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Important information for delegates to the 131st IPU Assembly

General Debate

Registration of speakers

On-line pre-registration of speakers closed on 6 October. The on-site service opens on Sunday, 12 October at 11 a.m., at the speakers' registration desk, which is situated just outside the main entrance to the Plenary Hall (Room 1) on the first floor of the CICG.

The order of speakers will be determined by the public drawing of lots at 6 p.m. on Sunday, 12 October, and the list of the speakers will be distributed at the documentation desk and in the Assembly Hall (Room 1) as of the morning of 13 October.

In order to ensure better management of the overall speaking time during the General Debate, all delegations are encouraged to register their speaker(s), as far as possible, **before the drawing of lots.**

Seating in the Assembly Hall (Room 1)

The Assembly Hall has a seating capacity of 370 persons at desks (with an equal number of seats in the row behind desks). Due to the high attendance, the number of seats at desks allocated to each delegation will be limited to the following:

- Delegations with a statutory entitlement of 10 MPs: 3 seats, or four if the delegation is led by the Speaker;
- Other delegations led by a Speaker of Parliament: 3 seats;
- All other parliamentary delegations and Associate Members: 2 seats, with the exception of single-member delegations: 1 seat;
- Observer delegations: 1 seat.

It is hoped that this will not cause too much of an inconvenience to Members. Thank you for your kind understanding.

