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FINANCIAL REPORT

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This presentation

• Report from the FIG-Office
• Overall financial situation in 2016
  – Adopt audited accounts (17 A)
• Member Association subscriptions 2019
• Budgets for 2017-20 (17 C)
Office tasks

- Membership matters
- Communication
- Development (IT)
- Council support
- Support to commissions and others
- Conference organisation
  - Technical programme with commissions/volunteers
  - Practical organisation with Local Organisers
  - Visa issues...
  - etc
IT development 2016

- Improvements of:
  - Peer Review database
  - Abstract Database
  - Registration Database
  - Conference App
  - Online payment system
  - Membership database (updates by members)
  - Ongoing process…
Overall situation and trends
FIG Financial overview

- Surplus
- Total income
- Expenditure
Income over time

- Membership fees
- Member associations
- Corporate members
- Events
- Total income

Years: 2002 to 2016

Income range: 100,000 € to 600,000 €
Financial performance 2016 (1)

• Subscription income almost €20,000 lower than budget
  – Close to 2015 result
  – Slight increase from Member Associations (€5,000)
  – Corporate members – lower (€5,500)
  – Very high write offs (€32,000 - €7,000 higher than 2015)
  – Increased provision for doubtful debt

• Admin costs lower than budget - tight control (€27,000)

• Low interest in general
Financial Performance (2)

- Income from conferences (Working Week and other activities) higher than expected (€11,000)
  - Budgeted conference income registered in normal income, rest under “Projects and development”
- In total regular income lower than budgeted (€12,000) but higher than 2015 (€13,500)
- Large IT investments in 2015 – decreased IT reserve with 20,000 – 2016 returning €20,000 to IT reserve (to €50,000)
2016 Accounts

• Auditors’ opinion – true and fair view
• Surplus ordinary activities €30,2709 (budget €11,750) (Key measure 1)
• Overall surplus €37,473 (budget -10,250)
• Overall surplus (after IT reserve) €17,473
• Subscription arrears (2015:€ 124,139) €110,734

• Motion: that the GA adopts the audited accounts for 2016
Subscriptions – Agenda item 18
Subscriptions

- Subscriptions 2017 and 2018 – no change (stable since 2012)
- Maximum level from 2010 – 5,500 members
- Minimum level from 2010 – the greater of 20 members and €50
- Suggested increase in 2019:
  - MA: 7.1% increase → €4.80 per member (from €4.48)
  - AF: 3.9% increase → €790 (from €760)
## Proposed Subscription Fee 2019

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<td>€4.80 per member up to a maximum of 5,500 members</td>
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Member associations from countries listed by the World Bank as low-income economies or lower-middle-income economies shall pay €2.40 member up to a maximum of 5,500 members.
Motion: that the GA approves the member association subscription rates for 2019
FIG Budget

Annex C to General Assembly Finance Paper
Key measures decided by GA

• Regular income exceeds expenditure each year
• An overall surplus is returned over the 4-year period
• General reserve is 90-100% of regular annual expenditure [using 4-year averaging of expenditure]
Key issues 2017-2020

• Subscriptions close to the 2015 final
  – although membership development is an important focus
• Target: Increase of Corporate Members (->TF for Corporate member)
• Council suggests increase in subscription rate from 2019 for Member Associations
• Increase in subscription fee for Affiliate Members from 2019
• Administrative costs further reduced
• Arrears / Payement of Arreas / Write-Offs
General reserve