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Note by the Secretary-General

Addendum

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Annex

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

Mr. PETER KIHARA MATHANJUKI (Expert) */

(Nominated by the Government of Kenya)

Names Peter Kihara Mathanjuki
Status; Married with 3 children
Date of birth: 15th March 1951
Nationality! Kenyan

SECONDARY EDUCATION

1965-1968	Ralph Bunche Academy, Nairobi	East African Certificate of Education Div. I
1969-1979	Nyeri High School, Nyeri	East African Advanced Certificate of Education 3 Principles I Subsidiary
July 1979	Nyeri High School	Award by the School Chairman Hon. Vice President Mr. Mwai Kibaki best arts student of the year - Certificate.

UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

1971-1974	University of Nairobi	LLB (Hons.) 2nd Class
1974-1975	Kenya School of Law, Nairobi	Admitted as an Advocate on 21.10.1975, and has held an annual practising Certificate. Sworn as a Commissioner for Oaths 1982. Member since 1975 of the Kenya Law Society.
1983-1984	St. Johns University New York	Postgraduate work M.A. and Certificate in International Law and Diplomacy

*/ Revised biographical data submitted by the Government of Kenya on 8 February 1988. This biographical data supercedes that reproduced in document E/CN.4/1988/46/Add.1.

SPECIAL ON JOB TRAINING

May-June 1976	London and Geneva World Intellectual Property Organization - WIPO - Fellowship	Intellectual Property matters. London and Headquarters of the WIPO
February 1976	Participant at the Tenth External Session of the Hague Academy on International Law - Nairobi	Current international legal problems
July-November 1978	Hague, Brussels, New York and Washington, UNITAR Law dwelling more on international trade law	Studied organizational framework of Lome Convention: Legal Management and functioning of World Bank Group and Art Negotiations and negotiating techniques
April-June 1982	Australian Diplomacy Training programme	International Relations and Diplomacy

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

May 1975 - July 1980	Legal Assistant - Secretary at the Ministry Headquarters	Handling Legal matters at Ministry Headquarters - Nairobi, Intellectual Property, Treaties, Humanitarian Law and Trade law matters
July 1980 - September 1985	First Secretary in charge of legal matters - New York. All United Nations legal matters, in charge of Sixth Committee Work and Legal Advisor to Permanent Mission of Kenya to the United Nations.	
January 1986 to date	Head Legal Division - Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In charge of all legal matters of the Ministry and Supervising personnel to fulfil legal advisory duties in the Ministry.	

MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES

12-23 January 1976	Was a member of the Kenya delegation to the first session of the Working Group of Experts on shared natural resources appointed by UNEP's Governing Council held at Nairobi.
26 January - 14 February 1976	Was an organizer and participant on behalf of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to the Tenth External Session held at Nairobi by the Hague Academy of International Law.
26 October - November 1976	Was a member of the Kenya Delegation to the Nineteenth UNESCO General Conference - Nairobi
5-19 December 1976	Was a member of the Kenya Delegation to the Diplomatic Conference on the creation of an industrial property organization for English speaking Africa held at Lusaka, Zambia.

10-21 January 1977	Was a member of the Kenya Delegation to the Third session of the Working Group of Experts on shared natural resources appointed by UNEP's Governing Council held at Nairobi
17 March - 10 June 1977	Was the Head of the Kenya Delegation to the Fourth Diplomatic Conference on Reaffirmation and Development of Humanitarian Law Applicable in Armed Conflict held at Geneva, Switzerland.
27 May - 17 June 1978	Was the deputy leader of the Kenya Delegation to the Eleventh session of UNCITRAL held at Vienna, Austria
September 1979	Kenya's representative to the Eighth session of Working Group on Negotiable Instruments - Geneva Leader of Kenya delegation to the United Nations Conference on Conventional Weapons - Geneva
November - December 1979	Kenya *s expert on the OAU Meeting of Experts to draft an African Charter on Human Rights, Dakar, Senegal.
March - April 1980	Head of Kenya Delegation to the United Nations Conference on International Sale of Goods, Vice-Chairman of Conference Committee I and Chairman of the Credentials Committee - Vienna.
June 1980	Head of Kenya Delegation to the Thirty-fifth session of the Scientific and Technical Sub-Committee of the Committee on Outer Space.
February 1981	Kenyan Representative to the <u>Ad Hoc</u> Committee on United Nations Charter review and the strengthening of the Role of the Organization.
March 1981	Member of Kenya Delegation to the Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea at its Tenth session, New York.
June-July 1981	Head of delegation to the Twenty-fourth session of the Committee on Outer Space - New York.
August 1981	Head of Kenya Observer Delegation to the Tenth session of New York Working Group on negotiable instruments.
September - December 1981	Kenya's representative to the Sixth Committee of the Thirty-sixth session of the General Assembly - New York.
January - February 1982	Member of Kenya Delegation to the Scientific Delegation and Technical Sub-Committee on Outer Space.
April-May 1983	Kenya representative to the Special Committee on the review of the United Nations Charter, New York.

June-July 1983	Kenya representative to the Twenty-sixth session of the Committee on Outer Space - New York»
September - December 1983	Kenya representative to the Sixth Committee, Thirty-eighth session of the General Assembly - New York.
January - February 1984	Elected Rapporteur on the Fifth session of the Working Group of UNCITRAL on New International Economic Order - New York.
February - March 1984	Kenya representative to the Fortieth session of the Human Rights Commission - Geneva
February - March 1985	Member of Kenya delegation to the Forty-first session of the Human Rights Commission - Geneva
March August 1986	Chairman of the Kenya Delegation to the Fourth session of the Preparatory Commission of the Authority and the International Tribunal of the Law of the Sea - Kingston/New York
March - August 1987	Chairman of the Kenya delegation to the Fifth session of the Preparatory Commission of the Authority and the International Tribunal of the Law of the Sea - Kingston/New York

Ms. LIDIJA R. BASTA (Alternate)

(Nominated by the Government of Yugoslavia)

Dr. Lidija R. Basta was born 23 August 1948, Belgrade, Yugoslavia. She completed her secondary education in 1967 and graduated in law at the University of Belgrade in 1971. After having passed her M.A., and Ph.D., examinations in 1974 and 1975 respectively, she obtained her doctor's degree with a dissertation "Constitutionalism in Theory and Practice" (1982).

Since 1974 Dr. Basta has been working with the Belgrade Institute of Comparative Law, currently as a Senior Research Fellow.

Dr. Basta was fellow of the One hundred and forty-first session (The Changing American Political Scene) of the Salzburg Seminar in American Studies (1972) and of the thirteenth session of the Leyden-Amsterdam-Columbia Summer Programme in American Law (1975). While preparing her doctoral thesis, Ms. L. Basta worked at the King's College Centre for European Studies and the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies in London (1976). As a fellow of the Max-Planck Foundation, Dr. Basta spent eight months in the Federal Republic of Germany in 1984 and worked as a guest researcher at the Max-Planck Institute for European Legal History in Frankfurt.

Dr. Basta sat on the editorial boards of the two well known Yugoslav periodicals» "Gledista" (Viewpoints, 1979-1980) and "Marksisticka misao" (Marxist Thought, 1982-1986), and is for more than 10 years now public editor of the "Strani pravni zivot" (Foreign Legal Issues)

Dr. L.R. Basta is Deputy Secretary-General of the International Association of Constitutional Law.

The main field of her scientific interest covers comparative constitutional law, including individual rights and freedoms and constitutional review issues, as well as constitutional and political theory. She is author of more than 50 short studies, articles and reports, published both in Yugoslav and foreign leading legal periodicals and collections of papers. In 1984 she published a book "Politics under Law".

Dr. Basta participated in a number of congresses in Yugoslavia and abroad, colloquia and round-table conferences. She also lectured at the Salzburg Seminar Reunion Session (1977), the Max-Planck Institute for European Legal History (1984) and the Faculty of Law, University of Thessaloniki (1985).