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Items 5 and 6 of the provisional agenda
Election, in accordance with articles 28–34 of the
International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights
of nine members of the Human Rights Committee to
replace those whose terms are due to expire on
31 December 2014 and a by election to fill one
vacancy for a term expiring on 31 December 2016

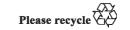
Election of nine members of the Human Rights Committee to replace those whose terms expire on 31 December 2014 and by-election to fill one vacancy created by the resignation of Kheshoe Parsad Matadeen (Mauritius) whose term was due to expire on 31 December 2016

Note by the Secretary-General

- 1. In conformity with articles 28–32 of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, the thirty-fourth Meeting of States Parties to the Covenant will be convened by the Secretary-General at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 24 June 2014, for the purpose of:
- (a) Electing nine members of the Human Rights Committee (see annexes I–IX) to replace those whose terms are due to expire on 31 December 2014; and
- (b) Electing one member in a by-election to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Kheshoe Parsad Matadeen (see annex X).
- 2. In a letter dated 9 January 2014, Kheshoe Parsad Matadeen (Mauritius), who was elected at the thirty-second Meeting of States Parties to the Covenant held on 6 September 2012 for a term that was due to expire on 31 December 2016, submitted his resignation from the Committee effective from 9 January 2014. In a letter dated 13 January 2014, the Chairperson of the Human Rights Committee informed the Secretary-General accordingly.
- 3. The annexes contain the curricula vitae of the persons whose nominations had been received by the secretariat by the end of the day, 21 March 2014. Nominations received after that date will be issued in addenda to the present document.

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I. Members whose terms expire on 31 December 2014

4. The terms of the Committee members listed below expire on 31 December 2014. Members eligible for re-election under the Committee's rules of procedure are identified with an asterisk (*).

Name of member	Country of nationality
Mr. Yadh Ben Achour*	Tunisia
Ms. Christine Chanet	France
Mr. Cornelis Flinterman*	Netherlands
Mr. Yuji Iwasawa *	Japan
Mr. Walter Kälin	Switzerland
Ms. Zonke Zanele Majodina	South Africa
Mr. Andrei Paul Zlãtescu	Romania
Mr. Gerald L. Neuman	United States of America
Ms. Margo Waterval*	Suriname

II. List of candidates nominated by States parties for the regular election

- 5. In accordance with article 30, paragraph 2, of the Covenant, the Secretary-General, in a note verbale dated 21 January 2014, invited the States parties to submit, in conformity with articles 29 of the Covenant, their nominations for the regular election of nine members and the by-election for one member of the Committee within two months, i.e., by 21 March 2014.
- 6. Pursuant to article 30, paragraph 3, of the Covenant, listed below, in alphabetical order, are the names of the nominees and the State parties that nominated them. Biographical data (curricula vitae) on the nominees, as furnished by the States parties concerned, are contained in annexes I–IX to the present document.

Name of candidate	Nominated by
Mr. Yadh Ben Achour	Tunisia
Ms. Sarah H. Cleveland	United States of America
Mr. Olivier De Frouville	France
Mr. Cornelis Flinterman	Netherlands
Mr. Yuji Iwasawa	Japan
Ms. Ivana Jelic	Montenegro
Mr. Duncan Muhumuza Laki	Uganda
Ms. Photini Pazartzis	Greece
Ms. Margo Waterval	Suriname

III. List of candidates nominated by States parties for the by-election

- 7. In accordance with article 34, paragraph 1, of the Covenant, the Secretary-General, in a note verbale dated 21 January 2014, invited the States parties to submit, in conformity with articles 29 of the Covenant, their nominations for the by-election of one member of the Committee within two months, i.e., by 21 March 2014.
- 8. Pursuant to article 34, paragraph 2, of the Covenant, listed below is the names of the nominee and the State party that nominated him. Biographical data (curriculum vitae) on the nominee, as furnished by the States party concerned, are contained in annex X to the present document.

Name of member	Country of nationality
Mr. Dheerujlall Baramlall Seetulsingh	Mauritius

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Annexes*

Annex I

Yadh Ben Achour (Tunisia)

Date and place of birth: 1 June 1945, La Marsa (Tunisia)

Working languages: French, Arabic

Current position/function

Professor, Tunis Faculty of Juridical Sciences

Main professional activities

Courses on constitutional law, administrative law and international relations; research in the same fields, with the publication of 12 books and more than 86 articles; member of several academic search committees for the recruitment of professors and assistant professors; director of several doctoral dissertations; participant in numerous academic activities and endeavours; speaker at numerous seminars and colloquia; former Dean of the Tunis Faculty of Juridical, Political and Social Sciences.

Educational background

Doctorat d'État en droit (PhD in Law) from the Paris Law Faculty; subsequently awarded the agrégation (higher education teaching qualification) and full professorship in public law; Doctor honoris causa from Laurentian University (Canada); Diplôme d'études supérieures (DES) in public law (postgraduate degree) and DES in political science from the Paris Law Faculty.

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

Former chairperson of the High Authority for the Achievement of the Goals of the Revolution, Political Reform and Democratic Transition of Tunisia.

List of most recent publications in the field

- Administrative disputes (in Arabic). Tunis: CERES publishers, 1995, 2nd ed. 1998, 3rd ed. 2006;
- La Cour européenne des droits de l'homme et la liberté de religion. Paris: Pedone, 2005;
- Aux fondements de l'orthodoxie sunnite. Paris: PUF, 2008; Tunis: CERES publishers, 2009;
- L'islam et la Cour européenne des droits de l'homme. Revue générale de droit international public, No. 2 (April–June 2007), pp. 387–406;
- Islam et droits de l'homme. In *L'odyssée des droits de l'homme*, vol. I, *Fondations et naissances des droits de l'homme*, J. Ferrand and H. Petit, eds., L'Harmattan, Librairie des Humanités collection, 2004, pp. 113–129;
- Les droits de l'homme et leurs contraires. *Revue Aspects*, special issue (2008), pp. 113–114.

^{*} The full curricula vitae of the candidates as submitted by the relevant State party can be consulted on the website of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/CCPR/Pages/Elections34th.aspx.

Annex II

Sarah H. Cleveland (United States of America)

Date and place of birth: 4 September 1965, Washington D.C.

Working languages: English

Current position/function

Louis Henkin Professor of Human and Constitutional Rights, and Faculty Co-Director, Human Rights Institute, Columbia Law School (since 2007). Teaching and research in International and Comparative Human Rights, International Humanitarian Law, National Security Law, and Foreign Affairs and the United States Constitution. Co-Director, Project on Harmonizing Standards for Armed Conflict; Faculty Coordinator, project on strengthening rule of law in Myanmar; Board Member, *Columbia Journal of Transnational Law*.

Main professional activities

Member, European Commission for Democracy through Law (Venice Commission) (since 2013); Observer Member (2010–2013).

Co-Coordinating Reporter, American Law Institute, Restatement (Fourth) of the Foreign Relations Law of the United States (since 2012).

Counselor on International Law to the Legal Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, United States Department of State (2009–2011).

Prior Faculty Positions: Harvard Law School (2006–2007); Columbia Law School (2005–2006); University of Michigan Law School (2004); University of Texas School of Law (1997–2007); Oxford University (July 2006, July 2007).

Law Clerk to Associate Justice Harry A. Blackmun, United States Supreme Court (1993–1994).

Educational background

Honors A.B. (Independent) Law & Mental Health, *Magna Cum Laude* and *Phi Beta Kappa*, Brown University (1987).

M.St., British Imperial & Commonwealth History; Rhodes Scholar, Lincoln College, Oxford University (1989).

J.D., Yale Law School (1992).

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

Attorney-Adviser International (Expert), United States Department of State (2011–2013).

International Bar Association Human Rights Institute, Council Member (since 2013).

American Society of International Law (since 1998).

External Legal Advisory Group on BICI human rights implementation, Kingdom of Bahrain (2012).

United States-China Legal Experts Dialogue, public member of United States delegation (2012, 2013).

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Aspen Institute Judicial Training Seminars in International Human Rights Law (2007–2009, 2012).

Journal of International Economic Law, Board of Editors (since 2004).

Co-Founder and Coordinator, Working Group on Detention Without Trial (2008–2009).

Expert, ABA Afghanistan Transitional Labor Law Project Working Group (2003).

Faculty Director, Transnational Worker Rights Clinic (2004–2007); Co-Founder, Rapoport Center for Human Rights & Justice, University of Texas School of Law (2004).

Migrant Farmworker Justice Project, Florida Legal Services, Skadden Fellow (1994–1996).

List of most recent publications in the field

Human Rights (with Louis Henkin, et al.) (2d ed. 2009) & Supplement (2013); "The Kiobel Presumption and Extraterritoriality", 52 Colum. J. Transnat'l L. 8 (2013); "Embedded International Law and the Constitution Abroad", 110 Colum. L. Rev. 101 (2010); "Our International Constitution", 31 Yale J. Int'l L. 1 (Winter 2006); "Why International Labor Standards?", in International Labor Standards: Globalization, Trade and Public Policy (2003); "Human Rights Sanctions and International Trade: A Theory of Compatibility", 5 J. Int'l Econ. L. 133 (2002); "Powers Inherent in Sovereignty: Indians, Aliens, Territories, and the Nineteenth-Century Origins of Plenary Power over Foreign Relations", 81 Texas L. Rev. 1 (2002); "Norm Internalization and U.S. Economic Sanctions", 26 Yale J. Int'l L. 1 (2001).

Annex III

Olivier de Frouville (France)

Date and place of birth: 28 February 1972, Boulogne-Billancourt, France

Working languages: French, English

Current position/function

Professor of International Law at the University of Panthéon-Assas (Paris 2). Deputy Director of the Centre of Research on Human Rights and Humanitarian Law of University Panthéon-Assas. Member of the French University Institute (IUF). Member and former Chair-Rapporteur of the United Nations Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances. Member of the French National Human Rights Commission (CNCDH).

Main professional activities

2006–2012 Professor at the University of Montpellier, member of the European Human Rights Law Institute (IDEDH), lecturing on international human rights law, international law, international relations, constitutional law, international criminal law; 2002–2006 Senior Lecturer at the University of Paris Ouest-La Défense (Nanterre), lecturing in human rights law, international criminal law and administrative law; 1994–2002 Junior Lecturer at the University of Paris Ouest-La Défense (Nanterre), lecturing in international human rights law, constitutional law, administrative law; 2012–2013, Visiting Fellow at Clare Hall College and at the Lauterpacht Centre for International Law of the University of Cambridge, United Kingdom; 2005–2006 and 2008–2012, Guest Professor at the Geneva Academy of International Humanitarian Law and Human Rights in Geneva, lecturing in international criminal law.

Educational background

2006: *Agrégation de droit public* (professorship); 2005: Habilitation à diriger les recherches (PhD supervisor habilitation); 2001: Doctorat de droit public (PhD), avec les felicitations du jury à l'unanimité et proposition de publication. The PhD thesis was honored with three awards. 1994: Master in human rights law.

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

Lecturer at the French Ecole de Guerre (2013 and 2014) on the law of international armed conflict; Lecturer at Sciences Po-Paris on *The Global System for the Protection of Human Rights*; Lecturer at Ecole Nationale d'Administration (ENA) on "The UN Covenants on Human Rights" (2000 and 2002), "Enforced disappearances" (2012) and "Theory of human rights" (2013); participant in the Academic Network between the European Union and China (2004); representative of the International Federation for Human Rights (FIDH) in the Open-ended Working Group of the Commission on Human Rights in charge of drafting a binding instrument on enforced disappearances (2003–2005); representative of FIDH in the Open-ended Working Group of the Commission on Human Rights in charge of drafting a "Declaration for the protection of Human Rights Defenders" (1995–1998).

List of most recent publications in the field

• "Le droit de l'Homme à la vérité en droit international: à propos de quelques considérations inactuelles", in Olivier Guerrier (dir.), *La vérité* (*Actes du colloque de l'I.U.F. tenu à Toulouse les 2, 3, 4 avril 2013*), Publications de l'Université Saint-Etienne, 2013, pp. 131–169;

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- "Les instruments universels de protection des migrants: quelle effectivité?", communication lors du *colloque* du CERIC, Université Paul Cézanne, Aix-Marseille III, *La société internationale face aux défis migratoires*, 13–14 janvier 2011, Paris, Pedone, 2012, pp. 93–115;
- "The influence of the European Court of Human Rights' case law on international criminal law: torture and inhuman or degrading treatments", *Journal of International Criminal Justice*, 2011, vol. 9, No. 3, pp. 633–649;
- "Building a Universal System for the Protection of Human Rights: The Way Forward", in C. Bassiouni, W.A. Schabas, *New Challenges for the UN Human Rights Machinery*, Cambridge, Intersentia, 2011, pp. 229–253;
- "Le Comité des droits de l'Homme. Commentaires des articles 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39 et 45", in E. Decaux (dir.), *Commentaire article par article du Pacte international relatif aux droits civils et politiques*, Paris, Economica, 2010, pp. 627–696 et pp. 767–775.

Annex IV

Cornelis Flinterman (Netherlands)

Date and place of birth: 3 November 1944

Working languages: English, French

Current position/function

Emeritus professor of human rights, Utrecht University, the Netherlands.

Honorary professor of human rights, Maastricht University, the Netherlands.

Member of the Human Rights Committee.

Main professional activities

(Senior) Lecturer in constitutional and administrative law, Leiden University, the Netherlands (1969–1970, 1971–1974, 1974–1978).

Visiting Lecturer in comparative law and research fellow, University of Ghana and Ghana Law Reform Commission, Ghana (1974–1976).

Civil Servant (humanitarian and legal affairs desk), Netherlands Ministry of Foreign Affairs (1979–1982).

Professor of Constitutional and International Law, Maastricht University (1982–1998 (Dean of the Faculty of Law, 1984–1986).

Professor of Human Rights, Director of the Netherlands Institute of Human Rights and Director of the Netherlands School of Human Rights Research, Utrecht University (1998–2008).

Educational background

LL.M. degree, Leiden University, the Netherlands (1969).

LL.M. degree, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, United States of America (1971).

PhD degree, Leiden University, the Netherlands (1981).

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

(a) Current

Member of the Advisory Board on Responsible Investment of PGGM/PFZW (pension fund).

Member of the Board of the Netherlands Helsinki Committee.

Member of the Editorial Board of the Netherlands Quarterly of Human Rights.

Member of the Advisory Board of the Human Rights Quarterly (United States).

Member of the Advisory Board of the Maastricht Journal of European and Comparative Law.

Member of the Advisory Board of the African Human Rights Law Journal.

Member of the Advisory Board of the African Center for Democracy and Human Rights Studies, Banjul, the Gambia.

(b) Past (inter alia)

Alternate member of the UN Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and the Protection of Minorities (1986–1991).

Head of the delegation of the Kingdom of the Netherlands to the forty-ninth and fiftieth session of the Commission on Human Rights (1993–1994) and the Second World Conference on Human Rights (1993).

Vice-Chairman of the 49th session of the Commission on Human Rights.

Member of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women and member/chair of its Working Group on Communications (2003–2010).

Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Human Rights and Foreign Policy of the Netherlands (1992–1998).

Chair and/or member of the Human Rights Committee of the Advisory Council on International Affairs of the Netherlands (1998–2013).

List of most recent publications in the field:

Flinterman, C., and Schoepp-Schilling, B., eds., *The Circle of Empowerment. Twenty-five years of the UN Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women*, The Feminist Press, 2007.

Flinterman, C., Addink, G.H., Buyse, A.C., eds., *Sourcebook Human Rights and Good Governance*, SIM Special No. 34, Utrecht, 2010.

Flinterman, C., "Human Rights Law Status Report", in Grosheide, F.W., ed., *Intellectual Property and Human Rights: A Paradox*, Edward Elgar Publishing, 2010, pp 137–147.

Flinterman, C., "Reservations on CEDAW in Muslim Arab Countries", in Boerefijn, I., and Holtmaat, R., eds., *Women's Human Rights and Culture/Religion: International Standards as Guidelines for Discussion*, SIM Special No. 32, Utrecht, 2010, pp. 37–47.

Flinterman, C., Towards a Smaller European Court of Human Rights: Some Thoughts, in Gerards, J. and Terlouw, A., Amici Curiae, Wolf Legal Publishers, 2012, pp. 82–89.

Annex V

Yuji Iwasawa (Japan)

Date and place of birth: 4 June 1954; Tokyo, Japan

Working languages: Japanese, English, French, German, Chinese

Current position/function

Member, Human Rights Committee, since 2007; Chairperson (2009–2011), Vice-Chairperson (2011–2013), Special Rapporteur on case management (2012–2013); Special Rapporteur on follow-up to Views (2013–present).

Chair of International Law, University of Tokyo Faculty of Law, Japan.

Member of the Executive Council and Director for International Programmes, Japanese Society of International Law.

Member, Science Council of Japan.

General Editor, "International Law from Japanese Perspectives" Series (Nijhoff).

Main professional activities

Pleaded before the International Court of Justice as Counsel for Japan in the Whaling in the Antarctic Case (Australia v. Japan), 2013.

Judge, Asian Development Bank Administrative Tribunal, 2004–2013; Vice-President (2010–13).

Member (State-Nominated), Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues, 2002–2004.

Rapporteur, Committee on International Human Rights Law, International Law Association, 1995–2004; presented reports at biennial conferences of the Association, 1996 (Helsinki), 1998 (Taipei), 2000 (London), 2002 (New Delhi), 2004 (Berlin).

Lecturer, Hague Academy of International Law, 2002.

Member, Permanent Group of Experts under the World Trade Organization Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures, 2003–2008.

Visiting Fellow, Lauterpacht Research Centre for International Law, Cambridge, 1991–1993, 1997, 2000–01.

Read a paper in the Tokyo Session of the Institut de Droit International, 2013.

Arbitrator, Court of Arbitration for Sport, Lausanne, 1997–2006.

Educational background

1984-86: University of Virginia School of Law (S.J.D.).

1977-78: Harvard Law School (LL.M.).

1973–77: University of Tokyo Faculty of Law (LL.B.).

1983, 1990, 1992: Summer Session, Hague Academy of International Law.

1983: Study Session, International Institute of Human Rights (Strasbourg).

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

Read a paper at the Meeting of the Legal Advisers on "The Impact of Findings of the UN Human Rights Treaty Bodies on National Courts: Japanese Experiences", New York, 2013.

Member, Committee on International Human Rights Law, International Law Association, 1995–present; participated in special conferences of the Committee, 1999 (Bellagio), 2003 (Turku), 2006 (Maastricht).

Member, Executive Council, Japanese Society of International Human Rights Law, 2003–present.

Gave a lecture on "The Diversity of International Obligations" for the United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law, 2010.

Editor, Journal of Human Rights and the Environment.

Lecturer of International Human Rights Law, Asia-America Institute in Transnational Law, Hong Kong, 1996.

Lecturer on International Human Rights Law to Japanese judges, Tokyo, 2005-11.

Read a paper at an international conference on the "Enforcement of International Human Rights by Domestic Courts", Siena, 1993.

Read a paper at an international conference on the "Future of the UN Human Rights Treaty System", Cambridge, 1997.

Participated in the Expert Group Meeting on Disability organized by the United Nations, Berkeley, 1998.

List of most recent publications in the field

International Law, Human Rights, and Japanese Law: The Impact of International Law on Japanese Law (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1998).

Domestic Applicability of Treaties: What Are "Self-Executing" Treaties? (Tokyo, 1985) (in Japanese).

Lectures on International Law (co-edited, 2d ed., Tokyo, 2010) (in Japanese).

Dispute Settlement in the WTO (Tokyo, 1995) (in Japanese).

Trilateral Perspectives on International Legal Issues: Conflict and Coherence (co-edited, Washington, D.C.: Am. Soc'y Int'l L., 2003).

Trilateral Perspectives on International Legal Issues: Relevance of Domestic Law and Policy (co-edited, New York: Transnational Pub., 1996).

Annex VI

Ivana Jelic (Montenegro)

Date and place of birth: 17 March 1975, Podgorica, Montenegro **Working languages**: English, French, Italian and German (basic)

Current position/function

Chair in international human rights law, University of Montenegro Law School (2013–present); Member of the Advisory Committee on the Framework Convention for the Protection of National Minorities, Council of Europe, Strasbourg (2012–present); Vice-President of the Montenegrin Lawyers' Association, in charge of international and human rights law (2008–2012 and re-elected in 2013).

Main professional activities

Law Officer, International Committee of the Red Cross mission in Montenegro (1999–2001); teaching assistant, University of Montenegro Law School, (2001–2007).

Research fellow at the Human Rights Centre of the University of Montenegro (2001–2007).

International legal clinic coordinator, University of Montenegro Law School, (2005–present).

Assistant Professor of public international law and human rights law, University of Montenegro Law School (2008–2012); Professor of public international law and human rights law, University of Montenegro Law School, (2013–present), Adjunct Professor in public international law and human rights law, University of Montenegro Faculty of Political Science, (2008–present); Member of the Steering Committee for Human Rights of the Council of Europe (2008–2012) and visiting professor at several foreign universities (2008).

Educational background

Academic Degrees: BA in Law (cum laude), University of Montenegro Law School, 1998.

LLM. in public international law and human rights (cum laude), University of Belgrade.

Law School, 2004; PhD in public international law (cum laude), University of Belgrade.

Law School, 2007.

Specializations: University of California Berkeley, Boalt Law School, 2004–2005; Hague Academy of International Law, 2006; United Nations international law seminar, Geneva, 2008.

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

Expert member of various Council of Europe bodies in the field of human rights protection, as of 2008; Legal Counsel at the Ministry of Human and Minority Rights (2007–2012); member of the State Prosecutor's Council (2008–2012); member of the Court of Honour of the University of Montenegro (2012–present); coach of student teams for international moot court competitions in international human rights and humanitarian law (coach of the 2007 winning team of international humanitarian law international competition in Sarajevo); legal expert in projects funded by the European Union and the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development on technical assistance in the rule of law and democracy (2010–2012); Deputy Director of Straniak Academy for Democracy and Human

Rights (2013–2016, joint project of the Ludvig Boltzmann Institute for Human Rights in Vienna, University of Montenegro and University of Vienna); and since 2012 providing pro bono human rights legal aid to individuals in need.

List of most recent publications in the field

Human Rights and Multiculturalism (University of Montenegro Press, Podgorica, 2013).

"Minority rights protection and majority/minority relations in Montenegro" in *Challenge of Multiculturalism*, M. Podunavac, ed. (H. Boell Foundation, Belgrade, 2012).

"Rule of law and human rights protection in a multicultural State of the Western Balkans", in *Rule of Law*, *HR and EU*, N-J. Heintze and others, eds. (SEELS, GIZ GmbH, 2012, Skopje).

Novelty in the Politics of Human Rights Protection: Accession of the European Union to the European Convention on Human Rights (CIVIS, Podgorica, 2012).

"Right to property v. environmental protection: a Montenegro perspective" in *International Environmental Law: Contemporary Concerns and Challenges*, V. Sancin, ed. (Ljubljana, 2012).

Annex VII

Duncan Muhumuza Laki (Uganda)

Date and place of birth: 9 November 1962, Uganda

Working languages: English Current position/function

Legal Adviser Permanent Mission of Uganda to the United Nations: 2005-to date;

Main professional activities

Conducting legal audits (current and forensic) to ensure compliance with Finance Regulations by the Mission Accounting Officer.

Adviser to the Mission Finance Committee; Procurement Committee.

Coordinating the team for hosting the Review Conference of the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (2010).

Adviser to the Security Council team ensuring compliance with the mission charter during the tenure of Uganda (2009–2010).

Leader of the Ugandan delegation to several sessions of Human Rights Bodies. Advocate for the individual freedoms and human rights. Ensure periodic and timely reporting of human rights issues. Active participant in Assembly and Council deliberations leading to major milestones, such as the adoption of regulations on polymetallic sulphides; and agreement to seek advisory opinion of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea on the question of liability of sponsoring States.

Vice-Chairman, Finance Committee, International Seabed Authority, 2011-to date.

Vice-President, International Seabed Authority – Assembly, sixteenth session, (2010):

Highlighting the international seabed as a common heritage of mankind, including, to landlocked States.

Principal Partner, Muhumuza-Laki, Twesigire & Co. Advocates, Uganda, (1997-2005):

A leading law firm in Uganda specializing in human rights; representing clients with human rights related matters both in courts of law and the Uganda Human Rights Commission.

Legal Counsel Nile Bank Ltd., Uganda (1998).

Principal Legal Adviser of this leading banking institution.

Legal Advisor, Macroeconomic Policy Department, Min. of Finance, Uganda, (1996–1998).

Team Leader of the Working Group for establishing the capital markets regulation agency (precursor to the Uganda Capital Markets Authority).

Team Leader of the Working Group for establishing Post Bank Ltd., Uganda. A leading banking institution in the country.

Team Leader of the Working Group established to Restructure NPART Uganda. A Trust Fund established to recover all non-performing assets formerly belonging to restructured banking institutions.

Registrar of Titles - Ministry of Lands and Surveys (1986-1996).

Member of Luweero District Team and Planning Committee; Adviser on Post-Conflict Rehabilitation, Uganda.

Part-Time Lecturer - Uganda Cooperative College Bukalasa (1987-1990).

Part-Time Lecturer – Institute of Public Administration, (1986), Uganda.

Educational background

Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago-Kent College of Law – Master of Financial Services Law (LLM) 1991–1992.

Law Development Centre, Kampala – Postgraduate Diploma in Legal Practice (1984–1985).

Makerere University Kampala – Bachelor of Laws (LLB) (1981–1984).

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

Professional Membership in:

- Uganda Law Society (Bar Association);
- Advocate, Supreme Court of Uganda and all Courts Subordinate thereto;
- Admitted to the Bar, 1991, Uganda.

List of most recent publications in the field

"The Challenge of Privatisation in a Developing Economy – A case for a Uganda Stock Exchange", 1992.

"The Financial Crisis of the East Asian Economies – Economic power houses turned Paper Tigers?", 1997.

"A lawful sovereign act – Did Uganda commit international torts by Idi Amin's compulsory acquisition of departed Asians' properties?" Makerere University Kampala, 1984.

Annex VIII

Photini Pazartzis (Greece)

Date and place of birth: 28 June 1959, Athens, Greece

Working languages: Greek, English (fluent), French (fluent), Italian (working)

Current position/function

Associate Professor of International Law, Faculty of Law, University of Athens

Main professional activities

Visiting Fellow at the Lauterpacht Research Centre for International Law, University of Cambridge (1998), Director of Studies, Hague Academy of International Law (2003), Visiting Professor and Lecturer at various universities, including the Universities of Bordeaux, Vienna, Paris-I (Panthéon-Sorbonne), Paris-II (Panthéon-Assas), Oxford; Member of the Greek Delegation to the Sixth Committee of the General Assembly (1999–2007); Rapporteur of the Scientific Council of the Hellenic Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2005–2006), Advisor, Hellenic Ministry of Foreign Affairs (since 2010); Member of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) Court of Conciliation and Arbitration (2013–present); President of the Hellenic Branch of the International Law Association (since 2002).

Educational background

Doctorat d'Etat en droit, Université Paris-II (Pantheon-Assas), 1992.

D.E.A. in Public International Law, Université Paris-II (Pantheon-Assas), 1983.

BA Degree, University of Athens (1981).

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

Member (alternate) of the Hellenic National Committee for the Implementation and Dissemination of International Humanitarian Law (since 2000), Member of the Hellenic Council of Nationality (2009–2010, 2013–present), Member of the Drafting Committee of the Hellenic Ministry of Justice for the preparation of the legislation implementing the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (2009–2010), Member of the Governing Board of the Kalliopi Koufa Foundation for the Promotion of International and Human Rights Law (2012–present).

List of most recent publications in the field

La répression pénale des crimes internationaux, Paris, Pedone, 2007, La jurisprudence de la Cour internationale de justice, Paris, Pedone, 2008 (with P.-M. Eisemann, Prix Charles Aubert-Droit 2008, Institut de France, Académie des Sciences Morales et Politiques), The Judicial Function in International Law [forthcoming, 2014, in Greek], "Tribunaux pénaux internationalisés: une nouvelle approche de la justice pénale (inter)nationale?", A.F.D.I., 2003, pp. 395–495, "The Issue of Secession: the European Dimension", in M. Kohen (ed.), Secession: International Law Perspectives, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 2006, pp. 355–373, "Le droit coutumier revisité: quelque remarques à propos de l'étude du CICR sur le droit international humanitaire", in S. Perrakis & D. Marouda (eds.), Armed Conflicts and International Humanitarian Law, Athènes/Bruxelles, Ant. N. Sakkoulas/Bruylant, 2009, pp. 183–198, "La responsabilité internationale de l'Etat pour génocide: l'affaire du crime de génocide devant la CIJ", in A. Yotopoulos & P. Pazartzis (dir.), Le génocide revisité, Athènes-Bruxelles, Ant. N. Sakkoulas/Bruylant, 2010, pp. 65–82, "The Ambit and

Limits of the Advisory Function of the International Court of Justice", in E. Rieter and H. De Waele (eds.), *Evolving Principles of International Law. Studies in Honour of Karel C. Wellens*, Leiden/Boston, Martinus Nijhoff Publishers, 2012, pp. 265–280, "Judicial Activism and Judicial Self-Restraint: The PCIJ's *Lotus* Case", in C. Tams & M. Fitzmaurice (eds.), *Legacies of the Permanent Court of International Justice*, Leiden/Boston, Martinus Nijhoff Publishers, 2013, pp. 319–335.

Annex IX

Margo Waterval (Suriname)

Date and place of birth: 18 March 1948 Working languages: English, Dutch

Current position/function

Vice-Chairperson of the Human Rights Committee.

Lecturer of among other things Human Rights Law and International Humanitarian Law at the Anton de Kom University in Suriname.

Main professional activities

Lecturing Human Rights Law, International Humanitarian Law (IHL) and Diplomatic and Consular Relations at the Anton de Kom University of Suriname.

Supervising university law students in drafting their thesis.

Training students to participate in the International Moot Court Competition on the inter-American human rights system.

Training students to participate in the European International Model United Nations (TEIMUN).

Training of police officers in Human Rights Law.

Educational background

Graduated as a lawyer from the Anton de Kom University of Suriname in 1998.

Graduated as a human rights lawyer from the Washington College of Law, American University, Washington D.C., in 2001.

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

Participation as a member in the Human Rights Committee in 2011 and 2012.

Participation as vice-chairperson in the Human Rights Committee in 2013 and 2014 Member of the Bureau of the Human Rights Committee.

Presentation of several human rights subjects to local and international civil organizations.

List of most recent publications in the field

"Human Rights and Sustainable Development" – presentation for colleagues at the Anton de Kom University of Suriname, December 2013.

"Minority Rights" – presentation at the Ford Foundation, New York, March 2012.

"Human Rights in the Caribbean" – presentation on a seminar in Barbados, August 2011.

Annex X

Dheerujlall Baramlall Seetulsingh (Mauritius)

Date and place of birth: 21 November 1948, Mauritius

Working languages: English, French, Creole

Current position/function

Chairman - National Human Rights Commission, Mauritius, since April 2001.

Vice President – Human Rights Council Advisory Committee, Geneva, to mid-2014.

Chairman – Working Group on Communications of Human Rights Council, Geneva, to mid-2014.

Chairman - Financial Reporting Council, Mauritius.

Member of Executive Committee of the Association francophone des commissions nationales des droits de l'homme.

Main professional activities

- 1. Judge, Supreme Court, Mauritius (1998–2001).
- 2. Solicitor-General, Ministry of Justice, Mauritius (1994–1998).
- 3. Head of Department of Law, University of Mauritius (1992–1994).
- 4. Part time Chairman, Stock Exchange Commission (1987–1992).
- 5. Chairman, Tax Appeal Tribunal (1984–1994).
- 6. Member of Council, University of Mauritius (1985–1995).
- 7. Member of Council of Legal Education (1994–1998).
- 8. Member of Law Reform Commission (1995–1998).
- 9. Part-time Chairman of Cane Planters and Millers Arbitration and Control Board (1992–1998).
- 10. State Counsel to Principal State Counsel, Attorney General's Office, Office of Director of Public Prosecutions (1974–1984).

Educational background

- 1. M.A. Hons. (OXON) Philosophy, Politics, Economics, University of Oxford, England (1971).
- 2. Barrister-at-Law of the Middle Temple, London (1973).
- 3. Diploma in French Civil Law, King's College, University of London (1973).
- 4. Government Legal Advisers' Course Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, London (1981).
- 5. United Nations Fellowship in Human Rights School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London (1984).

Other main activities in the field relevant to the mandate of the treaty body concerned

Was responsible in the Attorney General's Office to draft reports to treaty bodies and African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights and presenting country reports to the Human Rights Committee, the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, the Committee on the Rights of the Child. Cooperating with Commonwealth Human Rights Unit.

As Chairman of the National Human Rights Commission, now works closely on issues like police powers, rights of suspects and victims, conditions of detention in prison, anti-discrimination issues and rights of minorities.

As the National Human Rights Commission has a quasi-jurisdictional competence, he deals with complaints against violations of civil and political rights. He has assisted in the setting up of human rights institutions compliant with the Paris Principles. He has acted as observer for elections abroad.

On the Working Group on Communications of the Human Rights Council, he deals with complaints against alleged violations of human rights by member States.

List of most recent publications in the field

Drawing up reports of the National Human Rights Commission and making recommendations to authorities. Giving views on proposed legislation.

Working in drafting groups of the Human Rights Council Advisory Committee on the Declaration on Human Rights Education and Training, international solidarity, traditional values of humankind, right to peace, right to food and international cooperation in human rights and doing research on human rights topics.

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