ECOSOC Decision 2006/267

Enlargement of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development

At its 48th meeting, on 15 December 2006, the Economic and Social Council, recalling its resolution 2006/46 of 28 July 2006, in which it decided, inter alia, that the Commission on Science and Technology for Development should be enlarged by the inclusion of ten new members:

- (a) Decided that the distribution of the ten new seats on the Commission will be as follows:
 - (i) Three seats for the Group of African States;
 - (ii) Two seats for the Group of Asian States;
 - (iii) One seat for the Group of Eastern European States;
- (iv) Two seats for the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States;
- (v) Two seats for the Group of Western European and Other States;
- (b) Also decided that, initially, the terms of office of the new members should coincide with the existing terms of membership, the dates to be determined by lot for each region;
- (c) Further decided that the elections of the ten new members of the Commission would be held at the organizational session of the Council in February 2007.