Place and dates of the 58th meeting of the Regional Commission for the Americas

1. The Regional Commission is informed that, as of the time of preparation of the documents, two countries have transmitted to the Headquarters their candidatures to host the 58th meeting of the CAM: Mexico and Haiti.

2. The Secretariat of Tourism of Mexico has presented its candidature to host the 58th meeting of the Regional Commission for the Americas in Mexico in 2015, through a letter dated 22 August 2013 and received at the UNWTO on 13 September 2013.

3. Subsequently, the candidature to host the same meeting was received from the Ministry of Tourism of Haiti, through a letter dated 8 January 2014 and received at the UNWTO on 21 January 2014.

4. Both candidatures were transmitted for the information of the members of the Regional Commission through notes verbales dated 4 December 2013 (Mexico) and 23 January 2014 (Haiti). Copies of them are available at the Secretariat for consultation.

5. Dated 21 May, UNWTO Secretariat received a note from the Secretariat of Foreign Affairs from Mexico through their Embassy in Madrid, where they informed about the withdrawal of Mexico’s candidature to be the host of the 58th CAM meeting. The members of the region were informed about this through a note verbal sent out on 23 May 2014.

6. The decision regarding the place and date of the 58th meeting will be taken during the 57th meeting of the Commission.