

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL 2024

Hosting of the 2025 APPU Executive Council meeting

(Memorandum by the APPU Bureau)

1. Subject	References/Paragraphs
Informing the EC on the hosting of the Executive Council meeting in 2025	§§ 1-4
2. Decisions expected	
The EC is invited to: - note the information in this document and approve the approach	§§ 1-4

- 1. Article 106, § 4 of the APPU General Regulations states that "each Executive Council meeting shall designate the country in which the next Executive Council meeting is to be held." On 18 March 2024, the Bureau sent a letter inviting the APPU members to host the 2025 APPU Executive Council Meeting. To date, no member has volunteered to host the meeting in 2025.
- 2. The Bureau proposes extending the deadline for submission of interest for hosting the 2025 EC meeting until 31 December 2024. Member countries are encouraged to express their interest in writing to the Secretary-General of the Union. Thereafter, by Article 106, § 6 of the General Regulations, after consultation with the Chairperson of the Executive Council, the date and place of the Executive Council meeting will be fixed and the same will be communicated to the member countries.
- 3. If no member volunteers to host the 2025 APPU EC by 31 December 2024, in accordance with Article 106, § 4 of the General Regulation, the Executive Council meeting may be convened in Bangkok, Thailand in 2025. In that event, the host will be the Bureau itself and the expenditure of such meetings will be borne by the Bureau from its own budget by raising the contribution share of each country, as done during the 2023 Executive Council meeting.
- 4. The Bureau will provide timely updates to members regarding the host country and dates for the next APPU EC meeting.