling 35 C/Resolution 11, by which the General Conference authorized the Executive Board to take appropriate measures for the successful convening of the International Conference of States to examine and adopt amendments to the 1983 Regional Convention on the Recognition of Studies, Diplomas and Degrees in Higher Education in Asia and the Pacific,
2. Having examined document 185 EX/10,
3. Decides:
 - (a) that invitations to participate in the International Conference of States to examine and adopt amendments to the 1983 Regional Convention on the Recognition of Studies, Diplomas and Degrees in Higher Education in Asia and the Pacific will be sent to all Member States and Associate Members of UNESCO in the Asia and the Pacific region, as well as to the States Parties to the Convention in accordance with paragraph 5 of document 185 EX/10;
 - (b) that invitations to send observers to the Conference will be sent to Member States and Associate Members of UNESCO not invited under paragraph 5 of document 185 EX/10;

- (c) that invitations to send observers to the Conference will be sent to the organizations of the United Nations system with which UNESCO has concluded mutual representation agreements and which are listed in paragraph 7 of document 185 EX/10;
 - (d) that invitations to send observers to the Conference will be sent to the organizations, foundations and institutions listed in paragraph 8 and 9 of document 185 EX/10;
4. Authorizes the Director-General to send out any other invitations she may deem useful for advancing the work of the Conference, notifying the Executive Board thereof.



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ADDENDUM

After examination of the revised provisional agenda for the 185th session, it would appear that item 46 may also be defined as a question which, in accordance with Rule 14, paragraph 2, of the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Board, does not appear to require debate.

In conformity with the same rule, however, it is still open to any Member to “request a discussion of any item for which the Bureau has recommended adoption of decisions without discussion”; “in that case, the item mentioned shall be discussed by the Board”.

Item 46 of the revised provisional agenda

INVITATIONS TO THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL MEETING OF EXPERTS (CATEGORY II) RELATED TO A DRAFT RECOMMENDATION ON THE CONSERVATION OF THE HISTORIC URBAN LANDSCAPE (185 EX/46)

Action expected of the Executive Board

The Executive Board,

1. Recalling 35 C/Resolution 42, by which the General Conference invited the Director-General to submit a preliminary report setting forth the position with regard to the conservation of the Historic Urban Landscape, and to convene an intergovernmental meeting of experts (category II) to reconsider the draft of the Recommendation on the conservation of the Historic Urban Landscape that was sent to Member States in the light of the comments received, and to submit a final report and, if appropriate, a revised draft for consideration by the General Conference at its 36th session (2011),
2. Having examined document 185 EX/46,
3. Decides:
 - (a) that invitations to participate in the Meeting of Experts to reconsider the draft Recommendation on the conservation of the Historic Urban Landscape in the light of the comments received by Member States, will be sent to all Member States and Associate Members of UNESCO;
 - (b) that invitations to send observers to the Meeting of Experts will be sent to the organizations of the United Nations system with which UNESCO has concluded

mutual representation agreements and which are listed in paragraph (d) of the annex of document 185 EX/46;

- (c) that an invitation to send an observer, as defined above, will be sent to Palestine, as mentioned in paragraph (c) of the annex to document 185 EX/46;
- (d) that invitations to send observers to the Meeting of Experts will be sent to the organizations, foundations and institutions listed in paragraphs (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), (j) of the annex of document 185 EX/46;
- (e) that the Director-General is authorized to send out any other invitations she may deem useful for advancing the work of the above-mentioned intergovernmental meeting (category II), notifying the Executive Board thereof.