Decision

2012/218
Applications for consultative status and requests for reclassification received from non-governmental organizations

At its 41st plenary meeting, on 23 July 2012, the Economic and Social Council decided:

(a) To grant consultative status to the following one hundred and fifty-seven non-governmental organizations:

General consultative status

Biovision Stiftung für ökologische Entwicklung
Gazeteciler ve Yazarlar Vakfi
Islamic Relief USA
Voluntary Service Overseas

Special consultative status

Academy of Breastfeeding Medicine
Africa culture internationale
African Agency for Integrated Development
African Centre for Community and Development
African Development Association
Agence pour le développement intégré au Congo
Ajegunle Community Project
A.K. Munshi Yojana
Albert B. Sabin Vaccine Institute
All-Russian Public Organization of Disabled People with Multiple Sclerosis
Amizade
Arab Penal Reform Organization
Artfully AWARE
Asia Indigenous Peoples Pact
Asian Consultancy on Tobacco Control
Asociación Civil Observatorio Social
Asociación de Amigos de las Naciones Unidas
Association de l’intervention pour les mères
Association des jeunes pour l’agriculture du Mali
Association Dunenyo
Association graines de paix
Association of African Entrepreneurs
Association pour le développement de la société civile angolaise
Association pour l’intégration et le développement durable au Burundi
Association togolaise pour les Nations Unies
Awaz Centre for Development Services
Bread of Life Development Foundation
British Humanist Association

1 Including both new and deferred applications.
Cancer Aid Society
Captive Daughters
Cent for Organisational Development
Center for Africa Development and Progress
Centre d’information et de conseil des nouvelles spiritualités
Centre for Development Communication
Centre for Economic and Leadership Development
Centre for Environment and Development
Centre for Human Rights
Centre de Estudios Legales y Sociales
Centro Ecuatoriano de Derecho Ambiental
Chamber of Computer Logistics People Worldwide
Chicago TASC
Children Education and Social Welfare Society
Colectiva Mujer y Salud
Comisión para la Investigacion de Malos Tratos a las Mujeres
Compagnons d’action pour le développement familial
Concile mondial de congrès diplomatiques des aumoniers pour la paix
universelle des droits humains et juridiques
Confédération européenne des cadres
Corporación para la Defensa y Promoción de los Derechos Humanos-Reiniciar
Corps de réflexion et de planification pour l’utilité sociale
Daya Pertiwi Foundation
Diabetic Association of Sri Lanka
Disarm Education Fund
Earth Day Network
East and Horn of Africa Human Rights Defenders Projects
Ecumenical Federation of Constantinopolitans
European Union Association in the United States
Famille Debout
Federation of Women Groups
Fondation des oeuvres pour la solidarité et le bien-être social
Fondation marocaine de l’éducation pour l’emploi
Foundation for Human Horizon
Frathekk Foundation Common Initiative Group
Freemuse: the World Forum on Music and Censorship
Fundación Argentina a las Naciones Camino a la Verdad
Fundación Proacceso ECO
Global Deaf Connection
Global Economist Forum
Global Family for Love and Peace
Guru Angad Dev Sewa Society — Punjab, Ludhiana
Horizon Foundation
Housing Works
ICW Global: Comunidad Internacional de Mujeres Viviendo con VIH-SIDA
IDP Foundation
Impact for Change and Development
Indian Development Foundation
Indigenous Information Network
Innovation: Africa
Institut Jules-Destrée
Institute for Conscious Global Change
Intercambios
Interchurch Medical Assistance
International Longevity Center Global Alliance
International POPs Elimination Network
Internationale Organisation Für Volkskunst
Iraqi Development Organization
IRESC: International Radio Emergency Support Coalition
Japan Water Forum
Korean Assembly for Reunion of Ten Million Separated Families
Kosmos Associates
Kuwait Association for the Basic Evaluators for Human Rights
Kyung Hee University
Law Council of Australia
LDC Watch
Legal Aid Forum for Human Rights
Liberian United Youth for Community Safety and Development
Licht für die Welt — Christoffel Entwicklungszusammenarbeit
Local Action Organization
Major Alliance Education Centre
Mediators Beyond Borders
Mother Care Foundation
Murder Victims’ Families for Human Rights
National Advocates for Pregnant Women
National Coalition Against Racial Discrimination
NGO Coordination Committee for Iraq
NGO Coordination post Beijing Switzerland
Ngoma Club
Nigeria Model United Nations Society
Observatorio Mexicano de la Crisis
ODHIKAR: Coalition for Human Rights
Okogun Odigie Safewomb International Foundation
Organisation camerounaise pour la protection de l’arbre
Organisation pour la rénovation environnante du sud d’Haïti
Painted Children UK
People for Successful Corean Reunification
Pesticide Action Nexus Association
PFI Foundation
Pragya
Public Fund “Medialife”
Public Health Institute
Public Union of Citizens “International Centre of Education of Georgian and German Women”
Reality of Aid Network
Regional Public Foundation Assistance for the Elderly “Dobroe Delo”
Release Legal Emergency and Drugs Service
Salamander Trust
Sant Nirankari Mandal — Delhi
Search for Common Ground
Sexuality Information and Education Council of the United States
Shrimati Pushpa Wati Loomba Memorial Foundation
Smile Foundation
Solidarité agissante pour le développement familial
Stichting Universal Education Foundation
Sveriges Kvinnolobby
The Fishermen
Thin and High
Tlachinollan: Grupo de Apoyo a los Pueblos Indios de la Montaña
Tomorrow’s Peacekeepers Today
Tour opération et initiatives
Training for Women Network
Uganda Management Assistance Programme
US Women Connect
USA Mali Charitable Association of NYC
Voice of Change International
Vojenky a špitální Řád svatého Lazara Jeruzalémského — Bohemia
WOOMB International
World Alliance for Youth Empowerment
World Barua Organization
World Hunger Year
World Igbo Congress
Yakutia — Our Opinion
Young Professionals Forum
ZOA Vluchtelingenzorg

**Roster**

Erevna International Peace Center

(b) To reclassify the following three non-governmental organizations from the Roster to special consultative status:

- International Diabetes Federation
- International Federation of Translators
- World Heart Federation

(c) To take note of the withdrawal by the following three non-governmental organizations of their applications for consultative status:

- Act of Life
- International Christian Chamber of Commerce
- Soroptimist International of the Americas

(d) To take note of the decision by the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations to take note of the change of name of the following twelve non-governmental organizations:

- Brothers of Charity to Global Action Against Poverty
- Comité Español de Representantes de Minusválidos to Comité Español de Representantes de Personas con Discapacidad
- Danish Association for Gays and Lesbians to LGBT Denmark: the National Organization for Gay Men, Lesbians, Bisexuals and Transgendered People
Global Foundation for Democracy and Development to Fundación Global Democracia y Desarrollo
Human Rights Law Resource Centre to Human Rights Law Centre
International Federation “Terre des Hommes” to Terre des Hommes fédération internationale
International Union of Forestry Research Organizations to International Union of Forest Research Organizations
National Federation of Women for Democracy to National Confederation of Women in Equality
New York and New Jersey Asian American Law Enforcement Advisory Committee to United States Asian American Law Enforcement Foundation
UNIFEM Australia Incorporated to UN-Women Australia
World Coal Institute to World Coal Association

(e) To take note of the decision by the Committee to take note of the quadrennial reports submitted by the following three hundred and sixty-nine non-governmental organizations for the period 2007-2010:

All-Russian Society of the Deaf/All-Russian Public Organization of Persons with Disabilities
ABANTU for Development
Academy for Future Science
Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences
ActionAid
African Action on AIDS
African Youth for Transparency
AIESEC International
ALDET Centre (Saint Lucia)
Al-Hakim Foundation
All China Women’s Federation
All India Women’s Conference
All India Women’s Education Fund Association
All Pakistan Women’s Association
All-Russian Social Fund “The Russian Children Foundation”
American Youth Understanding Diabetes Abroad
Ankara Foundation of Children with Leukemia
Antiviolence Center
Arab Lawyers Union
Arias Foundation for Peace and Human Progress
Armenian Constitutional Right-Protective Centre
Asayesefid White Cane
Asian Centre for Human Rights
Asian Centre for Organization Research and Development
Asian People’s Disability Alliance
Asociación Mensajeros de la Paz
Asociación Proyecto Hombre
Associated Country Women of the World
Association des consommateurs de télécommunication de Côte d’ivoire
Association for Democratic Initiatives
Association for Emissions Control by Catalyst
Association for Progressive Communications
Association for Reproductive and Family Health
Association nationale Al Hidn
Association of Asian Confederation of Credit Unions
Association of Third World Studies
Association of United Families International
Association pour le développement économique, social, environnemental du nord
Associazione IRENE
Bahrain Women Society
Bangladesh Nari Progati Sangha
Bangladesh Women Chamber of Commerce and Industry
Bangwe et dialogue
BAOBAB for Women’s Human Rights
Bhagwan Mahaveer Viklang Sahayata Samiti Jaipur
Brothers of Charity
Buddha’s Light International Association
Bunyad Literacy Community Council
Campaign Life Coalition
Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse
Caritas Internationalis
Caucus for Women’s Leadership
Center for Economic and Social Rights
Center for Interethnic Cooperation
Center for International Earth Science Information Network
Center for International Health and Cooperation
Centre d’accompagnement des autochtones pygmées et minoritaires vulnérables
Centre for Democracy and Development
Centre on Housing Rights and Evictions
Centro de Estudios de Estado y Sociedad
Child Development Foundation
Children of the World: Regional Public Charitable Fund of Assistance to Cultural and Sports Development of Children and Young People
China Association for NGO Cooperation
China Association for Preservation and Development of Tibetan Culture
China International Public Relations Association
Chinese Association for International Understanding
Christian Legal Fellowship
CIDSE
Citizens’ Coalition for Economic Justice
CITYNET: Regional Network of Local Authorities for the Management of Human Settlements
Club of Madrid
Coalition of Activist Lesbians (Australia)
Colombian Commission of Jurists
Comité français pour l’Afrique du Sud
Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America
Community of Sant’Egidio
Community Social Welfare Foundation
Company of the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul
Confédération fiscale européenne
Confederazione Generale Italiana del Lavoro
Conference of European Churches
Congregations of St. Joseph
Conscience and Peace Tax International
Conseil de jeunesse pluriculturelle
Consultative Council of Jewish Organizations
Convention of Independent Financial Advisors
Coordinating Board of Jewish Organizations
Council of American Overseas Research Centers
Cross-Cultural Solutions
David M. Kennedy Center for International Studies
Daytop Village Foundation
Defence for Children International
Development Alternatives with Women for a New Era
Development Innovations and Networks
Dianova International
Dignity International
Disabled Peoples International
Dominican Union of Journalists for Peace
Earthjustice
Equidad de Genero: Ciudadania, Trabajo y Familia
Ethics and Religious Liberty Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention
European Disability Forum
European Transport Safety Council
European Women’s Lobby
European Youth Forum
Federación Internacional de Asociaciones de Ayuda Social Ecológica y Cultural
Feminist Press
Focus on the Family
Fondation Congo Assistance
Fondation Humanus
Forum for Women and Development
Foundation for Ecological Security
Foundation for the Rights of the Family
Foundation Projekta for Women and Development Services
Franciscans International
Fund of Aid for Youth
Fundación Antonio Nuñez Jiménez de la Naturaleza y el Hombre
Fundación Salvadoreña Para el Desarrollo Económico y Social
Geneva International Model United Nations
German Foundation for World Population
Girl Scouts of the United States of America
Global Action on Aging
Global Exchange
Global Volunteers
Good People International
Grupo de Información en Reproducción Elegida
Gulf Automobile Federation
Hariri Foundation for Sustainable Human Development
Heritage Foundation
Himalayan Research and Cultural Foundation
Hong Kong Council of Social Service
Howard League for Penal Reform
Human Appeal International
Human Rights Congress for Bangladesh Minorities
Human Rights Defence Centre
Human Rights Information and Documentation Systems International
Human Rights National Circle
Inclusion International
Indian Council of Education
Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage
Information Habitat
Initiatives: Women in Development
Inner Trip Reiyukai International
Institute for Global Environmental Strategies
Institute for International Urban Development
Institute for Sustainable Development and Research
Institute for Women’s Studies and Research
Institute on Human Rights and the Holocaust
Instituto Qualivida
Interact Worldwide
InterAction: American Council for Voluntary International Action
Intermon
International Abolitionist Federation
International Alliance of Women
International Association for Religious Freedom
International Association for the Defence of Religious Liberty
International Association for Volunteer Effort
International Association for Water Law
International Association of Charities
International Association of Homes and Services for the Ageing
International Association of Jewish Lawyers and Jurists
International Association of Lawyers against Nuclear Arms
International Association of Peace Messenger Cities
International Association of Schools of Social Work
International Bar Association
International Bureau for Epilepsy
International Cartographic Association
International Catholic Union of the Press
International Center for Not-for-Profit Law
International Centre for Human Rights and Democratic Development
International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development
International Chamber of Shipping
International Committee for the Indians of the Americas (Switzerland)
International Council for Adult Education
International Council of Scientific Unions
International Council of Women
International Driving Tests Committee
International Electrotechnical Commission
International Eurasia Press Fund
International Federation for Family Development
International Federation for Housing and Planning
International Federation of ACAT
International Federation of Associations of the Elderly
International Federation of Business and Professional Women
International Federation of Social Workers
International Federation of University Women
International Federation on Ageing
International Federation “Terre des Hommes”
International Fellowship of Reconciliation
International Forum for Child Welfare
International Hotel and Restaurant Association
International Informatization Academy
International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis
International Institute of Administrative Sciences
International Islamic Committee for Woman and Child
International Islamic Relief Organization
International Jurists Organisation
International Kolping Society
International Law Association
International Motor Vehicle Inspection Committee
International Movement ATD Fourth World
International Network of Basin Organizations
International Network of Liberal Women
International Ocean Institute
International Ontopsychology Association
International Organization for Standardization
International Organization of Employers
International Peacebuilding Alliance
International Planned Parenthood Federation (East and South-East Asia and Oceania Region)
International Planned Parenthood Federation (Europe Region)
International Planned Parenthood Federation (western hemisphere region)
International Real Estate Federation
International Religious Liberty Association
International Road Federation
International Road Safety
International Service for Human Rights
International Social Security Association
International Social Service
International Sociological Association
International Statistical Institute
International Touring Alliance
International Trade Union Confederation
International Trustee Fund of the Tsyolkovsky Moscow State Aviation Technological University
International Tunnelling Association
International Union of Economists
International Volunteerism Organization for Women, Education and Development
International Women’s Health Coalition
Inuit Circumpolar Council
ISHA Foundation
Jana Utthan Pratisthan
Japan Civil Liberties Union
Japan Federation of Bar Associations
Join Together Society
Jubilee Campaign
Kids Can Free the Children
Korean Institute for Women and Politics
Korean Sharing Movement
Kurdistan Reconstruction and Development Society
Lama Gangchen World Peace Foundation
Lassalle-Institut
Latin American Committee for the Defence of Women’s Rights
L’auravet’lan Information and Education Network of Indigenous People
Legal Service Coalition
Legião da Boa Vontade
Liberal International
Life Ethics Educational Association
Life for Relief and Development
Link-Up (Queensland) Aboriginal Corporation
Mayors for Peace
Mbutu Agriculture Society
Medical Women’s International Association
Mediterranean Women’s Studies Centre
Mentor Foundation
Mercy-USA for Aid and Development
Minaret of Freedom Institute
Mission International Rescue Foundation
Misión Mujer
Movement for a Better World
Muslim World League
National Association of Community Legal Centres
National Committee for UNIFEM (Japan)
National Council of German Women’s Organizations
National Council of Negro Women
National Council of Women of the United States
National Wildlife Federation
National Women’s Council of Catalonia
Network Women In Development Europe
New Human Rights
New Japan Women’s Association
New York County Lawyers’ Association
Nonviolent Peaceforce
Northern Ireland Women’s European Platform
OISCA International (South India chapter)
Pacific Rim Institute for Development and Education
Pag-Aalay Ng Puso Foundation (Offering of the Heart Foundation)
PanAmerican-PanAfrican Association
Pax Christi International
Paz y Cooperación
Perhaps Kids Meeting Kids Can Make a Difference
Permanent Assembly for Human Rights
Physicians for Human Rights
Planned Parenthood Federation of America
Prasad Project
Priests for Life
Program for Appropriate Technology in Health
Ramola Bhar Charitable Trust
RICS Foundation
Romanian Independent Society of Human Rights
Rural Development Leadership Network
Safari Club International Foundation
Sahara for Life Trust
Salesian Missions
Salvation Army
Service and Research Institute on Family and Children
Several Sources Foundation
SHATIL: New Israel Fund’s Empowerment and Training Center for Social Change Organizations
Shimin Gaikou Centre
Simon Wiesenthal Center
Socialist International
Socialist International Women
Society for the Promotion of Youth and Masses
Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues
Sociologists for Women in Society
Sodalitas
SOUL Development of Women and Children
Southern Diaspora Research and Development Center
Special Olympics International
St. Joan’s International Alliance
Stree Aadhar Kendra
Struggle for Change
Sudan National Committee on Harmful Traditional Practices
Sudanese Women General Union
Swedish Association for Sexuality Education
Swedish Federation for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Rights
Swiss Catholic Lenten Fund
Tandem Project
Temple of Understanding
Third World Institute
Transparency International
Tribal Link Foundation
Trickle Up Program
Turkish Economic and Social Studies Foundation
UNESCO Centre of Catalonia
UNIFEM Australia
Union internationale des avocats
Union of British Columbia Indian Chiefs
Union of International Associations
Union of the Electricity Industry
United Cities and Local Governments
United Nations Association of Russia
United Nations Association of San Diego
United Religions Initiative
United States Burn Support Organization
United States Committee for UNIFEM
Vali-Asr Rehabilitation Foundation for Disabled Children and Adults
Water Environment Federation
Wittenberg Center for Alternative Resources
Women in Europe for a Common Future
Women’s Human Rights International Association
Women’s International Zionist Organization
Women’s Sports Foundation
Women’s Union of Russia
Women’s World Banking
Women’s World Summit Foundation
World Alliance of Young Men’s Christian Associations
World Association of Industrial and Technological Research Organizations
World Blind Union
World Coal Institute
World Federation for Mental Health
World Federation of Democratic Youth
World Federation of Khoja Shi’a Ithna-Asheri Muslim Communities
World Federation of the Deaf
World Federation of the Deafblind
World Federation of Therapeutic Communities
World Fellowship of Buddhists
World Jewish Congress
World Job and Food Bank
World Jurist Association of the World Peace Through Law Center
World Mission Foundation
World Muslim Congress
World Network of Users and Survivors of Psychiatry
World Safety Organization
World Savings Banks Institute
World Union of Catholic Women’s Organizations
World Wind Energy Association
World Young Women’s Christian Association
Worldwide Organization for Women
Youth with a Mission

(f) To take note of the quadrennial reports for periods earlier than 2007-2010 submitted by the following five organizations:

Becket Fund for Religious Liberty
Centrist Democrat International
CIVICUS: World Alliance for Citizen Participation
Interfaith International
International Network of Liberal Women

(g) To note that the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations decided to close without prejudice consideration of the requests for consultative status made by the following twenty non-governmental organizations, after those organizations had failed, after three reminders from the Non-Governmental Organizations Branch of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of the Secretariat over the course of two consecutive sessions of the Committee, to respond to questions put to them by the Committee:

A Better Life Foundation
alpesandes.org
American Bible Society
American Council for World Jewry
Baidarie
Clean Up Australia
Creating Resources for Empowerment in Action
Ehsaas Foundation
Fundación Mamonal
Gender Links
General Forum of the Arabic and African Non-Governmental Organizations
GGS Institute of Information Communication Technology India
International Council for Human Rights
International Institute of Security and Safety Management
Kashmiri American Council
Korean Bar Association
Mahabodhi International Meditation Centre
Society for Research in Child Development
World Buddhist Supreme Tathagata Followers Peace Foundation
Zambian International Health Alliance

(h) To note that the Committee decided to close consideration of the request for consultative status made by the non-governmental organization Movement against Atrocities and Repression.