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The Intergovernmental Committee for the Safeguarding of the Intangible Cultural Heritage met in Bogota, Colombia from 9 to 14 December. The gathering at the Agora Bogotá Centro de convenciones was the first time the Committee met in Latin America and the Caribbean.

Five Inscriptions to the Urgent Safeguarding List (item 10.a)

1. Botswana: Seperu folkdance and associated practices/Le seperu, danse populaire et pratiques associées
2. Kenya: Rituals and practices associated with Kit Mikayi shrine/Les rituels et pratiques associées au sanctuaire de Kit Mikayi
3. Mauritius: Sega tambour Chagos/Le séga tambour des Chagos
4. Philippines: Buklog, thanksgiving ritual system of the Subanen/Le Buklog, système de rituels de gratitude des Subanen
5. Belarus: Spring rite of Juraŭski Karahod/Le rite du printemps de Juraŭski Karahod

35 inscriptions from 42 nominations to the Representative List (item 10.b)

1. Armenian letter art and its cultural expressions, Armenia
2. Transhumance, the seasonal droving of livestock along migratory routes in the Mediterranean and in the Alps, Austria, Greece, Italy
3. Date palm, knowledge, skills, traditions and practices, Bahrain, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Mauritania
4. Ommegang of Brussels, an annual historical procession and popular festival, Belgium
5. The festival of the Santísima Trinidad del Señor Jesús del Gran Poder in the city of La Paz, Bolivia (Plurinational State of)
6. Traditional technique of making Airag in Khokhuur and its associated customs, Mongolia
7. Cultural Complex of Bumba-meu-boi from Maranhão, Brazil
8. Morna, musical practice of Cabo Verde, Cabo Verde
9. Byzantine chant, Cyprus, Greece
10. Music and dance of Dominican Bachata, Dominican Republic
11. Ethiopian epiphany, Ethiopia
12. Alpinism, France, Italy, Switzerland
13. Traditional skills of crafting and playing Dotār, Iran
14. Artisanal talavera of Puebla and Tlaxcala (Mexico) and ceramics of Talavera de la Reina and El Puente del Arzobispo (Spain) making process, Mexico; Spain
15. Traditions of Pencak Silat, Indonesia
16. Provision of services and hospitality during the Arba'in visitation, Iraq
17. Irish harping, Ireland
18. Celestinian forgiveness celebration, Italy
19. Ak-kalpak craftsmanship, traditional knowledge and skills in making and wearing Kyrgyz men's headwear, Kyrgyzstan
20. Silat, Malaysia
21. Kwagh-Hir theatrical performance, Nigeria
22. Practice of traditional music and dance in Setesdal, playing, dancing and singing (stev/stevjing), Norway
23. Negritos' and 'Hatajo de Pallitas' from the Peruvian south-central coastline, Peru
24. Winter festivities, Carnival of Podence, Portugal
25. 'Ie Samoa, fine mat and its cultural value, Samoa
26. Drotárstvo, wire craft and art, Slovakia
27. Holy Week processions in Mendrisio, Switzerland
28. Practices and craftsmanship associated with the Damascene rose in Al-Mrah, Syrian Arab Republic
29. Nuad Thai, traditional Thai massage, Thailand
30. Gnawa, Morocco
31. Traditional Turkish archery, Turkey
32. Traditional turkmen carpet making art in Turkmenistan, Turkmenistan
33. Tradition of Kosiv painted ceramics, Ukraine
34. Khorazm dance, Lazgi, Uzbekistan
35. Practices of Then by Tày, Nùng and Thái ethnic groups in Viet Nam, Viet Nam