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Report of Regional Vice president
Africa –Indian Ocean Islands & Middle East
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Introduction

At the time of doing this report, five clubs from our region will attend the 42nd Annual General Assembly in Kuala Lumpur. Namely: Jordan, Indian Ocean Islands, Lebanon, Pella en Que, Social Club of Air Mauritius, Nairobi.

Waca Dues

All clubs in our region were informed to pay the Waca Fees, all of them received the invoices from Judith, and some of them paid the Waca Fees in the Regional meeting and the other part will pay the fees by transfer or at the 42nd AGA.

Regional Fund

Statement currently stands at 1,450USD till 31 August 2009.
Our regional fund paid the expenses for 4 Delegates for AIM region, namely: Indian Ocean Islands, Pella en Que - Air Mauritius Social Club, Jordan Interline

International events in our Region

The situation of the international events in our region was not good. All the events were cancelled and the reason behind this was the financial situation in the world and the virus N1, H1 except the international event in Israel, they were good and they had some participants.

Situations of the Clubs in our Region

As I said in my previous report , the most important is to try to protect our old clubs and after that we will look for new clubs, so our aim Now is to try to keep the old clubs going, so the first club now to be reactivated is Nairobi Interline Club. George Otenga and his new young team with the assistance of one of the old interliners Mrs Nita Naji who is now the Area Manager East Africa for Kenya Airways and the old team of Nairobi Interline Club namely Suzette, Aaron, Najmuddin succeeded to return the club to Waca Family and they are working now to start their Local & International events. George Otenga will attend the meeting in Kuala Lumpur.

43rd AGA

We are now promoting for the 43rd AGA in Recife (Brazil) next year, our expectations is to have more than 50 participants from our region.

Situation of the Clubs in our region

I still insist that some of the Clubs in our region need to take serious actions and perform necessary changes to improve the status of their clubs, otherwise they will collapse. It is easy to establish a club, but it takes a lot of work to maintain the clubs' existence. That's why I decided to do this year another trip to Lebanon so as to try to reactivate one of the oldest clubs in Waca.

Hong Kong & Singapore Clubs

We at AIM region don't interfere in other regions, due to the fact that we don't accept any region to interfere in ours.

These two clubs asked us to join our region until they solve their problem; also we found that it is for the benefit of Waca and all of us in Waca to accept them as guests in our region instead of loosing these two important clubs at FEA region and in Waca.

Aim Regional Meeting 2009

Our regional meeting will be in Seychelles between the periods 29-31 May 2009,
And next year will have our regional meeting either in Beirut or in Nairobi.

Finally I would like to thank the Executive committee and Hong Kong and Singapore Clubs for assisting the Waca EC for hosting the 42nd AGA in Kuala Lumpur and special thanks goes to our dear friend Julian who will make this event Successful.

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