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APPOINTMENTS TO FILL VACANCIES IN SUBSIDIARY ORGANS
AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Appointment of five members of the International
Civil Service Commission

Note by the Secretary-General

1. The International Civil Service Commission, established by the General Assembly in 1974 (resolution 3357 (XXIX)) for the regulation and co-ordination of the conditions of service of the United Nations common system, consists of 15 members appointed by the Assembly, of whom 2, designated Chairman and Vice-Chairman, serve full-time. In accordance with article 5, paragraph 1, of the statute of the Commission, the members of the Commission are appointed by the Assembly for a term of four years and may be reappointed.

2. The present membership of the Commission is as follows:

Mr. Richard M. Akwei (Ghana)**

Mr. Amjad Ali (Pakistan)***

Mr. Michael O. Ani (Nigeria)***

Mr. Anatoly Semënovich Chistyakov (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics)***

Mr. Gastón de Prat Gay (Argentina)**

Mr. Moulaye El Hassen (Mauritania)**

Mr. Jean-Claude Fortuit (France)*

Mr. Pascal Frochoux (Switzerland)**

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

Mr. Akira Matsui (Japan)*

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Mr. Jiří Nosek (Czechoslovakia)**

Mr. Antonio Fonseca Pimentel (Brazil)*

Mrs. Ersa H. Poston (United States of America)*

Mr. M. A. Vellodi (India)***

Mrs. Halima Warzazi (Morocco)***

* Term of office expires on 31 December 1981.

** Term of office expires on 31 December 1982.

*** Term of office expires on 31 December 1984.

3. Since the terms of office of Mr. Fortuit, Mr. Hillis, Mr. Matsui, Mr. Pimentel and Mrs. Poston will expire on 31 December 1981, it will be necessary for the General Assembly at its thirty-sixth session to appoint five persons to fill the resulting vacancies. The persons so appointed will serve for a period of four years, beginning on 1 January 1982.

4. Article 4 of the statute of the International Civil Service Commission states that:

"1. After appropriate consultations with Member States, with the executive heads of the other organizations and with staff representatives, the Secretary-General, in his capacity as Chairman of the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination, shall compile a list of candidates for appointment as Chairman, Vice-Chairman and members of the Commission and shall consult with the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions before consideration and decision by the General Assembly.

"2. In the same way, the names of candidates shall be submitted to the General Assembly to replace members whose terms of office have expired or who have resigned or otherwise ceased to be available."

At previous sessions, the Fifth Committee submitted to the General Assembly a draft decision containing the names of the persons recommended for appointment. It is suggested that a similar procedure be followed at the thirty-sixth session.
