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ICAO ASSEMBLY ELECTS NEW COUNCIL FOR THREE-YEAR TERM

MONTREAL, 5 October 2004 | The 35th Session of the Assembly of the International Civil Aviation Organization completed the election of its new Council today. The 36-member Council is the governing body of the Organization and is elected for a three-year term.

The election process was divided into three parts, with the following States elected:

- PART I** - (States of chief importance to air transport)) Australia*, Brazil*, Canada*, China*, France*, Germany*, Italy*, Japan*, Russian Federation*, United Kingdom*, and the United States*.
- PART II** - (States which make the largest contribution to the provision of facilities for international civil air navigation)) Argentina*, Austria, Colombia, Egypt*, Finland, India*, Mexico*, Nigeria*, Saudi Arabia*, Singapore*, South Africa* and Spain*.
- PART III** - (States ensuring geographic representation)) Cameroon*, Chile*, Ethiopia*, Ghana, Honduras, Hungary, Lebanon*, Mozambique, Pakistan*, Peru, Republic of Korea*, Saint Lucia and Tunisia.

The full agenda of the 35th Session of the ICAO Assembly and related working papers are available on the ICAO web site: www.icao.int.

*Indicates re-election

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