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APPOINTMENT OF THE GROUP OF HIGH-LEVEL EXPERTS ON LONG-RANGE STRATEGY OF UNIDO

Note by the Executive Director

1. In compliance with General Assembly resolution 2823(XXVI), operative paragraph 3, the United Nations Secretary-General appointed the following eighteen-member Group from nominations submitted by member States to formulate the long-range strategy for the activities of UNIDO:

Archibald, Charles H.	(Trinidad and Tobago)
Arkadiev, Georgii P.	(Union of Soviet Socialist Republics)
Blum, E.	(Yugoslavia)
Chittenden, George H.	(United States of America)
Perlesch, Giuseppe	(Italy)
Fernandini, Jorge P.	(Peru)
Hassan, A. M.	(Somalia)
Henry, Paul-Marc	(France)
Imady, Mohammed	(Syria)
Jan, M.H.M.	(Malaysia)
Kasr, Jagan	(Iran)
Okita, Satoru	(Japan)

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Ozorio de Almeida, Miguel A.	(Brazil)
Sahloul, Ali A.	(Sudan)
Sissoko, Alioune	(Mali)
Swärd, Bertil	(Sweden)
Szita, János	(Hungary)
Umbricht, Victor	(Switzerland)

2. In a communication dated 18 April 1972, the Chairman of the Group conveyed to the Executive Director of UNIDO the following information on the work of the Group:

"I have the honour to inform you that the Group of High-Level Experts on Long-Range Strategy for UNIDO which was convened by the UN Secretary-General in accordance with General Assembly resolution 2823(XXVI) held its first session in Vienna from 14 to 22 March 1972.

"The following members of the Group were present during this first session:

Archibald, Charles H.	(Trinidad and Tobago)
Arkadiev, Georgii P.	(Union of Soviet Socialist Republics)
Chittenden, George H.	(United States of America)
Perlesch, Giuseppe	(Italy)
Fernandini, Jorge P.	(Peru)
Henry, Paul-Marc	(France)
Imady, Mohammed	(Syria)
Jan, N.B.M.	(Malaysia)
Nasr, Taghi	(Iran)
Okita, Saburo	(Japan)
Ozorio de Almeida, Miguel A.	(Brazil)
Sahloul, Ali A.	(Sudan)
Sissoko, Alioune	(Mali)
Swärd, Bertil	(Sweden)
Szita, János	(Hungary)
Umbricht, Victor	(Switzerland)

"Messrs. E. Blum (Yugoslavia) and A.M. Hassan (Somalia) did not attend the first session.

"After adopting an agenda and rules of procedure, the Group elected the following officers:

Chairman:	J.P. Fernandini (Peru)
Vice-Chairmen:	G. Perlesch (Italy) A. Sissoko (Mali) J. Szita (Hungary)
Rapporteur:	M. Imady (Syria)

"Mr. G.N. Sfeir of UNIDO acted as Technical Secretary to the Group.

"The first session was devoted to an exchange of views on the task of the Group, its terms of reference and organization of its work. Agreement was also reached at this session on the preparation of material and consultations for the next session which will take place in Vienna from 24 August to 1 September 1972.

"You may wish to transmit this information to the sixth session of the Industrial Development Board in order that it be kept informed of the progress in the work of the Group."





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