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**ASSEMBLY OF PARTIES  
SEVENTH SESSION**

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**RESOLUTION  
ON THE CONVENING AND AGENDA OF THE EIGHTH SESSION  
OF THE ASSEMBLY OF PARTIES**

The Assembly of Parties,

1. **Takes note with appreciation** of the generous invitation of the Republic of Kazakhstan to host the eighth session of the Assembly of Parties in Astana;
2. **Decides** that the eighth session of the Assembly of Parties shall be convened in Astana preferably in the second quarter of 2019, under the terms and arrangements agreed between IACA and the Republic of Kazakhstan;
3. **Decides also** on the provisional agenda of the eighth session of the Assembly, as follows:
  1. Organizational Matters:
    - a) Opening of the session
    - b) Election of officers
    - c) Adoption of the agenda and organization of work
    - d) Participation of observers
    - e) Adoption of the report of the Bureau on credentials
    - f) General discussion
  2. IACA's Development: report by the relevant organs; review and discussion
  3. Work Programme (progress)
  4. Fundraising Activities/Financial Stability of IACA:
    - a) General
    - b) Report and discussion on the work and status of the open-ended expert meeting and the open-ended intergovernmental working group on financial matters in implementation of Resolution AOP6-Res-5 of the Assembly of Parties
  5. Budget 2020
  6. Other Matters
  7. Provisional Agenda for the ninth session of the Assembly
  8. Adoption of the Report of the Assembly on its eighth session