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| AR-CCM-12 | Korea |
| AR-CCM-13 | Marshall Islands  |
| AR-CCM-14 | Nauru  |
| AR-CCM-15 | New Caledonia |
| AR-CCM-16 | New Zealand  |
| AR-CCM-17 | Niue  |
| AR-CCM-18 | Palau  |
| AR-CCM-19 | Papua New Guinea  |
| AR-CCM-20 | Philippines  |
| AR-CCM-21 | Samoa  |
| AR-CCM-22 | Solomon Islands  |
| AR-CCM-23 | Chinese Taipei |
| AR-CCM-24 | Tokelau  |
| AR-CCM-25 | Tonga  |
| AR-CCM-26 | Tuvalu  |
| AR-CCM-27 | United States of America |
| AR-CCM-28 | Vanuatu  |
| AR-CCM-29 | Wallis and Futuna  |
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| *Guam* |
| *Northern Mariana Islands* |
| AR-CNM-30 | (Placeholder)  |
| AR-CNM-31 | Curacao |
| AR-CNM-32 | Ecuador |
| AR-CNM-33 | El Salvador  |
| AR-CNM-34 | Liberia |
| AR-CNM-35 | Nicaragua |
| AR-CNM-36 | Panama  |
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