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OF SUBSIDIARY BODIES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND  
BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

Note by the Secretariat

The following persons have been proposed for appointment to the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, in whose membership three vacancies for a three-year term will occur on 1 January 1959, as a result of the expiration of the terms of office of Mr. Carlos Blanco (Cuba), Mr. A.H.M. Hillis (United Kingdom), and Mr. John E. Fobes (United States) (A/3840).

Dr. Carlos Blanco (Cuba)

Doctor in Law, Havana University, 1925. Studied also at the Institut des Hautes Etudes de Droit International, Geneva (1928) and the London School of Economics, London (1937). Entered the Cuban Foreign Service (1926); Secretary to the Cuban delegation to the Sixth Inter-American Conference (Havana, 1928); Second Secretary in Berne (1928); Member of the Permanent Delegation of Cuba to the League of Nations (Geneva, 1928-31); attached to the Cuban Foreign Ministry (1931); First Secretary, Washington (1935); First Secretary, London (1937-39); assigned to the Cuban Foreign Ministry (1939); Under-Secretary to the Conference of American Foreign Ministers (Havana, 1940); Minister-Counsellor in Washington (1945); Alternate Representative to the Inter-American Economic and Social Council (1946-47); Alternate Representative at the Permanent Mission of Cuba to the United Nations with the rank of Minister-Plenipotentiary (1949), with the rank of Ambassador (1951). Representative of Cuba on the Fifth Committee at the First

(Second Part) to Fourth and Seventh to Thirteenth regular sessions of the General Assembly. President of the Security Council (February, 1950); Vice-Chairman of the First Committee at the sixth regular session of the General Assembly (Paris, 1951); Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories (1952); Chairman of the Special Committee on Review of Administrative Tribunal Judgements (1955); Member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (1953- ). Alternative Representative of Cuba to the United Nations.

Mr. A.H.M. Hillis (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)

Trinity College, Dublin. M.A., LL.B. Barrister-at-Law, Inner Temple, London. Legal Assistant, Land Registry (1934-41); Lent to Treasury (1941); Principal, Treasury (1942-46); Assistant Secretary (1946). Secretary of Civil Service Commission (1946-50). Commonwealth Fund Fellow (1950-51). Assistant Secretary, Treasury (1951-58). Head of Overseas Finance, South East Asia and Commonwealth Division (1951-54). Head of Governmental and Allied Services Division (1954-58). Minister, Treasury Adviser, United Kingdom Permanent Mission to United Nations (1958); Member, Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; Committee on Contributions; and United Nations Staff Pension Committee.

Mr. John E. Fobes (United States of America)

Bachelor of Science degree, 1939, Northwestern University. Specialization: international relations; Master of Arts degree, 1940, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy; Staff member, U.S. Bureau of the Budget (1942); U.S. Army Air Forces (1942-46); On loan to the Preparatory Commission of the United Nations, London - on Secretariat of Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (1945); Staff member, U.S. Bureau of the Budget (1946-48); Secretary, United Nations Advisory Group of Experts on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; also management consultant to the Pan American Union (1946-47); U.S. Economic Co-operation Administration; served as Assistant to the Director of Administration, Assistant Director of the Technical Assistance Programme, and Deputy Director of Organization and Planning (1948-52); U.S. Delegation to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and the Organization for European Economic Co-operation,

Paris; served as Management Officer and as U.S. Delegate on the NATO Budget Committee and on the OEEC Productivity and Applied Research Committee (1952-55); Director of the Office of International Administration, Department of State (1955).

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