Decisions

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Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council

At its 42nd plenary meeting, on 20 July 2010, the Economic and Social Council took the following action with regard to vacancies in its subsidiary and related bodies:

Elections

Commission on Population and Development

The Council elected **Portugal** for a four-year term beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's forty-fifth session, in 2011, and expiring at the close of the Commission's forty-eighth session, in 2015, to fill a vacancy arising from the resignation of the United States of America, and the **United States of America** for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring at the close of the Commission's forty-seventh session, in 2014, to fill a vacancy arising from the resignation of Portugal.

Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)

The Council elected **Chile** and **Grenada** for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2011. The Council postponed the election of three members from the Group of Western European and other States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2011. The Council further postponed the election of four members from the Group of Western European and other States for a term beginning on the date of election, two for a term expiring on 31 December 2011 and two for a term expiring on 31 December 2012.

Appointment

Committee for Development Policy

The Council appointed Victor **Polterovich** (Russian Federation) for a term beginning on the date of appointment and expiring on 31 December 2012 to fill a vacancy arising from the resignation of Vladimir Popov (Russian Federation).