

PERMANENT COUNCIL



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The Chair of the Permanent Council of the Organization of American States, Ambassador Rita María Hernández Bolaños, Permanent Representative of Costa Rica, presents her compliments to the permanent representatives of the member states and has the honor to advise them that she has called a special meeting of the Council for 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, August 9, 2018, in the Simón Bolívar Room, to commemorate International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples 2018, as indicated on the attached draft order of business.

DRAFT ORDER OF BUSINESS

SPECIAL MEETING TO COMMEMORATE INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE WORLD'S INDIGENOUS PEOPLES 2018

Date: August 9, 2018

Time: 10:00 a.m.^{1/}

Place: Simón Bolívar Room

1. Adoption of the draft order of business (CP/OD-2176/18)
2. Remarks by the Chair of the Permanent Council of the Organization of American States, Ambassador Rita María Hernández Bolaños
3. Presentation by the Assistant Secretary General, Ambassador Nestor Mendez
4. Presentations by leaders of indigenous peoples of the Americas.
 - Mr. Clément Chartier, President of the Métis Nation and of the American Council of Indigenous Peoples (Canada)
 - Mr. Hector Huertas, Indigenous Representative for Central America in the negotiations on the American Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples (Panama)
 - Mr. Hugo Tacuri, Confederation of Indigenous Nationalities of Peru (CONAIP) (Peru)
5. Presentation by Mr. Álvaro Botero, Human Rights Specialist, Inter-American Commission on Human Rights (IACHR)
6. Comments by representatives of member states

1. The Chair kindly requests the delegations' cooperation in ensuring that the meeting starts on time.