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Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments

Election of 11 members of the Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund/United Nations Office for Project Services

Note by the Secretary-General

1. The Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund/United Nations Office for Project Services has 36 members, elected with due regard to equitable geographical representation and other relevant factors, with a view to ensuring the most effective and broadest representation.
2. In accordance with General Assembly resolution 48/162, the Economic and Social Council is to elect, at its resumed organizational session for 2011, 11 members of the Executive Board from among States Members of the United Nations or members of the specialized agencies or of the International Atomic Energy Agency, for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2012, to fill the vacancies that will occur on 31 December 2011 upon the expiration of the terms of the following members: Cuba, Denmark, Germany, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Mauritania, Mexico, Russian Federation, Sierra Leone, Sweden, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Yemen.
3. The 11 members are to be elected according to the following pattern:
 - (a) Two members from African States;
 - (b) Two members from Asian States;
 - (c) One member from Eastern European States;
 - (d) Two members from Latin American and Caribbean States;
 - (e) Four members from Western European and other States.
4. The membership of the Executive Board in 2011 is listed in the annex to the present note.



Annex

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund/United Nations Office for Project Services

(36 members; three-year term)

Membership in 2011

Eight members from African States

Burkina Faso (2012), Cameroon (2012), Democratic Republic of the Congo (2012), Djibouti (2013), Mauritania* (2011), Rwanda (2012), Sierra Leone* (2011), South Africa (2012)

Seven members from Asian States

Bangladesh (2013), China (2013), India (2012), Iran (Islamic Republic of)* (2011), Pakistan (2012), Qatar (2012), Yemen* (2011)

Four members from Eastern European States

Belarus (2013), Czech Republic (2013), Estonia (2012), Russian Federation* (2011)

Five members from Latin American and Caribbean States

Antigua and Barbuda (2012), Argentina (2013), Cuba* (2011), El Salvador (2013), Mexico* (2011)

Twelve members from Western European and other States

Canada (2013), Denmark* (2011), Finland (2013), Germany* (2011), Ireland (2012), Italy (2012), Japan (2012), Luxembourg (2013), Netherlands (2012), Sweden* (2011), United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland* (2011), United States of America (2013)

* Retiring member.