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APPLICATION OF CERTAIN NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS
FOR CONSULTATIVE STATUS

Addendum to Note by the Secretariat

INTERNATIONAL ROAD FEDERATION - European-East Organization

Since document E/CN.2/30 was issued, additional information has been received by the Secretary-General concerning the International Road Federation (IRF) - European East Organization. The main points are the following (the numbers refer to the corresponding paragraphs of pages 14-16 of document E/CN.2/30):

1. Foundation: The IRF European-East Organization was established on 1 April 1948, with headquarters in London, and incorporated in the United Kingdom as a Company limited by guarantee and having no share capital, on 30 June 1948.
3. Membership: Rule 8 has been amended to read as follows:
"8. Membership is open to National Federations and Associations and kindred bodies in any part of the world which have objects the same as or similar to those of the Federation. Rights and privileges of membership are not transferable."

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Revised list of members and associates:

British Road Federation, 4a Bloomsbury Square, London W.C.I.
Union Routière de France, 54, Avenue Marceau, Paris 8.
Union Routière Belge, 94, Rue Joseph II, Brussels.
Fédération Routière Suisse, Schwanengasse 3, Bern.
Centraal Overleg, Anna Panlowmastraat, The Hague.
Svenska Vagforeningen, Kungsgatan 55, Stockholm.
East African Road Federation, P.O. BOX 2060, Nairobi, Kenya.
Indian Roads and Transport Development Association,
27 Bastion Road, Bombay, India.
Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders, 148 Piccadilly,
London, W.I.
Haroon Sons Limited, P.O. BOX P20 South Mapier Road, Karachi,
Pakistan.
Burmah-Shell Oil Storage and Distributing, P.O. BOX 84, Karachi.
Berkeley Coachwork Ltd., 175/177 Great Portland Street,
London S.W.I.
Shell Petroleum Co. Ltd., St.-Helen's Court, Great St.-Helens,
London, E.C.2.

4. Structure

Rule 28 has been amended to read as follows:

"28. Subject to the provisions of Rules 17 and 25, on a show of hands every Member, present in person or by proxy, shall have one vote. On a poll a Member present in person or by proxy shall be entitled to one vote in respect of each sum of £250 subscribed by that Member under Rule 15 in respect of the year current when the poll is demanded; provided that the votes which may be cast by any one Member on a poll shall be limited to one-third of the total votes then cast."

6. Finances

Rule 15 has been amended to read as follows:

"15. Every Member, Associate and International Associate, upon admission, may be required to pay to the Federation such entrance fee as may be determined by the Council from time to time. Every Member shall, in addition to entrance fee, pay an annual subscription of not less than £250.

Associates and International Associates shall, in addition to entrance fee, pay annual subscriptions as follows:

Associate who proves membership
of a Member at least £25 per annum

Associates other than as above " " £50 " "

International Associates such (if any) sum as may be agreed between the International Associate and the Council.

/An annual

An annual subscription shall be paid first on the date of admission and thereafter on the 1st day of January in each year. An Associate tendering a first or renewed annual subscription of less than £50 shall supply the Council with a certificate of his membership of a Member, such certificate to be signed by the representative or a senior officer of that Member. Unless in any case the Council resolves to the contrary, any Member, Associate or International Associate from whom an entrance fee or annual subscription is due and who fails to pay the same within three calendar months of its becoming due, shall upon expiry of such three months be deemed to have retired from the Federation."

7. Relation to other Non-Governmental Organizations

The IRF European-East Organization works in close co-operation with the following bodies:

Association Internationale Permanente des Congrès de la Route (PIARC)
Alliance Internationale de Tourisme (AIT)
Fédération Internationale de l'Automobile (FIA)
International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), Transport and
Communications Division
International Road Transport Union (IRU)
Bureau International Permanent des Constructeurs d'Automobiles.

8. Publications

(a) Publications already issued:

Monthly Bulletin - printed magazine containing news of the activities of the Federation and of its member organizations. This bulletin was previously of quarterly issue and is now a monthly publication.

Memoranda - mimeographed sheets containing material suitable for reproduction in members' publications.

(b) Publications due to appear in the near future

Bi-annual magazine-containing articles by experts and reviewing the latest researches and advances in the field of road economics.

International Road
Statistics - a collection of road statistics containing details of numbers of vehicles, road mileages, road user taxation, expenditure on roads in various countries of the world.
