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APPOINTMENTS TO FILL VACANCIES IN SUBSIDIARY ORGANS  
AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Advisory Committee on Administrative and  
Budgetary Questions

Note by the Secretary-General

1. As indicated in document A/35/211 of 13 May 1980, it will be necessary for the General Assembly, during its current session, to appoint six persons to fill vacancies in the membership of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions resulting from the expiration, on 31 December 1980, of the terms of office of Mr. Michel Brochard, Mr. Sumihiro Kuyama, Mr. Michael F. H. Stuart, Mr. Morteza Talieh, Mr. Tang Jianwen and Mr. Norman Williams.

2. The following persons have been nominated by their respective Governments for appointment or reappointment:

Mr. Henrik Amnéus (Sweden)

Mr. Michel Brochard (France)

Mr. Ernesto Garrido (Philippines)

Mr. Sumihiro Kuyama (Japan)

Mr. Michael F. H. Stuart (United Kingdom of Great Britain and  
Northern Ireland)

Mr. Tang Jianwen (China)

Mr. Roberto Gaspar Torres (Brazil)

Mr. Norman Williams (Panama)

3. The candidates' curricula vitae follow:

HENRIK AMNEUS

Born in 1935

1960 Graduated from the Stockholm School of Economics

1961 Entered the Swedish Foreign Service

1962-1965 Swedish Embassy, Brussels

1965-1967 Swedish Embassy, Baghdad

1967-1971 Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Stockholm  
Main field of activity: Sweden's economic and trade relations  
with the socialist countries

1971-1975 Swedish Embassy, Bucharest

1975-1978 Permanent Mission of Sweden to the United Nations, New York

Adviser to the Swedish delegation to the thirtieth, thirty-first, and  
thirty-second sessions, and to the seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth  
special sessions of the General Assembly

1975-1977 member of the Swedish delegation to the Governing Council  
of UNDP and to the governing bodies of other United Nations agencies  
in the field of operational activities

1977 Rapporteur of the Budget and Finance Committee of the Governing  
Council of UNDP

1977-1978 alternate delegate to the Fifth Committee, Member of  
observer delegation to CPC and other United Nations organs

1978-1980 Counsellor at the Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Stockholm, and  
Secretary to a governmental commission on Sweden's diplomatic and  
consular service inquiring into the question of how resources at the  
disposal of the Swedish foreign service could most efficiently be used

Mr. Amnéus is married and has two children.

MICHEL BROCHARD

Date of birth: 23 September 1924

Officer of the National Order of Merit

Chevalier of the Legion of Honour

Bachelor of Law

Graduate of the National School of Oriental Languages

Counsellor for Foreign Affairs

1949-1956 Served in Morocco

1956-1958 Africa-Levant Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

1958-1968 Chargé de Mission, Office of the Minister for Foreign Affairs

1968 Chef de Cabinet of the Minister of Economic Affairs and Finance

1968-1969 Chef de Cabinet of the Prime Minister

1969-1972 Technical Adviser, Office of the State Secretary in charge of the Civil Service and administrative reform

1972-1973 Chef de Cabinet of the Minister Delegate of the Prime Minister in charge of parliamentary relations

1973-1974 Technical Adviser, Office of the Minister of Information

1974 Chief, Financial and Administrative Office (Budgetary Affairs of the United Nations and Specialized Agencies), United Nations and International Organizations Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

1976-1978 Alternate representative of France in the Fifth Committee - General Assembly

Alternate representative of France in the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination

1979 Member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

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ERNESTO C. GARRIDO

Chargé d'Affaires, Embassy of the Philippines, Jakarta, Indonesia

Educational qualifications

Bachelor of Science in foreign service (cum laude), Far Eastern University,  
Manila, 1954

Master of Arts in international relations, University of Washington, Seattle, 1958

Diplomatic experience

Philippine representative to the Fifth Committee of the United Nations General  
Assembly for 13 consecutive sessions (1968-1980)

Member of the Philippine delegation to the following meetings:

Enlarged Committee for Programme and Co-ordination (1968)

United Nations Development Programme (1970-1974)

Committee for Programme and Co-ordination (1971-1973)

United Nations Children's Fund (1977)

Rationalization of the Working Procedures of the Economic and Social Council  
(1973)

United Nations Environment Programme (1975)

International Strategy for the Second Development Decade (1970)

Negotiating Committee on the Financial Emergency of the United Nations (1976)

United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, fifth session (1979)

Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific, thirty-fifth session  
(1979)

Asian-African Legal Consultative Committee, Jakarta (1980)

Elective positions in the bureaux of the United Nations

Rapporteur, Fifth Committee, 1973

Rapporteur, United Nations Development Programme, 1975 and 1976

Vice-Chairman, Fifth Committee, 1974

Chairman, United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, 1979

Elective position in the United Nations

Member, United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, representing the United  
Nations General Assembly, 1980-1982

Seminars attended

Budgetary Leadership and Planning, Budget Commission, Manila, 1967

Financial Procedures of the United Nations, sponsored by UNITAR, 1973

The United Nations, sponsored by UNITAR, 1974

Career Development, Development Academy of the Philippines, 1978

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Service board

1947-1949	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Manila
1949-1954	Philippine Embassy, Bangkok
1954-1962	Philippine Consulate General, Seattle, Washington
1962-1965	Philippine Consulate General, San Francisco, California
1965-1968	Philippine Embassy, Lisbon, Portugal
1968-1979	Philippine Mission to the United Nations, New York
1979-	Philippine Embassy, Jakarta, Indonesia

SUMIHIRO KUYAMA

Place and date of birth Japan, 10 October 1936

Academic background University of Tokyo (B.A.)  
Sophia University, Tokyo  
(International Division - M.A.)  
City University of New York  
(Ph.D. cand.)

Present position Counsellor  
Permanent Mission of Japan  
to the United Nations

Previous professional career

1961-1967 Bank of Tokyo

1968-1970 Co-ordination Bureau, Economic Planning Agency, Government of Japan

1969 Representative of Japan on Economic Policy Committee, OECD, Paris

1970-1975 Bureau for Programme Policy and Co-ordination, United Nations  
Development Programme (UNDP)

1975-1977 Representative of Japan (Friends of Chairman) on the Ad Hoc Committee  
on the Restructuring of the Economic and Social Sectors of the  
United Nations, New York and Geneva

1976-1979 Representative of Japan on the Budgetary and Finance Committee,  
UNDP Governing Council, Geneva and New York

1976-1979 Representative of Japan on Committee on Administration and Finance,  
UNICEF Executive Board, New York and Mexico City

1976 Representative of Japan on Committee on Administrative and Budgetary  
Questions, UNEP Governing Council, Nairobi

1978 Representative (alternate) of Japan on the United Nations Conference  
on Technical Co-operation among Developing Countries, Buenos Aires

1978-1979 Representative of Japan on Committee on Programme and Budgetary  
Questions, Commission on Human Settlements, New York and Nairobi

1979 Representative of Japan on Committee for Programme and Co-ordination

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1979-1980 Representative of Japan on Committee of Conferences

1978-1980 Representative (alternate) of Japan on the Fifth Committee,  
General Assembly

Other activities

1959-1960 Representative of Japan (students) on Pax Romana Conference, Manila

MICHAEL F. H. STUART

Mr. Michael Stuart was born at London on 3 October 1926. He won an open demyship in modern history at Magdalen College, Oxford, in January 1945, and after service in the Royal Navy, he read modern history at Oxford from 1947 to 1950, and took his B.A. in 1950 and M.A. in 1952.

In November 1950 he entered the Air Ministry as a general administrator, and served there for 14 years in divisions concerned with organization and supply, personnel administration and financial control. In 1965 he was transferred to the newly created Department of Economic Affairs, where he worked on transport policy, including the investment appraisal of road projects and the pricing and investment policies of public sector industries. He was promoted to Assistant Secretary in 1969 and transferred to the Treasury to take charge of the division responsible for budgetary control of social security (including the co-ordination of welfare benefits) and of the expenditure of the Lord Chancellor's Department, including the Legal Aid Scheme.

In 1974 he was seconded to the diplomatic service for service with the United Kingdom Permanent Mission to the United Nations as Treasury Adviser. He was elected a member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions at the twenty-ninth session of the General Assembly in succession to Mr. J. I. M. Rhodes and was re-elected in 1977.



TANG JIANWEN

Mr. Tang Jianwen, born in October 1919, a native of Hubei Province, China, was graduated from the University of China in Peking with a B.A. degree and obtained his M.B.A. from the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, University of Pennsylvania, and his doctorate in law from the University of Lyon.

From 1946 to 1951, he was administrative officer of the Budgetary Division of the Department of Administrative and Financial Services of the United Nations. From 1951 to 1979 he served as member of the Chinese People's Committee for World Peace and, concurrently, Deputy Director of its General Office in charge of administrative and financial affairs. He is now also Council member of the Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries and, concurrently, its chief of interpreters. From 1958 to 1966, he was visiting professor for international economic problems at the Peking Institute of Foreign Affairs.

ROBERTO GASPARY TORRES

Born in Santos, São Paulo State, 28 October 1943

Joined the diplomatic service in 1967

Second Secretary, 1969

First Secretary, 1976

Counsellor, 1979

Posts abroad

Bonn, 1970-1972

Paris, 1972-1973

Washington, 1976-1977

Assignments at headquarters

Assistant to the head of the Budget Division, 1969

Assistant to the head of the Department for Communications and Documents, 1974

Head of the administration and budgetary control desk in the Department for Communications and Documents, 1975

Assistant to the head of the Department of Administration, 1978

Special assistant to the head of the Department of Administration in charge of budgetary and technical matters, 1978

Head of the Budget Division, 1980

Other assignments abroad

Delegate to the XIth General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency, Vienna, 1967

Participant in the Symposium on Nuclear Vessels, Hamburg, 1971

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NORMAN WILLIAMS

Born in the city of Colón, Republic of Panama

Studies

- 1960 B.A. Public Administration and Commerce, Faculty of Public Administration and Commerce, University of Panama
- 1960 Licence as certified Public Accountant No. 633
- 1961 Financial Analysis Seminar, Panama
- 1962 Human Relations Seminar, Panama
- 1962 Personnel Administration Seminar, Panama
- 1965 Audit Supervision Course, Washington, DC
- 1966 Programme Budgeting Course, Washington, DC
- 1967 Public Finance Course, International Monetary Fund, Washington, DC
- 1968 Financial Analysis and Policy Course, Washington, DC

Professional experience

- 1954-1956 Professor of Accounting, Abel Bravo College, city of Colón
- 1957 Auditor I, Ministry of Finance and the Treasury, Panama
- 1961 Auditor IV, Ministry of Finance and the Treasury, Panama
- 1965 Chief Auditor, Ministry of Finance and the Treasury, Panama
- 1966 Chief Auditor and Accountant, Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce, Panama
- 1968 Special Audit Service, Office of the Comptroller-General of the Republic, Panama
- 1969-1971 Fiscal Policy and Tax Administration Adviser for the Organization of American States in Haiti
- 1971-1972 Adviser for organization of the Supervision and Control Office, Budget Department, Ministry of Planning, Government of Haiti
- 1972 to the present Special Audit Service, Office of the Comptroller-General of the Republic, Panama

At present Special Ambassador, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

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Publications

- 1961 Impuesto sobre la renta en Panama
- 1971 Tax Administration in Haiti, Organization of American States
- 1972 Study on a free port in Haiti, CONADEP, Republic of Haiti
- 1972 Incidencia de la inflación en el impuesto sobre las ventas

Posts held within the United Nations system

- 1977-1980 Panamanian delegate to the Fifth Committee at the thirty-second, thirty-third and thirty-fourth sessions of the United Nations General Assembly
- 1978-1980 Member of the United Nations Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions
- 1979 Member of the Panamanian delegation to the eighth session of the Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea, New York
- 1979 Panamanian delegate to the Ad Hoc Committee on the Indian Ocean, New York
- 1979 Vice-President of the United Nations Pledging Conference for the Transport and Communications Decade in Africa, New York
- 1980 Panamanian delegate to the Seventh Meeting of States Parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, New York
- 1980 Member of the Panamanian delegation to the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on New and Renewable Sources of Energy, New York
- 1980 Member of the Panamanian delegation to the eleventh special session of the General Assembly
- 1980 Member of the Panamanian delegation to the ninth session of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
- 1980 Member of the Panamanian delegation to the thirty-fifth session of the General Assembly