Decision

2010/217

Applications for consultative status and requests for reclassification received from non-governmental organizations

At its 39th plenary meeting, on 19 July 2010, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Decided to grant consultative status to the following fifty-five nongovernmental organizations:

Special consultative status

Academy of Labour and Social Relations
Africa Safe Water Foundation
Al Mezan Center for Human Rights
American Cancer Society
Association apprentissage sans frontières
Association des jeunes pour le développement humain et la protection de l’environnement
Association internationale des droits de l’enfant en difficulté et dans la souffrance
Association pour la lutte contre le travail des enfants au Niger
Ayuda y Solidaridad con las Niñas de la Calle
Biogas Sector Partnership Nepal
Bridges International
Capital Humano y Social Alternativo
Caribbean and Latin America Trade Association
Centre d’accompagnement des alternatives locales de développement
Centre for Development Strategy
Chinese Young Volunteers Association
Coordinadora de la Mujer
Eastern Sudan Women Development Organization
Environmental Rights Action/Friends of the Earth Nigeria
Forum of Culture and Arts of Uzbekistan
Fundación Democrática Ítalo-Americana
Global Afrikan Congress
Global Alliance on Accessible Technologies and Environments
Human Rights Commission of Pakistan
Humanitarian Law Center
Imam Ali’s Popular Students Relief Society
Integrated Development in Focus
International La Strada Association
International Rainwater Harvesting Alliance
Isigodlo Trust — South African Women in Dialogue
Israeli Committee against House Demolitions
Khiam Rehabilitation Centre for Victims of Torture
Kimse Yok Mu
Ma’arif Foundation for Peace and Development
Miracle Corners of the World
Muslim Aid Australia
National Organization of Women’s Associations in the Bahamas
Pew Environment Group
Playdoo (Côte d’Ivoire)
Rissho Kosei-kai
St. Petersburg Institute of Bioregulation and Gerontology of the North Western Branch of the Russian Academy of Medical Sciences
Secure World Foundation
Shirley Ann Sullivan Educational Foundation
Third World Network-Africa
Ukrainian Non-Governmental Socio-Political Association-National Assembly of Persons with Disabilities
Wildlife Conservation Society
World Granny
Youth Crime Watch of Nigeria
Youth for the Child’s Welfare
Roster
Abaawa Hagar Saah Memorial Foundation
Assemblée des premières nations du Québec et du Labrador
Celtic League
Conseil en éducation des premières nations
Help Old People
Hope Medical Enterprises

(b) Also decided to reclassify the following non-governmental organization from special to general consultative status: Chinese People’s Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries

(c) Further decided to close without prejudice its consideration of the request for reclassification submitted by the following non-governmental organization: International Real Estate Federation

(d) Noted that the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations had taken note of the name change of the following twelve non-governmental organizations:

Asian South Pacific Bureau of Adult Education to Asia South Pacific Association for Basic and Adult Education
Association of Refugees and Displaced Persons of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina (special, 1997) to Union for Sustainable Return and Integrations in Bosnia and Herzegovina
Association tunisienne de la communication (special, 2000) to Association tunisienne de la communication et des sciences spatiales
Central and Eastern European Harm Reduction Network (special, 2005) to Eurasian Harm Reduction Network
Cercle des dames mourides (special, 2005) to Centre des dames mourides
Christian Blind Mission International (Roster, 2002) to Christian Blind Mission
Cooperazione e Sviluppo (special, 2004) to Cesvi Fondazione
Council on Economic Priorities (special, 1997) to Social Accountability International
International Association of Initiatives of Change (special, 2005) to Initiatives of Change International
International Peace Academy (Roster, 1974) to International Peace Institute
Navjyoti: Delhi Police Foundation for Correction, De-addiction and Rehabilitation (special, 1997) to Navjyoti India Foundation
Survivors Corps (special, 2005) to Survivor Corps

(e) Also noted that the Committee had decided to close its consideration of the applications for consultative status submitted by the following four nongovernmental organizations, noting that their activities and programmes did not meet the criteria set out in Council resolution 1996/31:
Ethiopia Africa Black International Congress Church of Salvation
International Gas Union
Oromo Menschenrechts-und Hilfsorganisation
Proyecto Paz y Amor

(f) Further noted that the Committee had decided to close without prejudice its consideration of the applications for consultative status submitted by the following eleven non-governmental organizations after they had failed to respond, despite three reminders over the course of two consecutive sessions of the Committee, to queries posed to them by members of the Committee:

Academy of Fine Arts and Literature
Asian Farmers’ Association for Sustainable Rural Development
Christian Solidarity International
European Foundation for Democracy
Family Reorientation Education and Empowerment
NAFSA: Association of International Educators
National Committee for Furtherance of Jewish Education
(g) Noted the decision of the Committee to suspend its consideration of the application for consultative status submitted by the following non-governmental organization:

Ethiopian Human Rights Council

(h) Decided to withdraw the consultative status of the following six nongovernmental organizations that have terminated their activities or ceased to exist:

Children Australia (special, 1998)
Feminists for Life of America (special, 2005)
Girls Incorporated (special, 2001)
Global Education Associates (special, 1989)
National Environmental Trust (special, 2006)
World Information Clearing Centre (special, 2000)

(i) Noted that the Committee had taken note of the quadrennial reports of the following two hundred and twenty-two non-governmental organizations for the period 2005–2008 and earlier reporting periods:

Academy for Mobilizing Rural-Urban Action through Education
Action internationale pour la paix et le développement dans la région des Grands Lacs
Adelphi Research
African Business Roundtable
African Centre for Democracy and Human Rights Studies
African Commission of Health and Human Rights Promoters
African Community Resource Center
African Women’s Association
Africare
Afro-Asian Peoples’ Solidarity Organization
Agrenska Foundation
Aleut International Association
American Society of International Law
Anglican Consultative Council
Arab Mexican Chamber of Industry and Commerce
Asian Partnership for the Development of Human Resources in Rural Asia
Asociación Nacional Cívica Femenina
Asociación Regional de Empresas de Petróleo y Gas Natural en Latinoamérica y el Caribe
Association jeunesse culture loisirs technique
Association of African Women for Research and Development
Association of Indigenous Peoples of the North, Siberia and Far East of the Russian Federation
Association of Refugees and Displaced Persons of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina
Association points-coeur
Association pour la protection de la nature et de l’environnement de Kairouan
Association pour la recherche sur la sclérose latérale amyotrophique et autres maladies du motoneurone
Association santé et environnement
Association tunisienne des mères
Australian Catholic Social Justice Council
Australian Reproductive Health Alliance
Be Active, Be Emancipated
Benevolent Community Education and Rural Development Society
Canadian Council of Churches
Center for Inquiry
Center for Organisation Research and Education
Center for Practice-Oriented Feminist Science
Center for Studies on Turkey
Central and Eastern European Harm Reduction Network
Centre africain de recherche industrielle
Centre for Adivasee Studies and Peace
Centre for the Study of Administration of Relief
Centro de Investigación Social, Formación y Estudios de la Mujer
Centro de Salud Familiar La Fe
Centro Nazionale di Prevenzione e Difesa Sociale
Charity Foundation for Special Diseases
Children of a Better Time
China Environmental Protection Foundation
Christian Children’s Fund
Comité d’action pour les droits de l’enfant et de la femme
Commonwealth Human Rights Initiative
Concerned Women for America
Confederation of Business Women of Russia
Consumers International
Coordination SUD
Council of International Programs
Council on Economic Priorities
Covenant House
Crime Stoppers International
December Twelfth Movement International Secretariat
Ecologic Institute for International and European Environmental Policy
Egyptian Red Crescent Society
Emmaus International Association
English International Association of Lund (Sweden)
Environmental Defense Fund
Environmental Protection and Conservation Organisation
Equality Now
European Bureau for Lesser Used Languages
European Institute
European Law Students Association
Family Welfare in Brazil Civil Society
Federation of Cuban Women
Federation of Islamic Medical Associations
Feminist Majority Foundation
Fondation canadienne des droits de la personne
Fondation El Kef pour le développement régional
Fondation Maman Henriette Conte
Fondazione San Patrignano
Foundation for the American Indian
Fundación de la Solidaridad y el Voluntariado de la Comunidad Valenciana
General Conference of Seventh Day Adventists
Generations United
Girls’ Power Initiative
Global Cooperation Society
Global Environmental Action
Gram Bharati Samiti
Grameena Vikas Samithi
Hadassah: Women’s Zionist Organization of America
Hong Kong Women Professionals and Entrepreneurs Association
Huairou Commission
Humanist Committee on Human Rights
Imperial Orthodox Palestine Society
Indian Federation of United Nations Associations
Indian Movement “Tupaj Amaru”
Institute for International Economic Cooperation and Development
Institute for War and Peace Reporting
Institute of Internal Auditors
Integrated Care Society
Inter-American Housing Union
Inter-American Press Association
International Air Transport Association
International Architects Designers Planners for Social Responsibility
International Association of Initiatives of Change
International Association of University of Presidents
International Association of Women in Radio and Television
International Black Sea Club
International Bridges to Justice
International Center for Clubhouse Development
International Centre for Ethnic Studies
International Commission of Jurists
International Confederation of Christian Family Movements
International Council for Education of People with Visual Impairment
International Council of Management Consulting Institutes
International Council on Management of Population Programmes
International Critical Incident Stress Foundation
International Federation of Catholic Medical Associations
International Federation of Women in Legal Careers
International Islamic Federation of Student Organizations
International Mediterranean Women’s Forum
International Movement for Fraternal Union among Races and Peoples
International Planned Parenthood Federation
International Research Centre for Environmental Structures “Pio Manzú”
International Save the Children Alliance
International Social Science Council
International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies
International Telecommunication Academy
International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences
International Union of Architects
International Union of Building Centres
International Union of Technical Associations and Organisations
International Women’s Rights Action Watch
International Youth and Student Movement for the United Nations
Iranian Elite Research Center
Islamic Relief
Italian Centre of Solidarity
Kerala Rural Development Agency
Korea Women’s Associations United
Korean Council for Local Agenda 21
Korean Foundation for World Aid
Kuwait Information Technology Society
National Council of Swedish Youth Organisations
League of Kenya Women Voters
Learning for a Sustainable Future
Lebanese Association for Popular Action
Libera: Associazioni, Nomi e Numeri Contro le Mafie
Light and Hope Association for Blind Girls Maharashtra Foundation
Mani Tese ‘76
Marie Stopes International
Mauritius Council of Social Service
Mediterranean Council for Burns and Fire Disasters
Mediterranean Information Office for Environment, Culture and Sustainable Development
Mediterranean Water Institute
Mexican Foundation for Family Planning
Migrants Rights International
Mouvement pour l’abolition de la prostitution et de la pornographie et de toutes formes de violences sexuelles et discriminations sexistes
Narcotics Anonymous World Services
National Aboriginal Forestry Association
National Association for Protection of the Environment and Green Egypt
National Association of Cuban Economists
National Association of Realtors
National Board of Catholic Women of England and Wales
National Council for Research on Women
National Council of Women of Canada
National Fishworkers’ Forum
National Society for Human Rights
National Tropical Botanical Garden
National Union of Jurists of Cuba
Navjyoti: Delhi Police Foundation for Correction, De-Addiction and Rehabilitation
Network of Women’s Non-Governmental Organizations in the Islamic Republic of Iran
New Humanity
Nonviolence International
Norwegian People’s Aid
Open Society Institute
Orbicom: réseau des Chaires UNESCO en communication
Organisation de défense de l’environnement au Burundi
Organisation tunisienne de l’éducation et de la famille
Oxfam America
Oxfam Great Britain
Partnership Africa Canada
Pax Romana
Project Concern International
Project Kesher
Public Services International
Qatar Charitable Society
Robert F. Kennedy Center for Justice and Human Rights
Rural Reconstruction Nepal
Sisterhood Is Global Institute
Society for International Development
Summer Institute of Linguistics
Swedish NGO Foundation for Human Rights
Swiss Peace Foundation
Therapy Center for Dependent Individuals
Trauma Foundation
Triglav Circle
Turkish Foundation for Children in Need of Protection
Union Iberoamericana de Colegios y Agrupaciones de Abogados
Union of Ibero American Capitals
Union of Lusco-African-America-Asiatic Capital Cities
Unitarian Universalist Association
Unitarian Universalist Service Committee
United Nations Association of Mauritius
Virtue Foundation
WaterAid
WebForce International
Women Environmental Programme
Women in Dialog
Women in Law and Development in Africa
Women’s Health in Women’s Hands
Women’s International Democratic Federation
Women’s Missionary Society of the African Methodist Episcopal Church
Women’s National Commission
World Assembly of Small and Medium Enterprises
World Confederation of Productivity Science
World Council of Credit Unions
World Evangelical Alliance
World Federation of UNESCO Clubs, Centres and Associations
World LP Gas Association
World Resources Institute
World Trade Centers Association
Yemeni Women Union
Youth Association for Habitat and Agenda 21
Zenab for Women in Development
Zonta International