

## IOC Decisions

Below are the major decisions taken by the IOC Executive Board and the Session during the meetings held in Lake Placid.

- The following NOCs were granted full recognition by the IOC : Angola (ANG), Bangladesh (BAN), Laos (LAO), Mauritania (MTN) and the Seychelles (SEY).
- Three NOCs are recognised on a provisional basis : Iran (IRN), Mozambique (MOZ) and Vietnam (VIE). There are now 143 NOCs within the Olympic movement, including three with provisional recognition.
- Reports from the following IOC Commissions were approved : Eligibility, Finance, Medical, Programme (a detailed Rule concerning demonstration sports is to be submitted to the Moscow Session).
- Awards in the Olympic Order are henceforth to be conferred by the President of the IOC, his representative or a person approved by the President.
- A Commission chaired by H.E. Louis Guirandou N'Diaye is to be established to study the proposal submitted by the Greek Government and approved by the Hellenic Olympic Committee to have a permanent site for the Olympic Games in Greece.
- Athletes representing the Mongolian NOC were given the right to compete at the XIIIth Winter Games, the NOC having satisfied the Executive Board that its incorrectly filed entry application had been submitted in good faith.
- The four-man bobsleigh team from the Federal Republic of Germany was entitled to use a substitute athlete, as one of the original team members had fallen ill.