ECOSOC Decision 2002/201 B

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

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 29 April 2002, the Economic and Social Council took the following action with regard to vacancies in its subsidiary and related bodies:

Elections

Statistical Commission

The Council elected Costa Rica for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2005.

Commission on Population and Development

The Council elected the following eight Member States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Bolivia, Democratic Republic of the Congo, El Salvador, Hungary, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Luxembourg, Mauritania and Philippines.

The Council also elected India to fill a postponed vacancy for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2005.

The Council postponed to a future session the election of two members from Asian States for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2005 and further postponed to a future session the election of two members from Latin American and Caribbean States for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2004.

Commission for Social Development

The Council elected the following thirteen Member States for a term beginning at the organizational meeting of the Commission’s forty-second session in 2003 and expiring at the close of the Commission’s forty-fifth session in 2007: Argentina, Central African Republic, Dominican Republic, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malta, Pakistan, Senegal, Spain, Suriname, Turkey and Zambia.

The Council postponed to a future session the election of one member from Eastern European States for a term beginning at the organizational meeting of the Commission’s forty-second session in 2003 and expiring at the close of the Commission’s forty-fifth session in 2007.

Commission on Human Rights

The Council elected the following fifteen Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Burkina Faso, China, Gabon, Germany, Ireland, Japan,
Paraguay, Sri Lanka, Swaziland, Ukraine, United States of America and Zimbabwe.

Commission on the Status of Women

The Council elected the following ten Member States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Algeria, Belgium, Bolivia, Canada, Congo, India, Nigeria, Russian Federation, Thailand and Turkey.

The Council postponed to a future session the election of one member from Eastern European States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003.

Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice

The Council elected the following twenty Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Algeria, Austria, Central African Republic, China, Croatia, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Gambia, Germany, Italy, Japan, Mauritania, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Peru, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Sudan, Uganda and Zambia.

Commission on Sustainable Development

The Council elected the following sixteen Member States for a term beginning at the organizational meeting of the Commission's twelfth session in 2003 and expiring at the close of the Commission's fourteenth session in 2006: Australia, Ethiopia, Fiji, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Hungary, Jamaica, Japan, Netherlands, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Sudan, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

The Council also elected the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Gabon to fill two postponed vacancies on the Commission for a term beginning at the organizational meeting of the Commission's eleventh session in 2002 and expiring at the close of the Commission’s thirteenth session in 2005.

Commission on Science and Technology for Development

The Council elected the following thirteen Member States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Bangladesh, Belarus, Chile, China, Ethiopia, Germany, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Lesotho, Morocco, Paraguay, Romania and Sudan.

The Council postponed to a future session the election of one member from Latin American and Caribbean States and three members from Western European and other States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003.

Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 56/206 of 21 December 2001, the Council elected the following eighteen Member States for a
four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Argentina, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Chile, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Japan, Malawi, Netherlands, Pakistan, Poland, Russian Federation, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

The Council postponed to a future session the election of one member from African States and one member from Latin American and Caribbean States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003.

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

The Council elected the following nineteen Member States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Cameroon, Chile, China, Colombia, Comoros, Côte d’Ivoire, Cuba, France, Germany, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Pakistan, Peru, Romania, Russian Federation, Senegal, Turkey, United States of America and Zimbabwe.

Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting

The Council elected the following nine Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: China, France, Germany, Namibia, Niger, Russian Federation, South Africa, Uganda and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The Council postponed to a future session the election of one member from African States, two members from Asian States, three members from Latin American and Caribbean States and six members from Western European and other States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003.

Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights

The Council elected the following eight experts for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Clément Atangana (Cameroon), Virginia Bonoan-Dandan (Philippines), Maria Virginia Bras Gomes (Portugal), Azzouz Kerdoun (Algeria), Yuri Kolosov (Russian Federation), Jaime Marchan Romero (Ecuador), Eibe Riedel (Germany) and Alvaro Tirado Mejia (Colombia).

The Council postponed to a future session the election of one member from Asian States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources for Development

The Council postponed to a future session the election of twenty-four experts to the Committee for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2003.

Executive Board of the United Nations Children’s Fund

The Council elected the following eleven Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Canada, Eritrea,
Germany, Ghana, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Nicaragua, Peru, Republic of Moldova, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

The Council decided that France, Netherlands and Norway, which were resigning their seats on the Board effective 1 January 2003, would be replaced, respectively, by Spain, for a term expiring on 31 December 2004, Luxembourg, for a term expiring on 31 December 2004, and Denmark, for a term expiring on 31 December 2003.

Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

The Council elected Ecuador, Guinea, New Zealand and Yugoslavia, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 56/133 of 19 December 2001.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund

The Council elected the following eleven Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Australia, Cape Verde, El Salvador, India, Italy, Japan, Nepal, Norway, Russian Federation, Tunisia and Uruguay.

The Council decided that Luxembourg, Spain and Turkey, which were resigning their seats on the Board, would be replaced, respectively, by Sweden, France and Germany, for a term beginning on 1 January 2003 and expiring on 31 December 2003.

Executive Board of the World Food Programme

The Council elected the following five Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Iran (Islamic Republic of), Japan, Malawi, Mexico and Sweden.

The Council postponed to a future session the election of one member from List E, as set out in the Basic Texts of the World Food Programme, for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003.

Programme Coordination Board of the Joint United Nations Programme on Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (HIV/AIDS) (UNAIDS)

The Council elected the following five Member States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Canada, Côte d’Ivoire, Denmark, Guatemala and Myanmar.

The Council decided that Greece and Italy, which were resigning their seats on the Board, would be replaced, respectively, by Canada, for a term beginning on 1 May 2002 and expiring on 31 December 2002, and Ireland, for a term beginning on 1 January 2003 and expiring on 31 December 2003.

Nominations
Committee for Programme and Coordination

The Council nominated the following seventeen Member States for election by the General Assembly at its fifty-seventh session for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003: Argentina, Armenia, Benin, Brazil, Central African Republic, Cuba, Gabon, Germany, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Nicaragua, Pakistan, Republic of Moldova, South Africa, Ukraine and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The Council postponed to a future session the nomination of three members from Western European and other States for election by the General Assembly for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2003.

Appointments

Committee of Experts on Public Administration

Pursuant to its resolution 2001/45 of 20 December 2001, the Council approved the nomination by the Secretary-General of the following twenty-four experts for a term beginning on the date of election and expiring on 31 December 2005: Jaime Rodriguez Arana-Munoz (Spain), Marie-Françoise Bechtel (France), Rachid Benmokhtar Benabdellah (Morocco), Jocelyne Bourgon (Canada), Luiz Carlos Bresser-Pereira (Brazil), Petrus Compton (Saint Lucia), Giuseppe Franco Ferrari (Italy), Geraldine Fraser-Moleketi (South Africa), Werner Jann (Germany), Jin Liqun (China), Barbara Kudrycka (Poland), Gonzalo D. Martner Fanta (Chile), Kuldeep Mathur (India), Atangana Mebara (Cameroon), Bechara Merhej (Lebanon), Jose Oscar Monteiro (Mozambique), Akira Nakamura (Japan), Apolo Nsibambi (Uganda), Dennis Rondinelli (United States of America), Otton Solis-Fallas (Costa Rica), Patricia Sto. Tomas (Philippines), Sakhir Thiam (Senegal), Borwornsak Uwanno (Thailand) and Volodymyr Yatsuba (Ukraine).

Board of Trustees of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women

The Council appointed Ergül Tunçbilek (Turkey) and Lulwa A. Al-Misned (Qatar) to the Board for a three-year term beginning on 1 July 2002.

The Council postponed to a future session the appointment of one member from African States for a three-year term beginning on 1 July 2002.