



INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON  
THE SUPPRESSION OF UNLAWFUL  
ACTS AGAINST THE SAFETY OF  
MARITIME NAVIGATION -

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REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

1 A Credentials Committee was established at the opening of the Conference in accordance with rule 4 of the Conference Rules of Procedure. It was composed of representatives of the following Governments:

BANGLADESH  
BELGIUM  
CZECHOSLOVAKIA  
GHANA  
HONDURAS

2 The Committee met on 7 and 9 March 1988 and the following representatives participated:

Bangladesh	- Captain M.A. Hoque
Belgium	- Monsieur D. Flore
Czechoslovakia	- Mr. V. Seferna
Ghana	- Mr. W.K. Ansa-Otu
Honduras	- Capitan de Navio P.E. Banegas Chavez

Mr. W.K. Anso-Otu (Ghana) was unanimously elected Chairman.

3 The credentials of delegations of the following 76 States, issued in accordance with rule 3 of the Rules of Procedure, were examined by the Committee:

ALGERIA	INDIA
ARGENTINA	INDONESIA
AUSTRALIA	IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)
AUSTRIA	IRAQ
BAHAMAS	IRELAND
BANGLADESH	ISRAEL
BELGIUM	ITALY
BOLIVIA	JAPAN
BRAZIL	JORDAN
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM	KENYA
BULGARIA	KUWAIT
BYELORUSSIAN SSR	LEBANON
CANADA	LIBERIA
CHILE	LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRYA
CHINA	MALAYSIA
COLOMBIA	MALTA
COSTA RICA	MEXICO
CYPRUS	MOROCCO
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	NETHERLANDS
DENMARK	NEW ZEALAND
ECUADOR	NICARAGUA
EGYPT	NIGERIA
FINLAND	NORWAY
FRANCE	PERU
GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC	PHILIPPINES
GERMANY, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF	POLAND
GHANA	PORTUGAL
GREECE	REPUBLIC OF KOREA
HAITI	SAUDI ARABIA
HONDURAS	SOMALIA
HUNGARY	SPAIN

SUDAN	USSR
SWEDEN	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
SWITZERLAND	UNITED KINGDOM
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC	UNITED STATES
THAILAND	YEMEN
TURKEY	YUGOSLAVIA
UKRAINIAN SSR	ZAIRE

4 Communications by telex were received in respect of the delegations of Bangladesh, India and Peru. The Credentials Committee agreed to accept these in the light of the assurances given by these delegations that the signed credentials would be sent to the Secretary-General in proper form in due course. The Credentials Committee therefore approved the credentials of all the delegations listed in paragraph 3 above.

5 During the discussion of the credentials of the delegation of the Republic of Chile, the representative of the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic declared the generally-known position expressed at the last session of the General Assembly of the United Nations in October 1987.

6 The following delegations are attending the Conference in the capacity of observers:

CUBA  
GUINEA  
HOLY SEE  
PANAMA  
QATAR  
TUNISIA

7 The Credentials Committee presents this report to the Conference in accordance with rule 4 of the Conference Rules of Procedure.

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