

## 38<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Data Protection and Privacy Commissioners

Marrakech, 17<sup>th</sup> October 2016

### Accreditation resolution

The Executive Committee recommends that the following applicants be accredited as members or observers:

#### 1. Members

- a. **Armenia:** Personal Data Protection Agency
- b. **Cape Verde:** National Commission of Data Protection
- c. **Côte d'Ivoire:** Telecommunications/ICT Regulatory Body (ARTCI)
- d. **Mali:** Personal Data Protection Authority (Autorité de Protection de Données à Caractère Personnel)
- e. **Philippines:** National Privacy Commission

#### 2. Observers

- a. APEC Electronic Commerce Steering Group
- b. International Committee of the Red Cross
- c. International Organisation for Migration
- d. **Belgium:** Supervisory Authority for Police Information Management
- e. **Japan:** Personal Information Protection Commission
- f. **Kenya:** Commission on Administrative Justice
- g. **Montenegro:** Agency for Personal Data Protection and Free Access to Information
- h. **Nigeria:** Cybercrime Advisory Council
- i. **Nigeria:** National Identity Management Commission
- j. **Russia:** The Federal Service for Supervision of Communications, Information Technology, and Mass Media
- k. **USA:** Department of Justice
- l. **USA:** Office of the Privacy and Data Protection, Washington State

### Explanatory note

#### Membership applications

The Secretariat received 11 applications for membership by the deadline for applications. A 12<sup>th</sup> application was received too late to process.

The Executive Committee recommends that membership be granted to 5 authorities from Armenia, Cape Verde, Côte d'Ivoire, Mali and Philippines.

The Committee does not recommend membership status for the other 7 applicants from Belgium, Japan, Montenegro, Nigeria (2), Russia and Washington State but does recommend that they each be granted observer status. In the case of Japan, the Committee considers that an application made next year would be successful as the applicable law will fully commence in 2017. In the case of Montenegro, the application was not received in sufficient time to be assessed and will be processed by the new Committee.

### Observer applications

The Secretariat received 7 observer applications.

The Executive Committee recommends that 5 applications be granted (APEC, ICRC, IOM, Kenya and US DoJ) and that 2 be declined (Baker & McKenzie and Danish Police Data Protection Unit).

The observers would be accredited for the following time periods.

International Organisations	Duration of observer status
APEC Electronic Commerce Steering Group	31 December 2017
International Committee of the Red Cross	38 <sup>th</sup> - 40 <sup>th</sup> annual meetings (inclusive)
International Organisation for Migration	38 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting only

Public Entities	Duration of observer status
Belgium: Supervisory Authority for Police Information Management	38 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting only
Japan: Personal Information Protection Commission	38 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting only
Kenya: Commission on Administrative Justice	38 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting only
Montenegro: Agency for Personal Data Protection and Free Access to Information	38 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting only
Nigeria: Cybercrime Advisory Council	38 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting only
Nigeria: National Identity Management Commission	38 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting only
Russia: Federal Service for Supervision of Communications, Information Technology, and Mass Media	38 <sup>th</sup> - 40 <sup>th</sup> annual meetings (inclusive)
USA: Department of Justice	38 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting only
USA: Office of the Privacy and Data Protection, Washington State	38 <sup>th</sup> annual meeting only

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