



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

13 October 2020

Subject: Results of the election of members of the Human Rights Council held on 13 October 2020

Excellency,

Further to my letter dated 9 October 2020 concerning the election of members of the Human Rights Council, I am pleased to circulate the results of the voting that were announced at the resumed 16th plenary meeting held today, 13 October 2020 [see enclosed].

Having obtained the required majority and the largest number of votes of the members of the General Assembly, the following 15 States have been elected members of the Human Rights Council for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2021: Bolivia (Plurinational State of), China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, France, Gabon, Malawi, Mexico, Nepal, Pakistan, the Russian Federation, Senegal, Ukraine, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uzbekistan.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Volkan Bozkir'.

Volkan BOZKIR

All Permanent Representatives and
Permanent Observers to the United Nations
New York

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY
Seventy-fifth Session**

**ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE
HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL [119 (c)]**

GROUP A - African States (4 seats)

RESULTS of the VOTE:

Number of ballot papers	192
Number of invalid ballots	1
Number of valid ballots	191
Abstentions	1
Number of Members present and voting	190
Required majority	97

NUMBER OF VOTES OBTAINED BY EACH MEMBER STATE:

SENEGAL	188
CÔTE d'IVOIRE	182
MALAWI	180
GABON	176
MOROCCO	1

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GROUP B - Asia-Pacific States (4 seats)

RESULTS of the VOTE:

Number of ballot papers	192
Number of invalid ballots	1
Number of valid ballots	191
Abstentions	0
Number of Members present and voting	191
Required majority	97

NUMBER OF VOTES OBTAINED BY EACH MEMBER STATE:

PAKISTAN	169
UZBEKISTAN	169
NEPAL	150
CHINA	139
SAUDI ARABIA	90

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GROUP C - Eastern European States (2 seats)

RESULTS of the VOTE:

Number of ballot papers	192
Number of invalid ballots	0
Number of valid ballots	192
Abstentions	4
Number of Members present and voting	188
Required majority	97

NUMBER OF VOTES OBTAINED BY EACH MEMBER STATE:

UKRAINE	166
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	158

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GROUP D - LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN STATES (3 seats)

RESULTS of the VOTE:

Number of ballot papers	192
Number of invalid ballots	0
Number of valid ballots	192
Abstentions	1
Number of Members present and voting	191
Required majority	97

NUMBER OF VOTES OBTAINED BY EACH MEMBER STATE:

MEXICO	175
BOLIVIA (PLURINATIONAL STATE OF)	172
CUBA	170

GROUP E - WESTERN EUROPEAN AND OTHER STATES (2 seats)

RESULTS of the VOTE:

Number of ballot papers	192
Number of invalid ballots	0
Number of valid ballots	192
Abstentions	18
Number of Members present and voting	174
Required majority	97

NUMBER OF VOTES OBTAINED BY EACH MEMBER STATE:

FRANCE	167
UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND	165