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At its 38<sup>th</sup> Ordinary Sessions held via Videoconferencing on 03-04 February 2021, the Executive Council adopted Decision **EX.CL/Dec.1120(XXXVIII)**, on a set of African candidatures within the international system. The results of the elections are as follows:

**A. ELECTIONS OF “ENDORSED” CANDIDATURES**

1. **For election as a Member of the Executive Council of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)** for the period 2021-2025, during the election scheduled for November 2021 in Paris, France, the candidatures of::

- **Arab Republic of Egypt.**
- **Republic of Mauritius.**
- **Kingdom of Morocco.**
- **Islamic Republic of Mauritania.**

**NB. Election will be held in November 2021 in New York, the USA.**

2. **For election as a Member of the United Nations Commission on Narcotic Drugs (CND)** for the period 2022-2025, during the election scheduled for April 2021 in New York, USA, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Ghana Elected**

3. **For election as a Director-General of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)** for the period 2021-2025, during the election scheduled for June 2021, the candidature of:

- **Dr. Arkebe Oqubay, of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia – Not Elected**

4. **For election as a Member of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) Council** under category “C” for the period 2021-2022, during the election scheduled for February 2021, the candidature of:

- **Republic of Kenya.**
- **Arab Republic of Egypt.**
- **Republic of South Africa.**

**NB. Election for will be held on 6-15 December 2021.**

5. **For election as a Member of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW)** for the period 2022-202, during the election scheduled for June 2021, the candidature of:

- **Mrs. Eunice Njovana**, of the Republic of Zimbabwe.

**NB. Election will be held in 2022.**

6. **For election as a Secretary General of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)** for the period 2021-2024, during the election scheduled for March 2021, the candidature of:

- **Mr. Habib Mekki**, of the Republic of Tunisia - **Not Elected**

7. **For election as a Member of the United Nation Human Right Committee (HRC)** for the period 2022-2026, during the election scheduled for June 2021, the candidature of:

- **Mr. SUH Alferd Fusi**, of the Republic of Cameroon

**NB. Election will be held in 2022.**

8. **For election as a Member of the United Nations Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (CERD)** for the period 2022-2026, during the election scheduled for June 2021, endorses the candidature of:

- **Ms. ESSENEME Regine**, of the Republic of Cameroon- **Elected**

9. **For election as a Member of the Administrative Board of the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidature of:

- **People's Democratic Republic of Algeria (North Africa) - Elected**
- **Republic of Chad (Central Africa) - Elected**
- **Cote d'Ivoire (West Africa) - Elected**

10. **For election as a Non-Permanent Member of the United Nations Security Council (UNSC)** for the period 2022-2023, during the election scheduled for June 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Gabonese Republic (Central Africa) - Elected**
- **Republic of Ghana (West Africa) - Elected**

11. **For election as a Non-Permanent Member of the United Nations Security Council (UNSC)** for the period 2023-2024, during the election scheduled for June 2022, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Mozambique (Southern Africa).**

**NB: Election will be held in June 2022**

12. The Post of **Vice-Presidents of the 76<sup>th</sup> Session of the UN General Assembly (UNGA)** for the period 2021-2022, during the election scheduled for June 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Cote d'Ivoire (West Africa) - Elected**
- **Arab Republic of Egypt (North Africa) - Elected**
- **Republic of Equatorial Guinea (Central Africa) - Elected**
- **Republic of Sierra Leone (West Africa) - Elected**
- **United Republic of Tanzania (East Africa) - Elected**
- **Republic of Mozambique (Southern Africa) - Elected**

13. The Post of **Member of the United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for June 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Cameroon - Not Elected**
- **Cote d'Ivoire - Elected**
- **Republic of Tunisia - Elected**
- **3 remaining seats to be filled as follows: 2 seats for Eastern African Region; 1 seat for Southern African Region.**

**NB: Elected African States: Cote d'Ivoire, Eswatini, Mauritius, Tanzania and Tunisia.**

14. The Post of **Member of the Commission for Social Development (CSD)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Ghana - Not elected**
- **3 remaining seats to be filled as follows: 2 seats for Eastern African Region and 1 seat for Southern African Region.**

**NB: Elected African States: DRC, Ethiopia, Libya and Nigeria.**

15. The Post of **Member of the Statistical Commission (UNSC)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Burundi - Elected**
- **Republic of Tunisia - Elected**
- **1 remaining seat to be filled by the Southern African Region**

**NB: Elected African States: Burundi, Tunisia and Zambia**

16. The Post of **Member of the Commission on Population and Development (CPD)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Chad - Elected**

- **2 remaining seats pending to be filled as follows: 1 seat for Eastern African Region and 1 seat for Southern African Region.**

**NB: Elected African States: Chad, Kenya, Mauritania and Morocco.**

17. The Post of **Member of the Commission on the Status of Women (CSW)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Cabo Verde - Elected**
- **Islamic Republic of Mauritania - Elected**
- **2 remaining seats to be filled as follows: 1 seat for Central African Region and 1 seat for Eastern African Region.**

**NB: Elected African States: Cabo Verde, Egypt, Mauritania and Tunisia.**

18. The Post of **Member of United Nation Human Right Council (HRC)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for June 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Benin.**
- **Republic of Cameroon.**
- **Republic of the Gambia.**
- **Republic of Somalia.**
- **State of Eritrea.**

**NB. Election will be held in October 2021**

19. The Post of **Member of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (CCPCJ)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **State of Libya - Elected**
- **Republic of Togo - Elected**
- **2 remaining seats to be filled by the Western African Region**

**NB: Elected African States: Ghana, Libya and Togo.**

20. The Post of **Member of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development (CSTD)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Democratic Republic of Congo – Not elected**

**NB: Elected African State: Madagascar**

21. The Post of **Member of the Committee for Programmes and Coordination (CPC)** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Botswana - Elected**
- **1 remaining seat to be filled by the Eastern Africa Region**

**NB: Elected African States: Botswana and Kenya.**

22. The Post of **Member of the Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS** (CSW) for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Cameroon - Elected**
- **Republic of Chad - Elected**
- **Cote d'Ivoire - Elected**
- **Kingdom of Lesotho - Elected**
- **1 remaining seat to be filled by the Eastern Africa Region**

**NB: Elected African States: Cameroon, Chad, Côte d'Ivoire, Kenya and Lesotho.**

23. The Post of **Member of the Executive Board of the World Food Programme** (WFP) for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Ghana - Elected**

24. The Post of **Member of the Coordination Board of the United Nations HIV/AIDS Programme** (HIV/AIDS) for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Cote d'Ivoire - Elected**
- **1 remaining seat to be filled by the Southern African Region.**

**NB: Elected African States: Botswana and Côte d'Ivoire**

25. The Post of **Member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions** (ACABQ) for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled in 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Mr. Makiesse Kinkela Augusto, of the Republic of Angola - Elected**
- **1 remaining seats to be filled by the Western African Region.**

**NB: Other Elected African Candidate: Mr. Yves Eric AHOUSSOUGBEMEY of Benin**

26. The Post of **Member of the Committee on Contributions** (CC) for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled in 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Botswana - Elected**

27. The Post of **Member of the Committee on Conference** for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled in 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Cote d'Ivoire - Elected**
- **1 remaining seat to be filled by the Central Africa Region.**

**NB: Elected African States: Cote d'Ivoire and Chad**

28. The Post of **Member of the Executive Board of the UN-Women** (UN-Women) for the period 2022-2024, during the election scheduled for April/May 2021, the candidatures of:

- **Republic of Cameroon - Elected**
- **Arab Republic of Egypt - Elected**
- **Republic of South Africa - Elected**
- **2 remaining seats to be filled as follows: 1 seat for Eastern Africa Region; 1 seat for Western Africa Region**

**NB: Elected African States: Cameroon, Egypt, Gambia, Kenya and South Africa.**

29. The Post of **Chair of the Main Committees for the 76<sup>th</sup> Session of UNGA**) for the period 2021-2022, during the election scheduled for June 2021, the candidatures of:

- **First Committee: Kingdom of Morocco - Elected**
- **Third Committee: Republic of Djibouti - Elected**

## **B. ELECTIONS OF "TAKEN NOTE OF" CANDIDATURES**

30. The Post of Member of the **UN International Law Commission (ILC)** for the period 2023-2027, during the election scheduled for June 2022, the candidatures of:

- **Prof. Hassan Ouazzani Chahdi**, of the Kingdom of Morocco
- **Prof. Charles Jallow** of the Republic of Sierra Leone

**NB: Election will be held in June 2022 in New York, the USA.**

31. The Post of Chair of the **International Civil Service Commission (ICSC)** for the period 2023-2026, during the election scheduled for June 2022, of the candidatures of:

- **Mr. Larbi DJACTA**, The People's Democratic Republic of Algeria
- **Mr. Elhassane Zahid**, of the Kingdom of Morocco

**NB: Election will be held in June 2022 in New York, the USA.**



32. The Post of Member of the **Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW)** for the period 2023-2026, during the election scheduled for June 2022, of the candidature of:

- **Ms. Vera NKWATE NGASSA**, of the Republic of Cameroon

**NB: Election will be held in June 2022 in New York, the USA.**

33. The Post of **Non-Permanent Member of the United Nations Security Council (UNSC)** for the period 2028-2029, during the election scheduled for June 2027, the candidatures of:

- **Kingdom of Morocco**
- **State of Libya**

**NB: Election will be held in June 2027 in New York, the USA.**

34. The Post of **Non-Permanent Member of the United Nations Security Council (UNSC)** for the period 2025-2026, during the election scheduled for June 2024, of the candidature of:

- **Republic of Mauritius.**

**NB: Election will be held in June 2024 in New York, the USA.**

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