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Elections to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other elections

Election of members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination

Note by the Secretary-General

1. In accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly decision 42/450, the members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination are nominated by the Council and elected by the Assembly.
2. The membership of the Committee in 2022 is as follows (the term of office expires on 31 December in the year indicated): Armenia (2023); Belarus (2023); Belgium (2024); Botswana (2024); Brazil (2023); Cameroon (2023); Chile (2024); China (2022); Comoros (2022); Costa Rica (2023); Cuba (2023); Dominican Republic (2023); Eritrea (2023); Eswatini (2023); France (2024); Germany (2023); India (2023); Iran (Islamic Republic of) (2023); Italy (2023); Japan (2023); Kenya (2024); Liberia (2022); Mali (2023); Malta (2023); Mauritania (2022); Pakistan (2023); Paraguay (2024); Philippines (2022); Poland (2023); Republic of Korea (2022); Russian Federation (2024); United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (2023); United States of America (2023); and Uruguay (2022).
3. The General Assembly, at its seventy-seventh session, will be called upon to elect seven members, on the nomination of the Economic and Social Council, to fill the vacancies in the Committee that will occur on 31 December 2022 upon the expiration of the terms of office of the following members: China, Comoros, Liberia, Mauritania, Philippines, Republic of Korea and Uruguay.
4. In accordance with General Assembly decision 42/450, the vacancies are to be filled as follows:
 - (a) Three members from African States;
 - (b) Three members from Asia-Pacific States;
 - (c) One member from Latin American and Caribbean States.
5. By its decision 2022/203 B, the Economic and Social Council nominated the following six Member States for election by the General Assembly for a three-year



term beginning on 1 January 2023: Argentina, China, Liberia, Morocco, Republic of Korea and Tunisia.

6. Subsequently, by its decision 2022/203 C, the Economic and Social Council nominated the Philippines for election by the General Assembly at its seventy-seventh session for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2023.

7. The geographical distribution of the nominated Member States is as follows:

- (a) African States (three vacancies): Liberia, Morocco and Tunisia;
 - (b) Asia-Pacific States (three vacancies): China, Philippines and Republic of Korea;
 - (c) Latin American and Caribbean States (one vacancy): Argentina.
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