TO: Presidency Committee

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Re: Report to the Presidency Committee

April 3, 2022

I. The 2021 Annual ANAO meeting was held on August 29, 2021.

The mid-year meeting will be held, virtually, on May 26, 2022. ANAO will discuss the topic to be considered at the next ANAO meeting.

Since last year's topic was a consideration of implicit bias in the courtroom, Judge Clayton Conlan, first Vice President of ANAO, will propose that this year's topic be implicit bias within the judiciary. ANAO will vote on this topic at its upcoming meeting.

- II. ANAO will discuss ways in which members can support Taiwan in its efforts to host the IAJ meeting in 2023.
- III. The members will discuss individual efforts to support the judges of their respective countries in coping with the demands of responding to COVID.
- IV. Members will discuss individual responses to international humanitarian crises to circumstances such as those that have arisen in the Ukraine.
- V. Members will also discuss efforts to hold an in-person meeting in Washington, DC in 2023.