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### AGREEMENTS ADOPTED AT THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE CIM 2022-2025

The Executive Committee of the CIM 2022-2025, meeting virtually in its First Regular Session, on September 27, 2022, agrees:

#### Agreement 1

Taking note of the Report of the Secretariat to the 39th Assembly of Delegates of the CIM, to request that the Executive Secretariat:

- a. In future reports, move forward gradually with an emphasis on documenting concrete results and fulfilling mandates, rather than activities, using relevant statistics and indicators; and
- b. Highlight the issues that impact, and the work being done in, the Caribbean sub-region.

#### Agreement 2

In view of the reflections shared by the Delegates on the implementation of the Strategic Plan 2022-2026:

- a. Approve the activities proposed by the Executive Secretariat for the next period;
- b. Requests that the Executive Secretariat prepare a draft of operational guidelines for the implementation of the 2022-2026 Strategic Plan; and
- c. Requests that the Executive Secretariat incorporate in these operational guidelines a focus on security and organized crime, as well rurality.

#### Agreement 3

In view of the draft "Mainstreaming+ for Equality and Transformation: CIM/OAS Strategy," contained in document CIM/CD/doc.4/22, requests that the Executive Secretariat:

- a. Continue enriching the document with the experiences and contributions of the Delegates;
- b. Proceed with the consultation of the National Mechanisms of the Caribbean, to incorporate their experiences and reflections with mainstreaming into the document; and
- c. Circulate a new version of the document.

#### Agreement 4

In the framework of the commemoration of the ninety-fifth anniversary of the CIM (February 18,

2023):

- a. Save the dates around February 18, 2023 for the celebration of an in-person event in Washington DC, to commemorate the 95<sup>th</sup> anniversary, as well as the Second Regular Session of the Executive Committee of the CIM 2022-2025;
- b. Organize simultaneous activities at the national level;
- c. Organize a side-event in the framework of the 66<sup>th</sup> session of the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women (CSW);
- d. Include in the commemoration activities a specific focus on young women;
- e. Include a focus on the timeline to highlight the progress of women's rights in the region and in the countries; and
- f. Request that the Executive Secretariat circulate to the Delegates, in a timely manner, the Concept Note proposal for the commemoration event and the pertinent documents of the Second Regular Session.

#### **Agreement 5**

In view of the draft "Declaration of concern for the situation of women and girls in Afghanistan and Iran" transmitted by the Delegate of Chile, contained in document CIM/CD/doc.3/22:

- a. Request that the Executive Secretary re-circulate the Declaration to the members of the Committee, who will send their comments no later than September 28, 2022; and
- b. Approve the revised version of the Declaration and request that the Executive Secretariat disseminate it to all the Delegates and through the corresponding dissemination channels.

#### **Agreement 6**

In view of the concerns expressed by the Delegates over the reduction in the budget of the CIM:

- a. Request a bilateral meeting between the President of the CIM and the Secretary General of the OAS in order to discuss these concerns; and
- b. Formally communicate these concerns to the Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Affairs of the OAS (CAAP) with a request to maintain the CIM's budget as is, and not apply further reductions.

#### **Agreement 7**

Request that the Executive Secretariat move forward with the organization of the two side-events proposed in the framework of the 15<sup>th</sup> Regional Conference on Women in Latin America and the Caribbean, and keep the Delegates informed of their organization.