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APPOINTMENTS TO FILL VACANCIES IN SUBSIDIARY ORGANS AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

Report of the Fifth Committee (Part II)

Rapporteur: Mr. Larbi DJACTA (Algeria)

1. At its 11th meeting, on 3 November 1994, the Fifth Committee considered a note by the Secretary-General (A/49/101) concerning the vacancies in the membership of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions that will occur as a result of the expiration of the term of office of five of its members on 31 December 1994.

2. The Fifth Committee also had before it a note by the Secretary-General (A/C.5/49/16) containing the names of seven persons nominated by their respective Governments for appointment or reappointment to the Advisory Committee for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1995.

3. The Fifth Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend the appointment to the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1995, of Mr. Ahmad Fathi Al-Masri (Syrian Arab Republic), Mr. Ioan Barac (Romania) and Mr. E. Besley Maycock (Barbados).

4. The Fifth Committee proceeded to elect by secret ballot two persons from the candidates proposed by the Group of African States. The result of the voting was as follows:

<u>Number of ballot papers:</u>	168
<u>Invalid ballots:</u>	0
<u>Number of valid ballots:</u>	168
<u>Abstentions:</u>	1
<u>Number of members voting:</u>	167
<u>Required majority:</u>	84
<u>Number of votes obtained:</u>	
Mr. Elias Kazembe	51
Mr. Mahamane Maiga	75
Mr. C. S. M. Mselle	127
Mr. Mohamed Mahmoud Ould El Ghaouth	74

5. Having obtained the required majority, Mr. C. S. M. Mselle (United Republic of Tanzania) was recommended for appointment as a member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1995.

6. Under article 94 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly the Committee was to proceed to another ballot.

7. At the same meeting, the representative of Mauritania made a statement informing the Committee that the Government of Mauritania had decided to withdraw the candidature of Mr. Mohamed Mahmoud Ould El Ghaouth.

8. On the proposal of the Chairman, the Committee then decided by acclamation to recommend that the General Assembly appoint Mr. Mahamane Maiga (Mali) as a member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1995.

RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

9. The Fifth Committee recommends that the General Assembly should appoint the following persons as members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1995:

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Mr. Ahmad Fathi Al-Masri

Mr. Ioan Barac

Mr. Mahamane Maiga

Mr. E. Besley Maycock

Mr. C. S. M. Mselle
