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Election of twenty-one members of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

List of candidates nominated by States parties for election to the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

Note by the Secretary-General

1. Pursuant to article 2, paragraph 1, of annex II to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf shall consist of 21 members who shall be experts in the field of geology, geophysics or hydrography, elected by States parties to the Convention from among their nationals, having due regard to the need to ensure equitable geographical representation, who shall serve in their personal capacities.
2. In a communication dated 1 December 2016, the Secretary-General invited States parties to submit nominations.
3. As at the end of the nomination period, on 7 March 2017, the Secretary-General has received 21 nominations. Pursuant to article 2, paragraph 2, of annex II to the Convention, a list of all candidates thus nominated, in alphabetical order, is set out in the annex to the present note. The list also contains the nationalities and the nominating States of the candidates, as well as information on the undertaking by the nominating States to support their candidate in accordance with article 2, paragraph 5, of annex II to the Convention. In line with the request made by the twenty-sixth Meeting of States Parties, that information was provided by the nominating States for all candidates (see [SPLOS/303](#), para. 79).
4. The curricula vitae of the candidates will be circulated in document [SPLOS/313](#).
5. The election will be held at the twenty-seventh Meeting of States Parties, to be held from 12 to 16 June 2017. The election procedure for consideration by the Meeting is set out in document [SPLOS/311](#).

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** [SPLOS/L.78](#).



Annex

List of candidates

<i>Name and nationality</i>	<i>Nominated by</i>	<i>Undertaking to support the candidate in accordance with article 2, paragraph 5, of annex II to the Convention^a</i>
Al-Azri, Adnan Rashid Nasser (Oman)	Oman	√
Al-Shehri, Mohammed Saleh (Saudi Arabia)	Saudi Arabia	√
Awosika, Lawrence Folajimi (Nigeria)	Nigeria	√
Campos, Aldino (Portugal)	Portugal	√
Clarke, Wanda-Lee De Landro (Trinidad and Tobago)	Trinidad and Tobago	√
Glumov, Ivan F. (Russian Federation)	Russian Federation	√
Heinesen, Martin Vang (Denmark)	Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, Sweden	√ (Denmark)
Kalngui, Emmanuel (Cameroon)	Cameroon	√
Lyu, Wenzheng (China)	China	√
Madon, Mazlan bin (Malaysia)	Malaysia	√
Mahanjane, Estevão Stefane (Mozambique)	Mozambique	√
Marques, Jair Alberto Ribas (Brazil)	Brazil	√
Mazurowski, Marcin (Poland)	Poland	√
Moreira, Domingos de Carvalho Viana (Angola)	Angola	√
Mosher, David Cole (Canada)	Australia, Canada, New Zealand	√ (Canada)
Njuguna, Simon (Kenya)	Kenya	√
Park, Yong Ahn (Republic of Korea)	Republic of Korea	√
Paterlini, Carlos Marcelo (Argentina)	Argentina	√
Raharimananirina, Clodette (Madagascar)	Madagascar	√
Yamazaki, Toshitsugu (Japan)	Japan	√
Yáñez Carrizo, Gonzalo Alejandro (Chile)	Chile	√

^a See the report of the twenty-sixth Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, para. 79 (SPLOS/303).