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Note by the Secretary-General

The Secretary-General has received the following communication dated 24 March 1959 from the Delegation of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations, and has the honour to transmit it to the Commission:

"The Delegation of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and on instructions from the Government of the USSR has the honour to nominate Andrei Andronovich Fomin, Senior Adviser to the Delegation of the USSR to the United Nations, as a candidate for re-election to the Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities at the election which is to take place during the fifteenth session of the United Nations Commission on Human Rights."

Biographical Sketch

ANDREI ANDRONOVICH FOMIN, Born at Leningrad in 1918

Received his higher education in applied sciences and in history of international relations.

Has taken part on several occasions since 1946, in the work of various United Nations bodies concerned with social questions. In particular, he has represented the USSR at several sessions of the General Assembly, in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee, and at a number of sessions of the Economic and Social Council. He is the USSR representative in the Social Commission and the USSR

correspondent on social affairs. Acted as substitute for the expert from the USSR at the fifth, seventh, eighth and ninth sessions of the Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities.

From 1954 to date he has been Adviser on social and economic affairs to the USSR Delegation to the United Nations.
