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### Summary record of the 16th meeting

Held at Headquarters, New York, on Monday, 7 June 2021, at 11.15 a.m.

*Chair:* Ms. Charikhi (Vice-Chair)..... (Algeria)

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*In the absence of Ms. Bogyay (Hungary), Chair, Ms. Charikhi (Algeria), Vice-Chair, took the Chair.*

*The meeting was called to order at 11.15 a.m.*

**Agenda item 5: Election of the officers of the Main Committees**

1. **The Chair** said that, in accordance with rule 99 (a) of the rules of procedure, the meeting had been convened for the purpose of electing the Chair and other officers of the Bureau of the Committee for the seventy-sixth session of the General Assembly.

2. The nomination of Mr. Doualeh (Djibouti) for the post of Chair had been endorsed by the Group of African States. In the absence of further nominations, and in accordance with rule 103 of the rules of procedure, she would take it that the Committee wished to elect Mr. Doualeh (Djibouti) Chair.

3. *Mr. Doualeh (Djibouti) was elected Chair by acclamation.*

4. **Mr. Doualeh** (Djibouti) said that with the support of the Secretariat and his Mission, and with people at the centre, human rights would shape the response and recovery to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic.

5. **The Chair** said that, in accordance with rule 103 of the rules of procedure, the nominations of Mr. Joongil Shin (Republic of Korea), Ms. Devita Abraham (Trinidad and Tobago) and Ms. Hanne Carlé (Belgium) (the candidate endorsed by the Group of Western European and other States) had been received for the three posts of Vice-Chair, and that the nomination of Ms. Maria-Iuliana Niculae (Romania) for the post of Rapporteur, endorsed by the Group of Eastern European States, had also been received.

6. *Mr. Joongil Shin (Republic of Korea), Ms. Devita Abraham (Trinidad and Tobago) and Ms. Hanne Carlé (Belgium) were elected Vice-Chairs, and Ms. Maria-Iuliana Niculae (Romania) was elected Rapporteur, by acclamation.*

*The meeting rose at 11.25 a.m.*