

Decision type	Elections and Appointments		
Decision number	2023/206		
Decision title	Election: International Narcotics Control Board (from among candidates nominated by Governments)		
Agenda item	4		
Date of adoption	7 Dec 2022	Plenary meeting	4th plenary meeting
Originating body	ECOSOC		
Decision text	<p>At its 4th plenary meeting, on 7 December 2022, the Economic and Social Council, in accordance with article 9, paragraph 1, of the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961 as amended by the 1972 Protocol⁺⁺, elected Pavel Pachta (Czechia) , by secret ballot, as a member of the International Narcotics Control Board from among the candidates nominated by Governments, for a term of office beginning on 7 December 2022 and expiring on 1 March 2025, to fill a vacancy arising from the resignation of Richard Muscat (Malta).</p> <p>As a result, as of 7 December 2022, the International Narcotics Control Board is composed of the following 13 members: César T. ARCE RIVAS (Paraguay)*, Sevil ATASOY (Türkiye)**, Cornelis de JONCHEERE (Netherlands)**, David T. JOHNSON (United States of America)**, Galina KORCHAGINA (Russian Federation)**, Bernard LEROY (France)*, LU Lin (China)**, Richard P. MATTICK (Australia)**, Pavel Pachta (Czechia) *, Jagjit PAVADIA (India)*, Nirinomenjanahary Larissa RAZANADIMBY (Madagascar)**, Jallal TOUFIQ (Morocco)* and Zukiswa ZINGELA (South Africa)*.</p>		
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