

**INVITING CITEL MEMBER STATES TO THE SIGNING, RATIFICATION AND ACCESSION
TO THE AMMENDMENT OF THE INTER-AMERICAN CONVENTION ON AN
INTERNATIONAL AMATEUR RADIO PERMIT (IARP)**

The 31 Meeting of Permanent Consultative Committee II: Radiocommunications (PCC.II),

CONSIDERING:

- 1) That one of the Strategic initiatives of OAS is emergency telecommunication and the importance that amateur radio systems for this kind of communications.
- 2) That on Tuesday, August 21, in the framework of the 33 Meeting of the Permanent Consultative Committee I: Telecommunications (PCC.I), a signing ceremony of the Amendment of the Inter-American Convention on an International Amateur Radio Permit (IARP) will be held.
- 3) That States have the power to enter into international conventions at any time such agreements suit their respective interests.

DECIDES:

- 1) To kindly invite CITEL Member States to consider becoming party, by signing, ratifying and accessing the Amendment of the Inter-American Convention on an International Amateur Radio Permit (IARP), pursuant to international treaty law procedures established at the OAS.
- 2) Request the CITEL Secretariat to distribute this decision among CITEL Member States.

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