

## **STATUS OF THE UNION**

### *Memorandum by the Secretary General*

1. As of 28 February 2015, the Union has thirty two (32) members. They are as follows:

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| 1. Afghanistan       | 17. Maldives         |
| 2. Australia         | 18. Myanmar          |
| 3. Bangladesh        | 19. Nauru            |
| 4. Bhutan            | 20. Nepal            |
| 5. Brunei Darussalam | 21. New Zealand      |
| 6. Cambodia          | 22. Pakistan         |
| 7. China             | 23. Papua New Guinea |
| 8. Fiji              | 24. Philippines      |
| 9. India             | 25. Samoa            |
| 10. Indonesia        | 26. Singapore        |
| 11. Iran             | 27. Solomon Islands  |
| 12. Japan            | 28. Sri Lanka        |
| 13. Lao              | 29. Thailand         |
| 14. Korea, Rep. of   | 30. Tonga            |
| 15. Malaysia         | 31. Vanuatu          |
| 16. Mongolia         | 32. Vietnam          |

2. The following UPU member countries in the region which are not members of the APPU are:
  1. Kiribati
  2. Korea, PDR
  3. Timor-Leste
  4. Tuvalu

The Bureau has extended invitation to the above-mentioned countries to join the APPU.

Following previous practices, the Bureau requested Pakistan, as host of the APPU EC Meeting, to extend invitation to the above-mentioned countries as observers to the APPU EC Meeting.