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Appointment of the members of the Advisory Committee for the
International Year for Disabled Persons

Note by the Secretary-General

1. In paragraph 1 of resolution 33/170 of 20 December 1978, the General Assembly decided that the Advisory Committee for the International Year for Disabled Persons, established under Assembly resolution 32/133 of 16 December 1977, should be composed of the representatives of 23 Member States to be appointed, on the basis of equitable geographical distribution, by the Chairman of the Third Committee, in concurrence with the regional groups.
2. In a letter dated 21 December 1978, the Chairman of the Third Committee informed the Secretary-General that, following consultations with the regional groups, she had appointed the following 23 States as members of the Advisory Committee:

Algeria	Nigeria
Argentina	Oman
Bangladesh	Panama
Barbados	Philippines
Belgium	Sweden
Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
Canada	United States of America
German Democratic Republic	Uruguay
India	Viet Nam
Kenya	Yugoslavia
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Zaire
Morocco	
