



Ninth session
Agenda item 39(e)

APPOINTMENTS TO FILL VACANCIES IN THE MEMBERSHIP
OF SUBSIDIARY BODIES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. A. LIVERAN (Israel)

1. At its 444th meeting held on 22 October 1954, the Fifth Committee considered a note by the Secretary-General (A/2699) concerning the vacancies which will occur in the membership of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal on the expiration of the terms of office of two of its members on 31 December 1954.
2. The Chairman had previously invited the members of the Fifth Committee to submit names of persons who might be recommended to the General Assembly for appointment to membership of the Administrative Tribunal in accordance with article 3 of its statute. At the time when the matter was considered by the Fifth Committee, the names of three candidates had been proposed.
3. For the purpose of deciding who should be recommended for appointment, the Committee proceeded to vote by secret ballot.
4. Three candidates having obtained a majority of the valid votes cast, the Committee agreed that the two candidates who had received the highest number of votes should be recommended for appointment.

5. The result of the ballot was as follows:

<u>Number of ballot papers:</u>	56
<u>Number of invalid ballots:</u>	0
<u>Number of abstentions:</u>	0
<u>Number of valid ballots:</u>	56
<u>Required majority:</u>	29
<u>Number of votes obtained:</u>	
Mr. V. M. Perez-Perozo	37
Mr. Bror Arvid Sture Petré	35
Mr. Mauro Mendez	30

One other person received 2 votes.

6. Mr. Perez-Perozo and Mr. Petré, having received the highest number of votes, were declared recommended for appointment.

7. The Fifth Committee, therefore, recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following resolution:

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The General Assembly

1. Appoints the following persons as members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal:

Mr. V. M. Perez-Perozo;

Mr. Bror Arvid Sture Petré;

2. Declares Mr. Perez-Perozo and Mr. Petré to be appointed for a three-year term to commence on 1 January 1955.
