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**REPORT ON ELECTION OF ONE FEMALE MEMBER OF
THE ADVISORY BOARD ON CORRUPTION
FROM THE NORTHERN REGION**

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- 1.** The election of the Members of the African Union Advisory Board on Corruption are based on the provisions of the African Union Convention on Preventing and Combating Corruption (the Convention) adopted in July 2003 as well as the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Council.
- 2.** The Advisory Board on Corruption was established under Article 22 (1) of the Convention. Article 22 (2) of the Convention provides that the Advisory Board on Corruption shall be composed of eleven (11) members elected by the Executive Council from among a list of experts of the highest integrity, impartiality, and recognized competence in matters relating to preventing and combating corruption and related offences, proposed by the State Parties
- 3.** In addition, Article 22 (3) - (4) of the Convention provides that the members shall serve in their personal capacity and that they shall be appointed for a term of two (2) years renewable only once.
- 4.** It should be recalled that during election of four (4) Members of the Advisory Board during the July 2017 Summit, the Assembly adopted decision Assembly/AU/Dec.655 (XXIX) wherein it decided that the remaining one Member of the Advisory Board will be elected by the Thirty Second Ordinary Session of the Executive Council only from among the Female Candidates from the Northern Region in accordance with the provisions of the Modalities on Implementation of Criteria for Equitable Geographical and Gender Representation in the African Union adopted by the Executive Council in January 2016 in Decision EX.CL/Dec.907 (XXVIII).
- 5.** Accordingly, the Commission informed all States Parties to the Convention from the Northern Region under Note Verbal BC/OLC/24-12/1135.17 and dated 17 July 2017 of the need to nominate female candidates for election during the January 2018 Summit.
- 6.** The candidatures received by the Commission from the States Parties from the Northern Region is the following:

NAME	GENDER	COUNTRY	REGION
Amal Mahmoud Ammar	Female	Egypt	North

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