



IAP

International Association of Prosecutors

IAP General Meeting,

Dubai, United Arab Emirates, 26 November 2014

RULES OF PROCEDURE

1. These Rules are subject to the provisions of the Constitution and in particular to Articles 10 and 14
2. In these Rules "the President" means the President of the Association or other person presiding over the General Meeting in accordance with Article 10.3 of the Constitution.
3. Subject to Rules 4 and 5 the President shall decide all matters of procedure not specifically provided for by these Rules.
4. The President shall, subject to Rule 5, decide on all matters of interpretation of these Rules.
5. All decisions made under Rules 3 and 4 may be challenged by Motion on a Point of Order supported by not less than two organisational members or not less than twenty individual or honorary members in addition to its proposer and seconder. All such Motions shall, unless withdrawn by the proposer, be put to the vote of the General Meeting in accordance with Article 14.6 of the Constitution.
6. All motions before the General Meeting must be supported by a proposer and seconder. The President shall allow reasonable time for debate.
7. The President may, in his or her absolute discretion, adjourn debate on any issue or motion to enable it to be referred to the Executive Committee for its consideration and for report by it to the General Meeting, provided such adjournment shall not be for longer than the duration of the then current General Meeting without the consent of such General Meeting.
8. The quorum for each General Meeting shall be decided by the Executive Committee before or as soon as may be after the start of that General Meeting. The Executive Committee shall, in so deciding, have due regard to the total number of members who may have indicated their intention of attending the General Meeting or, if a Conference is being held in conjunction with the General Meeting, who have registered for the Conference before the start of the General Meeting. The existence of a quorum shall be presumed unless such existence is challenged. If

after such challenge a quorum is found not to exist, the President shall adjourn the business of the General Meeting until a quorum shall have assembled. If a quorum has not been assembled before the time fixed for the termination of the General Meeting, the President may, in his or her absolute discretion, adjourn the General Meeting to a time and place to be determined by the Executive Committee.

9. The working language of the General Meeting shall be the English language.