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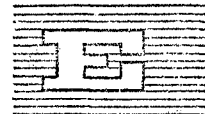
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ELECTION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SUB-COMMISSION ON
PREVENTION OF DISCRIMINATION AND PROTECTION OF
MINORITIES

Note by the Secretary-General

Addendum

1. Since 8 January 1981 the Secretary-General has received the following further nominations relating to the membership of the Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities:

Nominated by

Mr. V.N. Sofinsky

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

Mrs. Halima Embarek Warzazi

Morocco

2. The biographical data of Mr. Beverly Carter, Jr., whose candidature was listed in E/CN.4/1446, are also given below.

MR. W. BEVERLY CARTER, JR.

(Nominated by the Government of the United States of America)

W. Beverly Carter, Jr. has been a member of the Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities since his election in April 1972.

Mr. Carter is a career Foreign Service Information Officer. Prior to entering the Foreign Service, he worked as a reporter, editor and publisher. His first position, following graduation from college, was with the Philadelphia Tribune, one of America's oldest black-owned newspapers. In 1945, at the age of 24, Mr. Carter was appointed City Editor of the Philadelphia Afro-American. In 1954, he was a candidate for the United States House of Representatives from Pennsylvania's Fourth Congressional District.

Mr. Carter was named Publisher of the Pittsburgh Courier chain of newspapers in 1955 and continued his association with that publishing group until he joined USIA. His first overseas post came in January 1965, when he was assigned Press Attaché at Nairobi, Kenya. He subsequently served as Head of the United States Information Service in Nigeria with the diplomatic rank of Counsellor of Embassy for Public Affairs.

Born at Coatesville, Pennsylvania, Mr. Carter attended Philadelphia public schools, including Central High, and was graduated from Lincoln University, Pennsylvania. He has done graduate study at the New School for Social Research in New York City and the Temple University School of Law. Mr. Carter is married to the former Carlyn B. Pogue of Washington, D.C., who is also a career government employee.

Prior to entering government service, Mr. Carter travelled widely in Africa. His first trip was made in 1952. He has now visited 30 of the independent countries on that continent.

Following his first trip Mr. Carter authored a series of newspaper articles entitled "Africa: the not so dark continent", and has lectured extensively on Africa at universities and foreign policy conferences.

A life member of the National Association for the Advancement of Coloured People (NAACP), he has served as the Chairman of the Legal Redress Committee of the Pittsburgh chapter of that civil rights organization, and has served as the Secretary of the Pennsylvania State Advisory Fair Employment Practices Committee. Mr. Carter was also President of the National Newspaper Publishers Association and has served on the Board of Trustees of Lincoln University.

From November 1969 until June 1972 Mr. Carter served as Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs. He served as American Ambassador to the United Republic of Tanzania from July 1972 until October 1975, and as American Ambassador to the Republic of Liberia from April 1976 until January 1979. Since February 1979 Mr. Carter has served as Ambassador at Large for Liaison with State and Local Governments in the Department of State.

MR. V.N. SOFINSKY

(Nominated by the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics)

[Biographical data will be supplied later.]

MRS. HALIMA EMBAREK WARZAZI

(Nominated by the Government of Morocco)

Mrs. Halima Embarek Warzazi was born in Casablanca on 17 April 1933. She obtained an arts degree in 1957 and in the same year entered the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, where she has occupied the following posts:

August 1959 to September 1961: cultural attaché in the Moroccan Embassy in Washington;

September 1962 to October 1963: attaché in the Cabinet of the Minister of Public Health, responsible for the social affairs division;

From 1964 to the present time: attaché in the Cabinet of the Minister for Foreign Affairs, with the rank of Minister Plenipotentiary.

Mrs. Warzazi was Chairman of the Third Committee (social questions) of the General Assembly of the United Nations in 1966 (twenty-first session of the General Assembly).

In 1968 she was appointed a member of the Council for National Promotion.

In May 1968 she took part in the Teheran Conference on Human Rights as a member of the Moroccan delegation.

Also in May 1968, she was appointed representative of Morocco in the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women for a period of three years.

In 1969 she was a member of the Moroccan delegation at the twenty-fourth session of the Commission on Human Rights.

In June 1971 she was a member of the Moroccan delegation to the eighth summit meeting of the Organization of African Unity.

She represented Morocco in the General Assembly of the United Nations in 1959 and 1960 and from 1964 to 1980.

In 1973 she was elected an expert member of the Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities, and was re-elected in 1978. She has been appointed Special Rapporteur of the Sub-Commission on several occasions.

In January 1974 she was elected a member of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination.

In December of the same year she was appointed a member of the International Civil Service Commission.

She has been appointed a member of the executive committee and the council of the International Institute of Human Rights.