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ELECTIONS TO FILL VACANCIES IN SUBSIDIARY ORGANS  
AND OTHER ELECTIONS: ELECTION OF THE MEMBERS OF  
THE INTERNATIONAL LAW COMMISSION

Note by the Secretary-General

1. Article 3 of the statute of the International Law Commission provides that the members of the Commission shall be elected by the General Assembly from a list of candidates nominated by the Governments of States Members of the United Nations.
2. Article 7 of the statute states that the Secretary-General shall prepare the list referred to in article 3, comprising in alphabetical order the names of all the candidates duly nominated, and shall submit this list to the General Assembly for the purposes of the election.
3. The name of candidates and additional information are contained in documents A/51/177 and Add.1-7. The statements of qualifications of candidates are to be found in documents A/51/178 and Add.1.
4. Pursuant to the decision taken by the General Assembly at its 52nd plenary meeting, on 5 November 1996, the Secretary-General has the honour to submit to the Assembly the following consolidated list of candidates nominated by the Governments of States Members of the United Nations for election to the International Law Commission:

Addo, Emmanuel Akwei (Ghana)  
Al-Baharna, Husain (Bahrain)  
Al-Khasawneh, Awn Shawkat (Jordan)  
Al-Nauimi, Najeeb (Qatar)  
Baena Soares, João Clemente (Brazil)

Bennouna, Mohamed (Morocco)  
Brownlie, Ian (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)  
Camara, Sikhe (Guinea)  
Candioti, Enrique J. A. (Argentina)  
Crawford, James Richard (Australia)  
De Ruyver, Brice (Belgium)  
de Saram, John (Sri Lanka)  
Dugard, Christopher John Robert (South Africa)  
Economides, Constantin P. (Greece)  
Elaraby, Nabil (Egypt)  
Ferrari Bravo, Luigi (Italy)  
Fomba, Salifou (Mali)  
Galicki, Zdzislaw (Poland)  
Goco, Raul I. (Philippines)  
Hafner, Gerhard (Austria)  
He, Qizhi (China)  
Herdocia Sacasa, Mauricio (Nicaragua)  
Idris, Kamil (Sudan)  
Illueca, Jorge E. (Panama)  
Jacovides, Andreas J. (Cyprus)  
Kabatsi, Peter C. R. (Uganda)  
Kamto, Maurice (Cameroon)  
Kateka, James Lutabanzibwa (United Republic of Tanzania)  
Kusuma-Atmadja, Machtar (Indonesia)  
Liverpool, Nicholas Joseph Orville (Dominica)  
Lukashuk, Igor Ivanovich (Russian Federation)  
Malla, Churamani Raj Singh (Nepal)  
Melescanu, Teodor Viorel (Romania)  
Mikulka, Václav (Czech Republic)  
Momtaz, Djamchid (Iran, Islamic Republic of)  
Opertti Badan, Didier (Uruguay)  
Pambou-Tchivounda, Guillaume (Gabon)  
Pellet, Alain (France)  
Rao, Pemmaraju Sreenivasa (India)  
Razafindralambo, Edilbert (Madagascar)

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Rodríguez-Cedeño, Victor (Venezuela)  
Rosenstock, Robert (United States of America)  
Sepúlveda, Bernardo (Mexico)  
Simm, Bruno (Germany)  
Singini, Elton Mawina (Malawi)  
Solari Tudela, Luis (Peru)  
Thiam, Doudou (Senegal)  
Vassylenko, Volodymyr A. (Ukraine)  
Villagrán Kramer, Francisco (Guatemala)  
Yamada, Chusei (Japan)

5. The statements of qualifications of the candidates are to be found in documents A/51/178 and Add.1.

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