

Elections and Appointments

2024/211

Election: Commission on the Status of Women

4

9 Apr 2024

Plenary meeting

12th plenary meeting

ECOSOC

At its 12th plenary meeting, on 9 April 2024, the Economic and Social Council, in accordance with its decision 2002/234 of 24 July 2002, elected, by acclamation, BELIZE, CHILE, ETHIOPIA, INDIA, ITALY, LITHUANIA, NIGERIA, PHILIPPINES, SOUTH AFRICA, UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND and UNITED STATES OF AMERICA as members of the Commission on the Status of Women for a four-year term of office beginning at the first meeting of the seventieth session of the Commission in 2025, and expiring at the close of the seventy-third session in 2029 to fill vacancies occurring on the expiration of the terms of office of: AFGHANISTAN, ARGENTINA, AUSTRIA, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, INDIA, ISRAEL, LATVIA, MOROCCO, NIGERIA, TÜRKIYE and ZAMBIA.

As a result, as of the first meeting of the seventieth session in 2025, the Commission on the Status of Women is composed of the following 44 Member States:

ALGERIA*, BANGLADESH***, BELGIUM***, BELIZE****, BOLIVIA (PLURINATIONAL STATE OF)***, BRAZIL***, CABO VERDE *, CHILE****, CHINA *, COLOMBIA***, COSTA RICA *, CÔTE D'IVOIRE**, CUBA**, CZECHIA**, DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO**, EGYPT *, ETHIOPIA****, INDIA****, ITALY****, JAPAN*, LEBANON *, LIECHTENSTEIN**, LITHUANIA****, MALI***, MAURITANIA *, MOZAMBIQUE**, NETHERLANDS (KINGDOM OF THE)***, NIGERIA****, PAKISTAN *, PANAMA *, PHILIPPINES****, PORTUGAL**, REPUBLIC OF KOREA**, ROMANIA***, RWANDA***, SAUDI ARABIA**, SOUTH AFRICA****, SPAIN**, SRI LANKA***, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO *, TUNISIA *, UKRAINE **, UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND**** and UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**** .

* Term of office expires at the close of the seventieth session in 2026

** Term of office expires at the close of the seventy-first session in 2027

*** Term of office expires at the close of the seventy-second session in 2028

**** Term of office expires at the close of the seventy-third session in 2029

As of 9 April 2024, one vacancy remains to be filled on the Commission on the Status of Women for a member from Asia-Pacific States for a term of office beginning on the date of election and expiring at the close of the seventieth session of the Commission in 2026.