



# General Assembly

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## Fifty-fifth session

Agenda item 16 (a)

### Elections to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other elections

## Election of seven members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination

### Note by the Secretary-General

1. In accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) of 14 May 1976 and General Assembly decision 42/450 of 17 December 1987, the members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination are nominated by the Economic and Social Council and elected by the General Assembly.
2. The membership of the Committee in 2000 is as follows (see General Assembly decision 54/305 of 8 October 1999):

Argentina,\*\*\* Bahamas,\* Bangladesh,\*\*\* Benin,\*\* Brazil,\*\*\* Cameroon,\*\*\* China,\*\* Comoros,\*\* Cuba,\*\*\* Egypt,\*\* France,\* Gabon,\*\*\* Germany,\*\*\* Indonesia,\*\*\* Iran (Islamic Republic of),\*\*\* Italy,\*\*\* Japan,\*\* Mauritania,\*\*\* Mexico,\* Pakistan,\*\*\* Peru,\*\*\* Poland,\*\*\* Portugal,\*\*\* Republic of Korea,\*\* Republic of Moldova,\*\*\* Russian Federation,\* San Marino,\*\*\* Uganda,\* Ukraine,\*\*\* United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland,\*\*\* United States of America,\* Uruguay,\*\* Zambia\* and Zimbabwe.\*\*\*

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\* Term of office expires on 31 December 2000.

\*\* Term of office expires on 31 December 2001.

\*\*\* Term of office expires on 31 December 2002.

3. The General Assembly, at its fifty-fifth session, will, therefore, be called upon to elect seven members, on the nomination of the Economic and Social Council, to fill the vacancies in the Committee that will occur on 31 December 2000 upon the expiration of the terms of office of the following members: Bahamas, France, Mexico, Russian Federation, Uganda, United States of America and Zambia.
4. In accordance with General Assembly decision 42/450, the vacancies are to be filled as follows:

- (a) Two members from African States;
- (b) One member from Eastern European States;
- (c) Two members from Latin American and Caribbean States;
- (d) Two members from Western European and other States.

5. By its decision 2000/201 C, the Economic and Social Council nominated the following Member States for election by the General Assembly at its fifty-fifth session, for a term of three years, beginning on 1 January 2001:

- (a) **African States** (two vacancies): Botswana, United Republic of Tanzania;
  - (b) **Eastern European States** (one vacancy): Russian Federation;
  - (c) **Latin American and Caribbean States** (two vacancies): Bahamas, Mexico;
  - (d) **Western European and other States** (two vacancies): France, United States of America.
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