

Elections and Appointments

2024/201 A, B, C and D

Election: Commission on Population and Development

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24 Jul 2024

Plenary meeting

38th plenary meeting

9 Apr 2024

12th plenary meeting

5 Dec 2023

4th plenary meeting

26 Oct 2023

3rd plenary meeting

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A

At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 26 October 2023, the Economic and Social Council in accordance with its decisions 1995/230 of 12 December 1995 and 2005/213 of 31 March 2005, elected, by acclamation, SERBIA, as a member of the Commission on Population and Development for a term of office beginning on 26 October 2023 and expiring at the close of the sixtieth session of the Commission in 2027.

As a result, as of the first meeting of the Commission's fifty-eighth session in 2024, the Commission on Population and Development is composed of the following 41 Member States:

ARGENTINA **, AUSTRALIA*, BELARUS ****, BELGIUM*, BOTSWANA*, BURUNDI****, CHAD **, CHINA**, COMOROS*, COSTA RICA*, CUBA*, DENMARK*, ETHIOPIA*, FINLAND****, THE GAMBIA ***, HONDURAS**, INDIA*, INDONESIA **, IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)***, ISRAEL ***, JAMAICA****, JAPAN*, KENYA **, LUXEMBOURG****, MAURITANIA**, MEXICO*, MOROCCO **, NETHERLANDS (KINGDOM OF THE) **, NIGERIA ***, PAKISTAN **, PANAMA ***, PHILIPPINES*, PORTUGAL **, REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA*, RUSSIAN FEDERATION**, SAUDI ARABIA **, SERBIA***, TAJIKISTAN ***, UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND*, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA** and URUGUAY ***

*Term of office expires at the close of the fifty-eighth session in 2025

** Term of office expires at the close of the fifty-ninth session in 2026

*** Term of office expires at the close of the sixtieth session in 2027

**** Term of office expires at the close of the sixty-first session in 2028

As of 26 October 2023, the following six vacancies remain to be filled on the Commission: one vacancy from Eastern European States and one vacancy from Latin American and Caribbean States for a term of office beginning on the date of election and expiring at the close of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission in 2026, and two vacancies from African States and two vacancies from Asia-Pacific States for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the fifty-eighth session of the Commission in 2024 and expiring at the close of the sixty-first session of the Commission in 2028.

B

At its 4th plenary meeting, on 5 December 2023, the Economic and Social Council in accordance with its decisions 1995/230 of 12 December 1995 and 2005/213 of 31 March 2005, elected, by acclamation, PERU and TURKMENISTAN, as members of the Commission on Population and Development as follows: PERU for a term of office beginning on 5 December 2023 and expiring at the close of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission in 2026; and TURKMENISTAN for a four-year term beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's fifty-eighth session in 2024 and expiring at the close of the Commission's sixty-first session in 2028.

As a result, as of the first meeting of the Commission's fifty-eighth session in 2024, the Commission on Population and Development is composed of the following 43 Member States:

ARGENTINA **, AUSTRALIA*, BELARUS ****, BELGIUM*, BOTSWANA*, BURUNDI****, CHAD **, CHINA**, COMOROS*, COSTA RICA*, CUBA*, DENMARK*, ETHIOPIA*, FINLAND****, THE GAMBIA ***, HONDURAS**, INDIA*, INDONESIA **, IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)***, ISRAEL ***, JAMAICA****, JAPAN*, KENYA **, LUXEMBOURG****, MAURITANIA**, MEXICO*, MOROCCO **, NETHERLANDS (KINGDOM OF THE) **, NIGERIA ***, PAKISTAN **, PANAMA ***, PERU**, PHILIPPINES*, PORTUGAL **, REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA*, RUSSIAN FEDERATION**, SAUDI ARABIA **, SERBIA***, TAJIKISTAN ***, TURKMENISTAN****, UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND*, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA** and URUGUAY ***

*Term of office expires at the close of the fifty-eighth session in 2025

** Term of office expires at the close of the fifty-ninth session in 2026

*** Term of office expires at the close of the sixtieth session in 2027

**** Term of office expires at the close of the sixty-first session in 2028

As of 5 December 2023, the following four vacancies remain to be filled on the Commission: one vacancy from Eastern European States for a term of office beginning on the date of election and expiring at the close of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission in 2026, and two vacancies from African States and one vacancy from Asia-Pacific States for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the fifty-eighth session of the Commission in 2024 and expiring at the close of the sixty-first session of the Commission in 2028.

C

At its 12th plenary meeting, on 9 April 2024, the Economic and Social Council, in accordance with its decisions 1995/230 of 12 December 1995 and 2005/213 of 31 March 2005, elected, by acclamation, AUSTRALIA, BELGIUM, CANADA, GERMANY, HAITI and MALAWI, as members of the Commission on Population and Development for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission, in 2025, and expiring at the close of the sixty-second session, in 2029, to fill vacancies occurring on the expiration of the terms of office of AUSTRALIA, BELGIUM, BOTSWANA, COMOROS, COSTA RICA, CUBA, DENMARK, ETHIOPIA, INDIA, JAPAN, MEXICO, PHILIPPINES, REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA and UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND.

The Council also elected, by acclamation, LEBANON as a member of the Commission on Population and Development for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the fifty-eighth session of the Commission in 2024 and expiring at the close of the sixty-first session in 2028.

As a result, as of the first meeting of the fifty-ninth session in 2025, the Commission on Population and Development is composed of the following 36 Member States:

ARGENTINA *, AUSTRALIA**** BELARUS ***, BELGIUM****, BURUNDI***, CANADA****, CHAD *, CHINA*, FINLAND***, GAMBIA **, GERMANY****, HAITI****, HONDURAS*, INDONESIA *, IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)***, ISRAEL **, JAMAICA***, KENYA *, LEBANON***, LUXEMBOURG***, MALAWI****, MAURITANIA*, MOROCCO *, NETHERLANDS (KINGDOM OF THE) *, NIGERIA **, PAKISTAN *, PANAMA **, PERU*, PORTUGAL *, RUSSIAN FEDERATION*, SAUDI ARABIA *, SERBIA**, TAJIKISTAN **, TURKMENISTAN***, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA* and URUGUAY **

* Term of office expires at the close of the fifty-ninth session in 2026

** Term of office expires at the close of the sixtieth session in 2027

*** Term of office expires at the close of the sixty-first session in 2028

**** Term of office expires at the close of the sixty-second session in 2029

As of 9 April 2024, the following eleven vacancies remain to be filled on the Commission on Population and Development: one for a member from Eastern European States for a term of office beginning on the date of election and expiring at the close of the fifty-ninth session, in 2026; two for members from African States for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the fifty-eighth session in 2024 and expiring at the close of the sixty-first session, in 2028; and two members from African States, three members from Asia-Pacific States, one member from Eastern European States and two members from Latin American and Caribbean States for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the fifty-ninth session, in 2025 and expiring at the close of the sixty-second session, in 2029.

D

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 24 July 2024, the Economic and Social Council, in accordance with its decisions 1995/230 of 12 December 1995 and 2005/213 of 31 March 2005, elected, by acclamation, COLOMBIA, as a member of the Commission on Population and Development for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the fifty-ninth session of the Commission, in 2025, and expiring at the close of the sixty-second session of the Commission, in 2029.

As a result, as of the first meeting of the fifty-ninth session in 2025, the Commission on Population and Development is composed of the following 37 Member States:

ARGENTINA *, AUSTRALIA**** BELARUS ***, BELGIUM****, BURUNDI***, CANADA****, CHAD *, CHINA*, COLOMBIA ****, FINLAND***, GAMBIA **, GERMANY****, HAITI****, HONDURAS*, INDONESIA *, IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)***, ISRAEL **, JAMAICA***, KENYA *, LEBANON***, LUXEMBOURG***, MALAWI****, MAURITANIA*, MOROCCO *, NETHERLANDS (KINGDOM OF THE) *, NIGERIA **, PAKISTAN *, PANAMA **, PERU*, PORTUGAL *, RUSSIAN FEDERATION*, SAUDI ARABIA *, SERBIA**, TAJIKISTAN **, TURKMENISTAN***, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA* and URUGUAY **

* Term of office expires at the close of the fifty-ninth session in 2026

** Term of office expires at the close of the sixtieth session in 2027

*** Term of office expires at the close of the sixty-first session in 2028

**** Term of office expires at the close of the sixty-second session in 2029

As of 24 July 2024, the following ten vacancies remain to be filled on the Commission on Population and Development: one for a member from Eastern European States for a term of office beginning on the date of election and expiring at the close of the fifty-ninth session, in 2026; two for members from African States for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the fifty-eighth session in 2024 and expiring at the close of the sixty-first session, in 2028; and two members from African States, three members from Asia-Pacific States, one member from Eastern European States and one member from Latin American and Caribbean States for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the fifty-ninth session, in 2025 and expiring at the close of the sixty-second session, in 2029.