PARTICIPATION PLAN

Tourism Committee

References:

- 19.06.2013
- 18.10.2013
- 13.07.2016
- 18.12.2018
- 13.03.2019
- 17.04.2019

* In line with the Roadmaps for the OECD Accession Process adopted by the Council at Ministerial level on 10 June 2022, Brazil, Bulgaria, Croatia, Peru, and Romania are invited to participate, on the basis of their status as accession candidate countries, in the meetings of all OECD substantive committees and their subsidiary bodies open to participation by all OECD Members. Where they participate on the basis of their status of accession candidate countries, they will participate in all discussions except confidential sessions and have access to related documents but they will not take part in decision-making. Where they are Associates or Participants in an OECD body in line with the Revised Resolution of the Council on Partnerships in OECD Bodies, they will maintain their status and the corresponding rights and obligations throughout the accession process.

PARTICIPATION PLAN

OECD Body	Tourism Committee			
Subsidiary bodies to which this Plan applies	Working Party on Tourism Statistics			
Global Relations Strategic Directions	Approved on: 31 October 2018			
ASSOCIATES				
Conditions	Demonstrate coherence with tourism policies and practices, and the key policy priorities of OECD Members as reflected in the Policy Statement: Tourism Policies for Sustainable and Inclusive Growth.			
Fee	Lower Part I Associate fee1			
Associate	Bodies to which the invitation applies	Approval date	Exchange of letters	
Могоссо	All	17.04.2019	22.05.2019	
PARTICIPANTS				
Participant	Bodies to which the invitation applies	Approval date	Acceptance letter	
Croatia*	All	13.07.2016	23.11.2016	
Egypt	All	25.05.2009	17.06.2009	
Peru*	All	18.12.2018	30.04.2019	

¹ The current rate can be found at this address: <u>https://www.oecd.org/global-relations/partnershipsinoecdbodies/</u>. In addition to this yearly fee, Associates will be invited to provide a yearly voluntary contribution to the Committee.

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Romania*	All	14.09.2006	02.04.2007
Russia ²	All	02.04.2007	26.07.2013
South Africa ³	All	05.05.2012	08.06.2012

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² On 8 March 2022, the Council decided an immediate suspension of the participation of the Russian Federation.

³ In 2016, the Council invited South Africa to become an Associate in the Tourism Committee and its subsidiary bodies. However, by a letter dated 1 April 2019, South Africa expressed a preference for remaining a Participant.

INVITEE LIST⁴

Tourism Committee and all its subsidiary bodies:

Invitee	Approval date
Argentina	13.07.2016
Brunei Darussalam	19.06.2013
China (People's Republic of)	10.04.2013
India	10.04.2013
Indonesia	10.04.2013
Jamaica	19.06.2013
Kazakhstan	18.12.2018
Kenya	19.06.2013
Malaysia	19.06.2013
Malta	19.06.2013
Mauritius	19.06.2013
Montenegro	19.06.2013
Myanmar	19.06.2013
Saudi Arabia	19.06.2013
Singapore	19.06.2013
Thailand	19.06.2013
Tunisia	19.06.2013
United Arab Emirates	19.06.2013
Viet Nam	19.06.2013

⁴ Partners listed as Invitees may be invited to individual meetings or items subject to an invitation by the concerned committee.

OVERVIEW FOR INFORMATION: INVITATIONS TO KEY PARTNERS AS ASSOCIATE, PARTICIPANT OR INVITEE					
Key Partner	Invitation as	Bodies to which the invitation applies			
Brazil*	See note on cover page.	All			
China (People's Republic of)	Invitee	All			
India	Invitee	All			
Indonesia	Invitee	All			
South Africa ⁵	Participant	All			

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