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**CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
MADE BY THE UN TOURISM COMMISSION FOR EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC
AT ITS FIFTY-SIXTH MEETING**

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AGENDA

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Nominations and elections to UN Tourism statutory organs and their subsidiary bodies:
 - 2.1. Nomination of candidates to the various General Assembly offices and their subsidiary bodies
 - 2.1.1. **One** Vice-President of the General Assembly
 - 2.1.2. **One** Member of the Credentials Committee
 - 2.2. Nomination of candidates to chair the UN Tourism Commission for East Asia and the Pacific for the period 2025-2027
 - 2.2.1. **One** Chair of the UN Tourism Commission for East Asia and the Pacific
 - 2.2.2. **Two** Vice-Chairs of the UN Tourism Commission for East Asia and the Pacific
 - 2.3. Nomination of candidates to represent the UN Tourism Commission for East Asia and the Pacific on the subsidiary bodies of the Executive Council
 - 2.3.1. **One** candidate for the Committee on Tourism Online Education
 - 2.3.2. **One** candidate for the Committee on the International Code for the Protection of Tourists (ICPT)¹
3. Other matters

¹ Only those Member States that have fully (and not partially) adhered to the International Code for the Protection of Tourists (ICPT) can submit their candidatures for the membership of this committee. As of the date of this document, Cambodia and Indonesia have fully adhered to the ICPT but Myanmar and Thailand have adhered partially.

CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

PREAMBLE

The fifty-sixth meeting of the UN Tourism Commission for East Asia and the Pacific (56th CAP) chaired by **the Philippines** was held within the framework of the thirty-seventh Joint Meeting of the UN Tourism Commission for East Asia and the Pacific and the UN Tourism Commission for South Asia (37th CAP-CSA), in conjunction with the 60th Meeting of the UN Tourism Commission for South Asia (60th CSA) and the UN Tourism Regional Conference: Tourism Policy on Circular Economy. They were held in Jakarta, Indonesia, from 15-16 April 2025.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The Commission,

Adopts the provisional agenda of its 56th meeting, as submitted by the Secretary-General in document CAP/56/Prov.Agenda. The final agenda of the meeting is located on the previous page (i.e. page 2).

NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS TO UN TOURISM STATUTORY ORGANS AND THEIR SUBSIDIARY BODIES

NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES TO THE VARIOUS GENERAL ASSEMBLY OFFICES AND THEIR SUBSIDIARY BODIES

Agenda item 2.1.

The Commission,

1. Nominates **the Philippines** to serve as Vice-President of the General Assembly (1 seat to be filled).
2. Nominates to the Assembly, **Lao PDR** as its representative for the Credentials Committee (1 seat to be filled).

**NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES TO CHAIR THE UN TOURISM COMMISSION
FOR EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC FOR THE PERIOD 2025-2027**

Agenda item 2.2.

The Commission,

1. Nominates **the Philippines** to serve as Chair of the Commission corresponding to the region of East Asia and the Pacific for a two-year term (2025-2027), commencing from the 26th session of the General Assembly (1 seat to be filled).
2. Nominates **Japan and Fiji** to serve as Vice-Chairs of the Commission (2 seats to be filled).
3. Thanks **Japan** and **Papua New Guinea** for having performed the duties of Vice-Chairs during the period 2023-2025.

**NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES TO REPRESENT THE UN TOURISM
COMMISSION FOR EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC ON THE SUBSIDIARY
BODIES OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

Agenda item 2.3.

The Commission,

Having considered the working document submitted by the Secretary-General on the nominations and elections to statutory organs and their subsidiary bodies,

1. Nominates **the Republic of Korea** as a member of the Committee on Tourism Online Education from 2025-2029 (1 seat to be filled).
2. Decides to postpone the nomination of a member of the Committee on the International Code for the Protection of Tourists (1 seat to be filled).

OTHER MATTERS

Agenda item 3

No issues were discussed under this item.

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