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Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments to subsidiary and related bodies of the Economic and Social Council

At its 48th meeting, on 15 December 2006, the Economic and Social Council took the following action with regard to vacancies in its subsidiary and related bodies:

Elections

Commission on Population and Development

The Council elected **Grenada** and **Honduras** by acclamation for a four-year term beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's forty-first session, in 2007, and expiring at the close of the Commission's forty-fourth session, in 2011.

The Council further postponed the election of one member from the Group of Asian States and one member from the Group of Western European and Other States for a term beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's forty-first session, in 2007, and expiring at the close of its forty-fourth session, in 2011.

Commission on Science and Technology for Development

The Council elected **Belgium** and **Turkey** by acclamation for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2007.

Executive Board of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women

The Council elected **Israel**, the **Philippines** and the **Syrian Arab Republic** by acclamation for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2007.

The Council further postponed the election of two members from the Group of African States and two members from the Group of Eastern European States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2007.

Committee for the United Nations Population Award

The Council elected the **Czech Republic**, **Lesotho** and **Malaysia** by acclamation for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2007.

The Council further postponed the election of two members from the Group of African States for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2007.

Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

The Council elected **Italy** by acclamation for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2007.

The Council further postponed the election of three members from the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2007.

Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights

The Council elected Barbara Wilson (Switzerland) by acclamation for a term beginning 1 January 2007 and expiring on 31 December 2008, to fill a vacancy arising from the resignation of Giorgio Malinverni (Switzerland).

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund

The Council elected **Denmark** for a term beginning on 1 January 2007 and expiring on 31 December 2009, to fill a vacancy arising from the resignation of Sweden.

Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission

The Council elected the **Czech Republic** and re-elected **Indonesia** for a term beginning on 1 January 2007 and expiring on 22 June 2008, to fill vacancies arising from the expiration of the terms of two members of the Economic and Social Council (Poland and Indonesia) that were elected to the Organizational Committee.

The Council postponed the election of one member from the Group of Western European and Other States for a term beginning on 1 January 2007 and expiring on 22 June 2008 to replace Belgium, whose term as a member of the Economic and Social Council expired on 31 December 2006.

Appointments

Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters

The Council took note of the appointment by the Secretary-General of Nobuyuki Nakamura (Japan) and Eduardo Zaidensztat Capnikcas (Uruguay) to the Committee for a term beginning on the date of appointment and expiring on 30 June 2009, to fill two vacancies arising from the resignation of Yoshiki Takeuchi (Japan) and Talmon de Paula Freitas (Brazil), respectively.