**CONVENTION FOR THE SAFEGUARDING OF THE
INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE**

**INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE FOR THE
SAFEGUARDING OF THE INTANGIBLE CULTURAL HERITAGE**

**Electronic Bureau consultation**

**24 February to 10 March 2017**

**Item 1:**

**Change of venue of the twelfth session of the Committee**

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| **Decision required:** paragraph 4 |

1. At its eleventh session, by its Decision 11.COM 16, the Committee decided to hold its twelfth session in Seoul, Republic of Korea, from 4 to 8 December 2017.
2. Rule 4.1 of the Rules of Procedure of the Intergovernmental Committee for the Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage provides that the Bureau may, if necessary, modify the place of its next session, in consultation with the Director-General.
3. The Republic of Korea expressed its wish through a written communication to the Secretariat to change the place of the twelfth session of the Committee from Seoul to Jeju Island.
4. The Bureau may wish to adopt the following decision:

**Draft Decision 12.COM 1.BUR 1**

The Bureau,

1. Recalling Decision 11.COM 16, adopted by the Intergovernmental Committee at its eleventh session in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (from 28 November to 2 December 2016),
2. Takes notes that the Secretariat has received a request from the Republic of Korea to change the host city of the twelfth session from Seoul to Jeju Island;
3. Decides to hold its twelfth session in Jeju Island, Republic of Korea, from 4 to 8 December 2017.