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Appointment of an External Auditor

Candidatures for the appointment of an External Auditor

Report by the Director General

This document provides updates on the status of candidatures for the appointment of an External Auditor as of 5 November 2019.

1. Subsequent to the issuance of document IDB.47/11 and as announced in information note No. 83, a communication was received on 4 November 2019 from the Permanent Mission of Indonesia announcing the withdrawal of their candidate for the post of External Auditor. The communication is reproduced in annex I to the present document.
2. On 5 November 2019, as announced in information note No. 84, the Permanent Mission of Bhutan informed the Secretariat of the withdrawal of their candidate for the post of External Auditor. The communication is reproduced in annex II to the present document.
3. Thus, as of 5 November 2019, the status of candidatures for the appointment of an External Auditor is as follows:

Mr. Mohammad Muslim Chowdhury	Comptroller and Auditor General of Bangladesh
Mr. Michael G. Aguinaldo	Chairperson of the Commission on Audit of the Philippines
Mr. Alexei Leonidovich Kudrin	Chairman of the Accounts Chamber of the Russian Federation



Annex I

Permanent Mission of the Republic of Indonesia to the United Nations and other International Organizations in Vienna

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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Indonesia to the United Nations and Other International Organizations in Vienna presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) and has the honour to inform that in the spirit of consensus, Indonesia has decided to withdraw the candidature of Prof. Dr. Moermahadi Soerja Djanegara, Chairman of the Audit Board of the Republic of Indonesia (BPK-RI), for the post of External Auditor of UNIDO for the period of 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2022.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Indonesia to the United Nations and Other International Organizations in Vienna avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) the assurances of its highest consideration.

Vienna, November 2019

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of the Republic of Indonesia,
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(UNIDO)
In Vienna

Annex II

Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Bhutan to the United Nations

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The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Bhutan to the United Nations and Other International Organizations in Vienna presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), and has the honour to inform that in the spirit of consensus, Bhutan has decided to withdraw its candidature of Mr. Tshering Kezang, Auditor General of Bhutan, Royal Audit Authority, for the post of External Auditor for the period from July 2020 to June 2022.

The Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Bhutan to the United Nations and Other International Organizations in Vienna avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of UNIDO in Vienna, the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 5 November 2019

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