



MOTION

Suspension of the ICA General Assembly Standing Orders

Submitted by:

1. *Confederazione delle Cooperative Italiane (Italy)*
2. *Conseil Canadien de la Coopération (Canada)*
3. *Co-operative Bank (Kenya)*
4. *Co-operatives UK (United Kingdom)*
5. *Federation of Norwegian Agricultural Co-operatives (Norway)*
6. *Federation of Tenants, Savings and Building Societies – HSB Riksförbund (Sweden)*
7. *Groupement National de la Coopération (France)*
8. *Lega Nazionale delle Cooperative e Mutue (Italy)*
9. *National Auditing Union of Workers' Co-operatives (Poland)*
10. *National Co-operative Business Association (USA)*

IN accordance with article 23 of the ICA Standing Orders, ten members request the suspension of the Standing Orders of the Generally Assembly to enable the presentation of amendments to the ICA Rules to the ICA General Assembly 2007, waiving the need to for the circulation of documentation to members two months before the date of the Assembly (article VI para 7 of the Standing Orders).

The motion is put to the Assembly to enable the recognition of Co-operatives Europe as a separate legal entity operating as ICA European region.