



Sixty-eighth session
Agenda item 116 (e)

Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission

Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 20 September 2013, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its sixty-eighth session, under the item entitled “Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments”, the sub-item entitled:

“Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission:

“(i) Appointment of members of the Commission;

“(ii) Designation of the Vice-Chair of the Commission”,

and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. At its 14th meeting, on 1 November 2013, the Fifth Committee had before it the following documents:

(a) Note by the Secretary-General concerning the vacancies in the membership of the International Civil Service Commission that would occur as a result of the expiration of the terms of office of five of its members on 31 December 2013 ([A/68/105/Rev.1](#));

(b) Note by the Secretary-General containing the names of persons nominated by their respective Governments for appointment or reappointment to the Commission, to fill the following vacancies: one member from the Asia-Pacific States, one member from the Latin American and Caribbean States and three members from the Western European and other States ([A/C.5/68/8](#));

(c) Note by the Secretary-General containing the name of one person nominated by his Government for designation to the post of Vice-Chair of the International Civil Service Commission ([A/C.5/68/8/Add.1](#)).



3. At the same meeting, the Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend to the General Assembly the appointment of Minoru Endo (Japan), Luis Mariano Hermosillo (Mexico), Aldo Mantovani (Italy), Curtis Smith (United States of America) and Wolfgang Stöckl (Germany) as members of the Commission for a four-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2014 (see para. 5).

4. Also at the same meeting, Wolfgang Stöckl was the only declared candidate for designation as Vice-Chair. The Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend to the General Assembly that it designate Wolfgang Stöckl (Germany) as Vice-Chair of the International Civil Service Commission for a four-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2014 (see para. 5).

Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

5. The Fifth Committee recommends that the General Assembly:

(a) Appoint the following persons as members of the International Civil Service Commission for a four-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2014:

Minoru Endo (Japan)
Luis Mariano Hermosillo (Mexico)
Aldo Mantovani (Italy)
Curtis Smith (United States of America)
Wolfgang Stöckl (Germany);

(b) Designate Wolfgang Stöckl (Germany) as Vice-Chair of the International Civil Service Commission for a four-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2014.
