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**CANDIDACY OF THE GOVERNMENT OF MEXICO FOR THE VICE-CHAIR OF CICAD 2016-2017 AND CHAIR
OF CICAD 2017-2018**

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Permanent Mission of Mexico

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The Permanent Mission of Mexico to the Organization of American States presents its compliments to the Executive Secretariat of the Inter-American Drug Abuse Control Commission (CICAD), with reference to the 60th regular session of the Inter-American Drug Abuse Control Commission (CICAD), which will take place in the Bahamas, November 1-4, 2016.

In this regard, the Permanent Mission has the honor to communicate to the Secretariat the decision of the Government of Mexico to present its candidacy to the post of Vice Chair of CICAD, chaired by the Bahamas for the period 2016-2017. This aspiration responds to Mexico's interest and commitment to hemispheric efforts to address the drug problem from a comprehensive, balanced and renewed perspective, in order to effectively respond to the changing realities of this phenomenon.

The Permanent Mission of Mexico to the Organization of American States avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Executive Secretariat of the Inter-American Drug Abuse Control Commission (CICAD), the assurances of its highest consideration.

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Washington, D.C., July 26, 2016

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