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#### Membership of WHO bodies and committees

In accordance with rules 14.2.2 and 14.3 of the Regional Committee's Rules of Procedure, the Regional Director, by circular letter of 11 January 2008, invited all Member States of the European Region to submit, by 14 March 2008, nominations for membership of the:

- Executive Board;
- Standing Committee of the Regional Committee;
- Policy and Coordination Committee of the Special Programme of Research, Development and Research Training in Human Reproduction; and
- Regional Search Group.

This document contains, for each of the above bodies, the curricula vitae of candidates and, where appropriate, the terms of reference and an overview of membership of the body in question.



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# **I. EXECUTIVE BOARD**



## **I. Executive Board**

### **Functions of the Executive Board**

1. Article 28 of the WHO Constitution stipulates that the functions of the Executive Board shall be:
  - (a) to give effect to the decisions and policies of the Health Assembly;
  - (b) to act as the executive organ of the Health Assembly;
  - (c) to perform any other functions entrusted to it by the Health Assembly;
  - (d) to advise the Health Assembly on questions referred to it by that body and on matters assigned to the Organization by conventions, agreements and regulations;
  - (e) to submit advice or proposals to the Health Assembly on its own initiative;
  - (f) to prepare the agenda of meetings of the Health Assembly;
  - (g) to submit to the Health Assembly for consideration and approval a general programme of work covering a specific period;
  - (h) to study all questions within its competence;
  - (i) to take emergency measures within the functions and financial resources of the Organization to deal with events requiring immediate action. In particular it may authorize the Director-General to take the necessary steps to combat epidemics, to participate in the organization of health relief to victims of a calamity and to undertake studies and research the urgency of which has been drawn to the attention of the Board by any Member or by the Director-General.

Further information on the rules of procedure of the Board can be found in Basic documents (WHO, Geneva, 2003), also available on the Internet (<http://www.who.int/gb/bd/>).

### **Present membership from the European Region**

2. The Region has eight seats on the Executive Board, which from May 2008 will be filled by persons designated by Denmark, Hungary, Latvia, Moldova, the Russian Federation, Slovenia, Turkey and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Four seats will become vacant in May 2009, when the terms of office of the members designated by Denmark, Latvia, Slovenia and Turkey will expire.

### **Candidatures**

3. In his letter of 11 January 2008, the Regional Director requested Member States to inform him whether they wished to submit candidatures for election at the Sixty-second World Health Assembly in May 2009 (WHA62).
4. It will be recalled that the Regional Committee at its fifty-third session adopted resolution EUR/RC53/R1 on membership of the Executive Board.
5. The following nominations were received at the Regional Office by 14 March 2008 and curricula vitae in standard format are contained in pages 7 to 16.

Armenia (Professor Ara Sayenovich Babloyan)  
Estonia (Dr Maris Jesse)  
Finland (Dr Pekka Matti Jaako Puska)  
France (Professor Didier Houssin)  
Germany (Dr Ewold Seeba)

Poland (Professor Janusz Ślusarczyk)  
Serbia (Professor Tomica Milosavljević)  
Spain (Dr José Martínez Olmos)  
Ukraine (Dr Vasiliy Mikhailovich Knyazevich)  
Uzbekistan (Dr Bakhtiyar Ibragimovich Niyazmatov)

### **Overview of membership**

6. Table 1 shows which countries in the European Region designated members of the Executive Board in the period 1986–2011.



Table 1. Executive Board – Overview of membership<sup>a</sup>

Countries	WHA 39 1986	WHA 40 1987	WHA 41 1988	WHA 42 1989	WHA 43 1990	WHA 44 1991	WHA 45 1992	WHA 46 1993	WHA 47 1994	WHA 48 1995	WHA 49 1996	WHA 50 1997	WHA 51 1998	WHA 52 1999	WHA 53 2000	WHA 54 2001	WHA 55 2002	WHA 56 2003	WHA 57 2004	WHA 58 2005	WHA 59 2006	WHA 60 2007	WHA 61 2008	WHA 62 2009	WHA 63 2010	WHA 64 2011	
Albania																											
Andorra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Member State in 1997																		
Armenia	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																							
Austria				XXX	XXX	XXX																					
Azerbaijan	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																		XXX	XXX	XXX			
Belarus <sup>b</sup>																											
Belgium	XXX														XXX	XXX	XXX										
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																							
Bulgaria							XXX	XXX	XXX																		
Croatia	-	-	-	Member State in 1992							XXX	XXX	XXX														
Cyprus <sup>c</sup>	XXX	XXX	XXX												XXX	XXX	XXX										
Czech Republic	-	-	-	-	Member State in 1993															XXX	XXX	XXX					
Denmark							XXX	XXX	XXX														XXX	XXX	XXX		
Estonia	-	-	-	-	Member State in 1993																						
Finland										XXX	XXX	XXX															
France		XXX	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX				XXX	XXX	XXX					
Georgia	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																							
Germany	XXX	XXX	XXX										XXX	XXX	XXX												
Greece							XXX	XXX	XXX																		
Hungary	XXX	XXX																						XXX	XXX	XXX	
Iceland	XXX																			XXX	XXX	XXX					
Ireland											XXX	XXX	XXX														
Israel								XXX	XXX	XXX																	
Italy			XXX	XXX	XXX											XXX	XXX	XXX									
Kazakhstan	-	-	-	Member State in 1992														XXX	XXX	XXX							
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																							
Latvia	-	-	Member State in 1991																				XXX	XXX	XXX		
Lithuania	-	-	Member State in 1991													XXX	XXX	XXX									
Luxembourg																				XXX	XXX	XXX					
Malta	XXX	XXX	XXX																								
Moldova	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																				XXX	XXX	XXX	

Countries	WHA 39 1986	WHA 40 1987	WHA 41 1988	WHA 42 1989	WHA 43 1990	WHA 44 1991	WHA 45 1992	WHA 46 1993	WHA 47 1994	WHA 48 1995	WHA 49 1996	WHA 50 1997	WHA 51 1998	WHA 52 1999	WHA 53 2000	WHA 54 2001	WHA 55 2002	WHA 56 2003	WHA 57 2004	WHA 58 2005	WHA 59 2006	WHA 60 2007	WHA 61 2008	WHA 62 2009	WHA 63 2010	WHA 64 2011	
Monaco																											
Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Member State in 2006									
Netherlands													XXX	XXX	XXX												
Norway													XXX	XXX	XXX												
Poland	XXX	XXX	XXX									XXX	XXX	XXX													
Portugal								XXX	XXX	XXX												XXX	XXX	XXX			
Romania																					XXX	XXX	XXX				
Russian Federation <sup>d</sup>		XXX	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX					XXX	XXX	XXX
San Marino																											
Serbia <sup>e</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Member State in 2000															
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	Member State in 1993																						
Slovenia	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																							
Spain					XXX	XXX	XXX											XXX	XXX	XXX							
Sweden			XXX	XXX	XXX											XXX	XXX	XXX									
Switzerland															XXX	XXX	XXX										
Tajikistan	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																							
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	-	-	-	-	Member State in 1993																						
Turkey								XXX	XXX	XXX													XXX	XXX	XXX		
Turkmenistan	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																							
Ukraine <sup>b</sup>																											
United Kingdom	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX		XXX	XXX	XXX			XXX	XXX	XXX					XXX	XXX	XXX	
Uzbekistan	-	-	-	Member State in 1992																							

<sup>a</sup> In accordance with Rule 105 of the Rules of Procedure of the Health Assembly, "The term of office of each Member entitled to designate a person to serve on the Board shall begin immediately after the closing of the session of the Health Assembly at which the Member concerned is elected and shall end immediately after the closing of the session of the Health Assembly during which the Member is replaced". However, for the purpose of this table, each term of office is shown as starting with the January session of the Board (about half a year after the Member first takes office) in the year indicated and ending after the close of the Assembly in the year indicated.

<sup>b</sup> Non-active Member State until 1992.

<sup>c</sup> Reassigned from EMRO to EURO as per resolution WHA56.16 (May 2003).

<sup>d</sup> Membership of the former USSR has been continued by the Russian Federation.

<sup>e</sup> Formerly Serbia and Montenegro.

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: ARMENIA**

**Family name**.....BABLOYAN .....**First/Other names**.....Ara Sayenovich .....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....5 May 1947.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French	X	X	X
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

Diploma in medicine, Yerevan State Medical University ..... 1971  
 Diploma in paediatric surgery ..... 1973  
 Diploma in medical sciences..... 1987  
 Professor of Paediatric Surgery ..... 1989  
 Professor of Paediatrics and Paediatric Surgery..... 2006

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Minister of Health ..... 1991–1997  
 General Director, Arabkir Joint Medical Centre and Institute of Child and Adolescent Health ..... 1997–2007  
 Head of Chair in Paediatric Surgery..... 1997–2006  
 Head of Chair in Paediatrics and Paediatric Surgery ..... 2006 to date  
 Chairman, Parliamentary Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Health Care and Environmental Protection ..... 2007 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Member, Standing Committee of the WHO Regional Committee for Europe ..... 2003–2005  
 Member, WHO Technical Steering Committee on Child and Adolescent Health and Development..... 2006 to date

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Chairman, Association of Paediatrics of Armenia  
 Chairman, Scientific Council on Paediatrics  
 Chairman, Parliamentary Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Health Care and Environmental Protection

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Professor Harutyun Kushkyan, Minister of Health

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: ESTONIA**

**Family name**.....JESSE .....**First/Other names**.....Maris.....

**Male/Female**.....Female .....**Date of birth**..... 12 July 1968 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

Medical doctor, Tartu University, Medical Faculty ..... 1993

MSc in health policy, planning and finance, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine/  
London School of Economics, United Kingdom.....2003

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Assistant, Office of Prime Minister ..... 1993–1994

Senior Specialist, Ministry of Social Affairs ..... 1995–1997

Director/Chairman of Management Board, Estonian Health Insurance Fund ..... 1997–2002

Analyst, PRAXIS Centre for Policy Studies ..... 2004–2005

Senior Health Specialist, World Bank ..... 2005 to date

Director, National Institute for Health Development ..... 2008 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Senior specialist in the Ministry of Social Affairs responsible for coordinating donor assistance within the framework of the Estonia Health Reform Project, which included programmes financed by the European Commission, USAID and the governments of Finland, Germany, the Netherlands and Sweden ... 1995–1996

Short-term consultant assignments for WHO, the European Commission and the World Bank in Croatia, the Russian Federation, Turkey and Ukraine ..... 2002–2007

Project partner in the consortium and Steering Committee member for European Commission-funded scientific project on patient mobility “Europe for Patients”..... 2004–2005

World Bank staff member responsible for leading policy dialogue and health projects in Moldova and Ukraine, including multi-donor financed projects, and representation of World Bank in United Nations coordinating mechanisms..... 2005–2007

Member, Drafting Committee for the WHO European Charter on Health Systems ..... 2007–2008

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Director/Chairman of Management Board, Estonian Health Insurance Fund ..... 1997–2002

Member, Government Expert Committee on Social Insurance Reform..... 1997–2003

Member, Advisory Board, Tartu University..... 2001–2003

Member, Supervisory Board, Tartu University Hospital..... 2005–2007

Member, Drafting Committee for the WHO European Charter on Health Systems ..... 2007–2008

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Ms Maret Maripuu, Minister of Social Affairs

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

#### Member State making nomination: FINLAND

Family name.....PUSKA .....First/Other names.....Pekka Matti Jaako .....

Male/Female..... Male.....Date of birth..... 18 December 1945 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German	X	X	X
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

Master of Political Sciences, University of Turku ..... 1968

Doctor of Medicine, University of Turku ..... 1971

PhD in epidemiology and public health, University of Kuopio..... 1974

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Principal investigator and director, North Karelia project, University of Turku ..... 1972–1978

Director, Department of Epidemiology and Health Promotion, National Public Health Institute... 1978–2001

Member of Parliament, member of Parliamentary Health Committee ..... 1987–1991

Director-General, National Public Health Institute..... 2000–2001

Director, Noncommunicable Diseases Prevention and Health Promotion, WHO, Geneva..... 2001–2003

#### Experience of working for and with international organizations

Longstanding collaboration with WHO in various capacities

Longstanding collaboration with several international nongovernmental organizations, including International Union for Health Promotion and Education, World Heart Federation, International Union against Cancer

#### Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level

Chair, several major international health conferences

President-elect, World Heart Federation

Vice-President, International Association of National Public Health Institutes

Chair, numerous national committees

#### Name and position of person making nomination

Ms Paula Risikko, Minister of Health and Social Services

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: FRANCE**

**Family name**.....HOUSSIN .....**First/Other names**.....Didier .....

**Male/Female**..... Male.....**Date of birth**..... 5 June 1949.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French	X	X	X
German	X	X	
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

MD, University of Paris ..... 1980

Degree in surgery, University of Paris..... 1982

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Professor of Surgery, consultant, Faculty of Medicine, University René Descartes-Paris 5 ..... 1988 to date

Director-General, French transplantation institute..... 1994–2003

Head, surgery section, Cochin Hospital ..... 1998–2003

Vice-President (scientific council), University René Descartes-Paris 5 ..... 2001–2004

Director of Medical Policy, Paris hospitals public welfare services..... 2003–2005

Director-General of Health, Ministry of Health, Youth and Sport ..... 2005 to date

Interministerial delegate for avian influenza control ..... 2005 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Participation in session of WHO Executive Board..... 2005

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Vice-President, Working Party on Xenotransplantation, Council of Europe ..... 2000–2002

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Ms Roselyne Bachelot-Narquin, Minister of Health, Youth and Sport

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: GERMANY**

**Family name**..... SEEBA ..... **First/Other names**..... Ewold.....

**Male/Female**..... Male..... **Date of birth**..... 15 January 1960.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German	X	X	X
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 Studies in social science and economics, degree in economics ..... 1986  
 Assistant to Chair of Economic Theory and Finance..... 1986–1991  
 Doctorate ..... 1991

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year* (start/end)  
 Ministry of Economics, Technology and Transport of the Land of Lower Saxony ..... 1992–1996  
 Federal Ministry of Finance..... 1996–1997  
 Director-General, Federal Chancellery ..... 1997–2005  
 Federal Ministry of Health..... 2005 to date  
 Director-General responsible for General Administration, European and International Affairs,  
 Federal Ministry of Health

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Collaboration with the WHO and the European Union (EU)  
 Coordination of the German Presidency of the EU

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Chairman, German Olympic Society (Potsdam)  
 Member, Advisory Council of the German Sporthilfe Elite Forum  
 Member, Board of Directors of Deutsche Bahn Subsidiaries  
 Member, Federal Personnel Committee  
 Member, German Research Foundation

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Ms Ulla Schmidt, Federal Minister of Health

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: POLAND**

**Family name**.....ŚLUSARCZYK.....**First/Other names**.....Janusz.....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....19 November 1946.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German	X	X	
Russian	X	X	

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 MD, Medical Academy, Warsaw ..... 1971  
 PhD ..... 1975  
*Habilitation*..... 1984  
 Professor of Medicine ..... 1994

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Research worker in infectious diseases, immunology, epidemiology, National Institute of Hygiene, Warsaw ..... 1971–1985  
 Head, Department of Immunopathology of Infectious and Parasitic Diseases, Medical Academy, Warsaw ..... 1986–1998  
 Head, Vaccine Control Authority, National Institute of Hygiene, Warsaw ..... 1998–2007  
 Head, Department of Public Health, Warsaw Medical University ..... 2007 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**  
 Consultant/adviser, WHO headquarters, Regional Office for Europe, Regional Office for South-East Asia in eastern Europe, central and south-east Asia ..... 1989–2002  
 Laboratory scientist, General Programme on AIDS, WHO Regional Office for South-East Asia ..... 1990–1992  
 Senior Health Official, Task Force on Communicable Disease Control, Council of the Baltic Sea States ..... 2001–2004

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Chairman, scientific sessions of international meetings  
 Chairman, Executive Committee, Polish Society of Infectious Diseases  
 Secretary, Scientific Council, Ministry of Health

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Dr Adam Fronczak, Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Health



## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: SERBIA**

**Family name**.....MILOSAVLJEVIĆ .....**First/Other names**..... Tomica.....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth** ..... 24 December 1955 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

Medical doctor, School of Medicine, Belgrade University ..... 1979  
 Master's degree in endocrinology, metabolism and enzymology, School of Medicine, Belgrade University ... 1983  
 Specialist in internal medicine (gastroenterology and hepatology), School of Medicine, Belgrade University .. 1986  
 Doctorate in medical services (digestive diseases), School of Medicine, Belgrade University ..... 1988

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Professor of Internal Medicine (gastroenterology), Professor at School of Public health,  
 School of Medicine, Belgrade University ..... 1999  
 Member, Office of the Dean, School of Medicine, Belgrade University ..... 2000–2002  
 Director, Gastroenterology and Hepatology Clinic, Clinical Centre of Serbia ..... 2001–2002  
 Assistant director for internal medicine, Clinical Centre of Serbia ..... 2001–2002  
 Minister of Health ..... 2002 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Head of delegation, WHO Regional Committee for Europe ..... 2002–2007  
 President, Steering Committee, United Nations Children's Fund project: Schools without violence . 2003–2005  
 European Investment Bank, Emergency Reconstruction of Serbian hospital system ..... 2003–2007  
 Head of delegation, Fifty-seventh World Health Assembly ..... 2004  
 World Bank-funded project: Development of health system in Serbia..... 2004–2008  
 Member, Standing Committee of the WHO Regional Committee for Europe ..... 2005–2008  
 National team leader, European Agency for Reconstruction twinning project (with France),  
 National medical products agency..... 2006–2008

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

President, Yugoslav Association of Digestive Endoscopy..... 1996–2000  
 President, Serbian Council of Child Rights ..... 2003–2007  
 President, Society of Coloproctology of Yugoslavia ..... 2003–2007  
 President, National HIV/AIDS prevention commission ..... 2003 to date  
 President, National Commission for the prevention of alcohol and opioids abuse ..... 2003 to date  
 President, Fifty-seventh session of the WHO Regional Committee for Europe ..... 2007  
 Co-director, Postgraduate Course on Gastroenterology, European Association for  
 Gastroenterology and Endoscopy, Belgrade ..... 2007

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Professor Miroljub Labus, Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Serbia

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

#### Member State making nomination: SPAIN

Family name..... MARTÍNEZ OLMOS .....First/Other names..... José.....

Male/Female..... Male.....Date of birth..... 3 December 1958.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	
French	X	X	X
German			
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

MD, Granada University ..... 1982

Master in Public Health and Health Services Administration ..... 1987

Specialist qualifications in preventive medicine and public health..... 2003

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Councillor in charge of health and social services, Guadix City Council ..... 1983–1986

Member, Directorate-General of Primary Health Care, Andalusian Regional Government ..... 1984–1988

Professor, Andalusian School of Public Health ..... 1988–2004

Director-General of Pharmacy ..... 2004–2005

General Secretary of Health, Ministry of Health and Consumer Affairs ..... 2005 to date

#### Experience of working for and with international organizations

Consultant of the Andalusian School of Public Health for international health cooperation projects in Guatemala, Venezuela, Argentina, Panama and Bosnia-Herzegovina

#### Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level

Secretary, Interterritorial Council of the National Health System and President of its Consultative Committee

President of various national commissions (gender violence, AIDS, influenza, organ transplantation, etc.)

Member of the Spanish delegation at various WHO and European Union meetings

Member of various national interministerial commissions (SARS, influenza, drugs, etc.)

#### Name and position of person making nomination

Dr Bernat Soria Escoms, Minister of Health and Consumer Affairs

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: UKRAINE**

**Family name**.....KNYAZEVICH.....**First/Other names**.....Vasiliy Mikhailovich.....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....9 March 1956.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English			
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 Ivano-Frankovsk State Medical Institute .....1984  
 Candidate of Medical Sciences.....1996

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Head, health department, Ternopil oblast state administration .....1995–1998  
 Head, health department, Desnyansk rayon state administration, Kyiv.....2002–2005  
 Head, medical department, State Administrative Department.....2005–2006  
 Deputy head, State Administrative Department, Kyiv.....2006–2007  
 Minister of Health.....2007 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

None

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

First deputy chair, National Council to Combat TB and HIV/AIDS  
 Member, National Presidential Council on Public Health Protection

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Mr Ivan Vasyunik, Deputy Prime Minister

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF WHO

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: UZBEKISTAN**

**Family name**.....NIYAZMATOV .....**First/Other names**.....Bakhtiyar Ibragimovich .....

**Male/Female**..... Male.....**Date of birth**.....25 May 1940.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English			
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
Doctor of Medical Sciences, Professor ..... 1987

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
Director, District Health Board, Andijon Province ..... 1990–1995  
Deputy Minister of Health, Chief Medical Officer ..... 1995 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Head of delegation to the World Health Assembly  
Head of delegation to sessions of the WHO Regional Committee for Europe  
Participation in the work of sessions of the United Nations General Assembly on HIV/AIDS

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

National coordinator, tuberculosis and malaria programmes of WHO, United Nations Children's Fund, and the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Professor Feruz Nazirov, Minister of Health

## **II. STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE**



## **II. Standing Committee of the Regional Committee**

### **Functions of the SCRC**

7. Rule 14.2.10 of the Rules of Procedure of the Regional Committee stipulates that the functions of the SCRC shall be:

- (a) to act for and represent the Regional Committee and to ensure that effect is given to the decisions and policies of the Regional Committee;
- (b) to advise the Regional Committee on questions referred to it by that body, and to counsel the Regional Director as and when appropriate between sessions of the Regional Committee;
- (c) to submit advice or proposals to the Regional Committee and to the Regional Director on its own initiative;
- (d) to propose items for the agenda of meetings of the Regional Committee;
- (e) to submit to the Regional Committee for consideration and approval the regional component of WHO's general programme of work;
- (f) to perform any other functions entrusted to it by the Regional Committee;
- (g) to report to the Regional Committee on its work.

Further information on the SCRC can be found in the Rules of Procedure of the Regional Committee for Europe and of the Standing Committee of the Regional Committee for Europe (WHO Regional Office for Europe, Copenhagen, 2001) also available on the Internet ([www.euro.who.int/Governance/20011105\\_1](http://www.euro.who.int/Governance/20011105_1)).

### **Present membership**

8. By adopting rule 14.2.1 of its Rules of Procedure, the Regional Committee agreed that, when electing the membership of the Standing Committee of the Regional Committee (SCRC), it shall take into account the need for equitable geographical distribution, adequate representation of the interests of the Region, the opportunity for all Member States of the Region to participate over time in the work of the Standing Committee and other considerations relevant to maximizing the effectiveness of the work of the Standing Committee.

9. The terms of office of members from Italy, Netherlands and Serbia will expire at the fifty-eighth session of the Regional Committee. The Regional Committee will therefore be requested to elect three new members of the SCRC, each having a three-year term of office (from September 2008 to September 2011).

10. The terms of office of the remaining six members will continue as follows:

Georgia (Professor Nikoloz Pruidze)	Member until September 2009
Kyrgyzstan (Dr Marat Mambetov)	Member until September 2009
Norway (Dr Bjørn-Inge Larsen)	Member until September 2009
Slovakia (Professor Danka Farkasova)	Member until September 2010
Switzerland (Dr Gaudenz Silberschmidt)	Member until September 2010
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (Dr Vladimir Lazarevik)	Member until September 2010

11. It will be recalled that the Deputy Executive President of the fifty-eighth session of the Regional Committee will be ex-officio Chairperson of the SCRC from September 2008 to September 2009.

## **Nominations**

12. The following nominations were received at the Regional Office by 14 March 2008, and curricula vitae in standard format are contained in pages 23 to 30.

Andorra (Dr Josep-Maria Casals Alís)  
Bulgaria (Professor Lyubomir Atanasov Ivanov)  
Lithuania (Professor Zita Aušrelė Kučinskienė)  
Montenegro (Dr Boban Mugosa)  
Poland (Professor Janusz Ślusarczyk)  
Portugal (Professor José Manuel Domingos Pereira-Miguel)  
Ukraine (Professor Vasiliy Vasilievich Lazorishinets)  
Uzbekistan (Dr Abdunamon Ergashovich Sidikov)

## **Overview of membership**

13. Table 2 gives an overview of countries which have provided members of the SCRC since 1999.



Table 2. Standing Committee of the Regional Committee (SCRC) – Overview of membership<sup>a</sup>

Countries	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Albania												
Andorra												
Armenia				XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX					
Austria					XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
Azerbaijan												
Belarus												
Belgium				XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX					
Bosnia and Herzegovina	XXX											
Bulgaria												
Croatia				XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX					
Cyprus <sup>d</sup>												
Czech Republic	XXX	XXX	XXX									
Denmark					XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				
Estonia						XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX			
Finland		XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
France												
Georgia								XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
Germany												
Greece			XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						
Hungary						XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX			
Iceland	XXX	XXX										
Ireland	XXX	XXX	XXX									
Israel	XXX											
Italy							XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX		
Kazakhstan												
Kyrgyzstan								XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
Latvia			XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						
Lithuania												
Luxembourg		XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
Malta												
Moldova	XXX	XXX										
Monaco												
Montenegro												
Netherlands							XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX		
Norway								XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
Poland	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX								
Portugal												
Romania	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX								
Russian Federation	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX								
San Marino												
Serbia <sup>c</sup>							XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX		
Slovakia									XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
Slovenia			XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						
Spain	XXX	XXX	XXX									
Sweden												
Switzerland									XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
Tajikistan		XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX							
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia									XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
Turkey	XXX	XXX										
Turkmenistan												
Ukraine												
United Kingdom	XXX					XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX			
Uzbekistan					XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX				

<sup>a</sup> For the purpose of this table, each term of office of a member of the SCRC starts with the session of the Regional Committee in the year in which the member is elected and ends at the Regional Committee of the year indicated.

<sup>b</sup> Reassigned from EMRO to EURO as per resolution WHA56.16 (May 2003).

<sup>c</sup> Formerly Serbia and Montenegro.

## Office holders

	Chairperson (Member ex-officio as Deputy Executive President of the Regional Committee)	Vice-Chairperson
1994–1995	Dr Niall Tierney, Ireland	Dr Anthony Vassallo, Malta
1995–1996	Professor Jean-François Girard, France	Dr Mikhail N. Saveliev, Russian Federation
1996–1997	Dr Marta di Gennaro, Italy	Professor Vilius J. Grabauskas, Lithuania
1997–1998	Professor Vilius J. Grabauskas, Lithuania	Dr Jeremy M. Metters, United Kingdom
1998–1999	Dr Danielle Hansen-Koenig, Luxembourg	Dr Jeremy M. Metters, United Kingdom
1999–2000	Dr Jeremy M. Metters, United Kingdom	Professor Ayşe Akin, Turkey
2000–2001	Professor Ayşe Akin, Turkey	Professor Frantisek Kölbel, Czech Republic
2001–2002	Dr James Kiely, Ireland	Dr Jacek Antoni Piatkiewicz, Poland <i>(first and second sessions)</i> Dr Alamhon Akhmedov, Tajikistan <i>(third, fourth, fifth and sixth sessions)</i>
2002–2003	Dr Jarkko Eskola, Finland	Dr Božidar Voljč, Slovenia
2003–2004	Dr Božidar Voljč, Slovenia	Dr Godfried Thiers, Belgium
2004–2005	Dr Godfried Thiers, Belgium	Dr Jens Kristian Gøtrik, Denmark
2005–2006	Dr Jens Kristian Gøtrik, Denmark	Dr Hubert Hrabcik, Austria Dr David Harper, United Kingdom
2006–2007	Dr David Harper, United Kingdom	Ms Annemiek van Bolhuis, Netherlands
2007–2008	Ms Annemiek van Bolhuis, Netherlands	Dr Bjørn-Inge Larsen, Norway

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REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR EUROPE OF WHO

CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: ANDORRA**

**Family name**.....CASALS ALÍS.....**First/Other names**.....Josep-Maria.....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....2 February 1968 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French	X	X	X
German			
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken **Year**  
Degree in veterinary sciences, Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain .....1992

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held **Year** (start/end)  
Head, Department of Food and Nutrition, Ministry of Health .....1996 to date  
Responsible for coordination at the Department for Water Quality and Environmental Health  
at the Ministry of Health .....2005 to date  
Responsible for coordination of projects and programmes with WHO (monitoring the drafting  
of the 2006–2007 and 2008–2009 biennial collaborative agreements), Ministry of Health .....2006 to date  
Responsible for coordination of development of the Health Ministry's information system .....2006 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Delegate of Andorra at the Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth World Health Assemblies and the fifty-sixth and fifty-seventh sessions of the WHO Regional Committee for Europe  
Participation in numerous meetings of WHO and other international organizations of which Andorra is a member (World Organization for Animal Health, United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization, etc.)  
Member, Veterinary Sub-group, Joint European Commission–Andorra Committee for monitoring implementation of the *Protocol on veterinary matters* to the *Exchange of Letters between Andorra and the European Union* since its official establishment in 1999

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

No experience of acting as Chairperson of political committees at national or international level, but has taken the initiative on many technical working groups at national level, the most relevant of which are the group responsible for the *National Environment and Health Action Plan* between 1997 and 1999 and joint management of the *First nutrition survey and study on trends in the dietary habits of the population of Andorra 1991–2005* (carried out between 2004 and 2006)

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Ms Montserrat Gil Torné, Minister of Health, Welfare and Housing  
Ms Meritxell Mateu Pi, Minister of Foreign Affairs

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REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR EUROPE OF WHO

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**Member State making nomination: BULGARIA**

**Family name**.....IVANOV .....**First/Other names**.....Lyubomir Atanasov .....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....7 July 1943 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 Medical doctor, Medical University, Sofia ..... 1963–1969  
 Master of Public Health, international course, under the aegis of WHO, Moscow ..... 1972–1973  
 PhD in international health, Medical University, Sofia ..... 1976  
 Doctor of medical sciences (quality assurance of health services), Medical University, Sofia ..... 1988  
 Professor of Public Health ..... 1996  
 Masters in informatics and health management, Medical University, Sofia ..... 1998

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Adviser to the Minister of Health, Tripoli, Libya ..... 1978–1982  
 Scientific Secretary to the President of the Medical Academy, Sofia ..... 1984–1988  
 Deputy Medical Director, Central Clinical Hospital, Ministry of the Interior ..... 1991  
 Director and Professor, Institute of Public Health, (including School of Public Health), Sofia ..... 1996–1999  
 Director, National Centre of Public Health Protection, Ministry of Health ..... 2005

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

National Director of WHO Countrywide Integrated Noncommunicable Disease Intervention programme ..... 1983–1993  
 Special Representative of the WHO Regional Director for Europe in Tajikistan ..... 1993–1996  
 WHO consultant, Ministry of Health, Georgia on Georgian strategic health plan until 2010 ..... 1999  
 Head, WHO office and United Nations Humanitarian Health Coordinator in Tajikistan ..... 1999–2002  
 Director, WHO Collaborating Centre for Research and Training in Mental Health, Sofia ..... 2005–2008

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

National consultant on social medicine and health management, Ministry of Health; member, Council for the Development of Health Standards; member, Executive Council, National Mental Health Programme; member, European Union High-Level Working Party on Public Health; member, European Commission Working Party on Health Systems; member, European Commission Committee of Senior Officials in Public Health; delegate to sessions of WHO Regional Committee for Europe and World Health Assembly; member, Governing Council, European Public Health Association.

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Professor Radoslav Gaydarski, Minister of Health

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REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR EUROPE OF WHO

CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: LITHUANIA**

**Family name**.....KUČINSKIENÉ .....**First/Other names**.....Zita Aušrelė .....

**Male/Female**.....Female .....**Date of birth**.....27 April 1948 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 MD, Vilnius University ..... 1972  
 PhD in medical biochemistry ..... 1976  
 Associate professor in medical biochemistry ..... 1984  
 Doctor of Sciences in medical biochemistry ..... 1988  
 Professor of Medical Biochemistry ..... 1990

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Research fellow, Karolinska Institute, Stockholm, Sweden ..... 1980–1981  
 Director, Laboratory Diagnostics Centre, Vilnius University Hospital ..... 1981 to date  
 Professor, Department of Physiology, Biochemistry and Laboratory Medicine,  
 Vilnius University ..... 1988 to date  
 Vice-Dean, Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius University ..... 1989–2002  
 Dean, Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius University ..... 2002 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Member, European Research Advisory Board and Bureau ..... 2004–2007  
 Member, Standing Committee, European Medical Research Council ..... 2005 to date  
 Vice-President, Baltic Laboratory Medicine Association ..... 2007 to date  
 Representative of Lithuania in the International Federation of Clinical Chemistry and Laboratory Medicine  
 Former President, Baltic Atherosclerosis Society

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Vice-Chair, National Health Board ..... 2002–2005

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Dr Rimvydas Turčinskas, Minister of Health

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CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: MONTENEGRO**

**Family name**.....MUGOSA .....**First/Other names**.....Boban .....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....28 March 1963.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

Medical doctor, Faculty of Medicine, University of Novi Sad ..... 1991

Specialization in epidemiology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Belgrade..... 1998

MSc, Faculty of Medicine, University of Belgrade ..... 2003

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Director, Centre for Epidemiology ..... 2002–2004

President, Managing Board, Institute of Public Health ..... 2002–2004

Director, Institute of Public Health..... 2005 to date

Assistant in epidemiology, Medical Faculty, University of Montenegro, Podgorica ..... 2005 to date

Lecturer in social medicine with epidemiology and hygiene, Faculty of Physiotherapy, Igalo ... 2005 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

WHO, United Nations Children's Fund, United Nations Development Programme, Project Hope, Fondation PH-Partnerships in Health, Imperial College London, Canadian Public Health Association, Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Vice-President, National Commission for AIDS

National Coordinator for HIV/AIDS

Member, Government commission for the prevention of drug abuse in school children and young people

Member, Government commission for sustainable development

Member, expert groups in the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia: protection against infectious diseases; protection against tuberculosis; poliomyelitis.

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Dr Miodrag Radunović, Minister of Health, Labour and Social Welfare

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CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: POLAND**

**Family name**.....ŚLUSARCZYK.....**First/Other names**.....Janusz .....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....19 November 1946 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German	X	X	
Russian	X	X	

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 MD, Medical Academy, Warsaw ..... 1971  
 PhD ..... 1975  
*Habilitation* ..... 1984  
 Professor of Medicine ..... 1994

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Research worker in infectious diseases, immunology, epidemiology, National Institute of Hygiene, Warsaw ..... 1971–1985  
 Head, Department of Immunopathology of Infectious and Parasitic Diseases, Medical Academy, Warsaw ..... 1986–1998  
 Head, Vaccine Control Authority, National Institute of Hygiene, Warsaw ..... 1998–2007  
 Head, Department of Public Health, Warsaw Medical University ..... 2007 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Consultant/adviser, WHO headquarters, Regional Office for Europe, Regional Office for South-East Asia in eastern Europe, central and south-east Asia ..... 1989–2002  
 Laboratory scientist, General Programme on AIDS, WHO Regional Office for South-East Asia ..... 1990–1992  
 Senior Health Official, Task Force on Communicable Disease Control, Council of the Baltic Sea States ..... 2001–2004

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Chairman, scientific sessions of international meetings  
 Chairman, Executive Committee, Polish Society of Infectious Diseases  
 Secretary, Scientific Council, Ministry of Health

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Dr Adam Fronczak, Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Health

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### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: PORTUGAL**

**Family name**.....PEREIRA-MIGUEL.....**First/Other names**.....José Manuel Domingos .....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....18 April 1947 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French	X	X	X
German			
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 Doctor of Medicine, School of Medicine, Lisbon University .....1970  
 PhD in Medicine (internal medicine), School of Medicine, Lisbon University .....1985  
 Qualification as Head of Hospital Services (internal medicine) .....1988  
 Diploma in Medical Education, University of Wales, Cardiff, United Kingdom .....1997  
 Full University Professor in Preventive Medicine and Public Health, Lisbon University .....1998

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Specialist in internal medicine, Santa Maria University Hospital, Lisbon .....1976–1988  
 Director, Red Cross Hospital, Lisbon .....1988–1993  
 Head, Institute for Preventive Medicine, School of Medicine, Lisbon University .....1995–2001  
 Professor, Preventive Medicine and Public Health, Faculty of Medicine, Lisbon University .....1998 to date  
 Director-General and High Commissioner of Health .....2001–2006  
 President, National Health Institute .....2006 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**  
 Temporary adviser, WHO Cardiovascular Disease Unit .....1974–1988  
 Board member, Councils on Epidemiology and Prevention, International and European Societies  
 of Cardiology.....1978–1988  
 Member, European Society of Cardiology .....1993 to date  
 Member, American College of Preventive Medicine.....1994 to date  
 Member, European Atherosclerosis Society .....1995 to date  
 Representative, committees of the Council of the European Union and the European Commission ...1998 to date  
 Head of delegation, WHO Regional Committee for Europe .....2001 to date  
 Member or head of delegation, on behalf of the Minister of Health, World Health Assembly .....2001 to date  
 Head of delegation, WHO Executive Board .....2003 to date  
 Health Sector Coordinator, Portuguese Presidency of the European Union.....2006–2007

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**  
 Chair, Portuguese Atherosclerosis Society .....1994–1996  
 Chair, scientific or organizational committees of international conferences  
 Chair, National Health Forum .....2004  
 Chair, Programme, Budget and Administration Committee of the WHO Executive Board.....2008

**Name and position of person making nomination**  
 Professor Maria do Céu Machado, High Commissioner for Health



NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE  
REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR EUROPE OF WHO

CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: UKRAINE**

**Family name**.....LAZORISHINETS .....**First/Other names**.....Vasilij Vasilievich .....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....25 May 1957.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French	X	X	
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 OO Bogomolets Medical Institute, Kyiv ..... 1980  
 Candidate of Medical Sciences ..... 1995  
 Doctor of Medical Sciences ..... 2002  
 Professor ..... 2005

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Head, department of surgery for paediatric congenital cardiac pathology,  
 Institute of Cardiovascular Surgery, Academy of Medical Sciences of Ukraine ..... 1994–2003  
 Deputy Director for Research, Institute of Cardiovascular Surgery ..... 2003–2004  
 Head, Medical Administration, Academy of Medical Sciences of Ukraine ..... 2004–2008  
 Deputy Minister of Health..... 2008 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

None

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Full member, European Society for Cardiovascular Surgery  
 Full member, French Society of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Dr Vasilij Mikhailovich Knyazevich, Minister of Health

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REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR EUROPE OF WHO

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**Member State making nomination: UZBEKISTAN**

**Family name**.....SIDIKOV.....**First/Other names**.....Abdunamon Ergashovich.....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....23 September 1957.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	
French			
German	X	X	
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 Diploma in economics.....1980  
 Higher party school.....1989  
 Diploma in law (international law) .....1999

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Senior specialist, economic unit, Cabinet of Ministers ..... 1990–1991  
 Director, Department for the coordination of international and external economic links,  
 Ministry of Health..... 1991 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**  
 Deputy head of delegation to the World Health Assembly ..... 1995–2007  
 Adviser to the head of delegation, sessions of the WHO Regional Committee for Europe..... 1995–2007  
 Alternate member, Standing Committee of the WHO Regional Committee for Europe..... 2003–2006  
 Collaboration with the United States Agency for International Development, the Japan International  
 Cooperation Agency, the United Nations Children’s Fund, the GAVI Alliance, and the Global Fund to  
 Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**  
 National health systems coordinator ..... 2007 to date

**Name and position of person making nomination**  
 Professor Feruz Nazirov, Minister of Health

**III. POLICY AND COORDINATION  
COMMITTEE OF THE SPECIAL  
PROGRAMME OF RESEARCH,  
DEVELOPMENT AND RESEARCH  
TRAINING IN HUMAN REPRODUCTION**



### **III. Policy and Coordination Committee of the Special Programme of Research, Development and Research Training in Human Reproduction**

#### **Terms of reference**

14. The Policy and Coordination Committee (PCC) is the governing body of the Special Programme.

#### **1. Functions**

The Memorandum on the Administrative Structure of the Special Programme of Research, Development and Research Training in Human Reproduction stipulates that PCC shall, for the purpose of coordinating the interests and responsibilities of the parties cooperating in the Special Programme, have the following functions:

1.1 To review and decide upon the planning and execution of the Special Programme. For this purpose it will keep itself informed of all aspects of the development of the Special Programme and consider reports and recommendations submitted to it by the Standing Committee referred to in Section 3 of this Memorandum (hereinafter called the Standing Committee), the Executing Agency and the Scientific and Technical Advisory Group referred to in Section 4 of this Memorandum (hereinafter called STAG).

1.2 To review and approve the plan of action and budget for the coming financial period prepared by the Executing Agency and reviewed by STAG and the Standing Committee.

1.3 To review the proposals of the Standing Committee and approve arrangements for the financing of the Special Programme.

1.4 To review proposed longer-term plans of action and their financial implications.

1.5 To review the annual financial statements submitted by the Executing Agency, and the audit report thereon submitted by the External Auditor of the Executing Agency.

1.6 To review periodic reports that will evaluate the progress of the Special Programme towards the achievement of its objectives.

1.7 To review and endorse the selection of members of STAG by the Executing Agency in consultation with the Standing Committee.

1.8 To consider such other matters relating to the Special Programme as may be referred to it by any Cooperating Party.

#### **2. Membership**

PCC shall consist of 32 members from among the Cooperating Parties as follows:

2.1 *Largest financial contributors:* 11 government representatives from the countries that were the largest financial contributors to the Special Programme in the previous biennium.

2.2 *Countries elected by the WHO regional committees:* 14 government representatives from Member States elected by the WHO regional committees for three-year terms according to population distribution and regional needs, distributed as follows:

Africa	4
Americas	2
South-East Asia	3
Europe	1
Eastern Mediterranean	1
Western Pacific	3

In these elections, due account should be taken of a country's financial and/or technical support to the Special Programme and its interest in the fields of family planning, research and development in human reproduction and fertility regulation, as demonstrated by national policies and programmes.

2.3 *Other interested Cooperating Parties:* two members elected by PCC for three-year terms from the remaining Cooperating Parties.

2.4 *Permanent members:* the Co-sponsors of the Special Programme and the International Planned Parenthood Federation.

Members of PCC in categories 2.2 and 2.3 may be re-elected.

### **Present membership**

15. In accordance with the terms of reference of the Policy and Coordination Committee (see above), the European regional seat will become vacant on 31 December 2008, on the expiry of the term of office of Armenia. Member States were therefore invited to submit applications for selection or reselection by the Regional Committee of one Member State for a three-year period from 1 January 2009.

16. A list of current members of the Policy and Coordination Committee is given below.

#### ***Category (1) Largest financial contributors in the previous biennium, 2006–2007\****

Belgium	Netherlands
Canada	Norway
China	Sweden
Finland	Switzerland
France	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
India	

#### ***Category (2) Countries elected by the WHO Regional Committees***

Argentina	Indonesia
Armenia	Mexico
Bangladesh	Mongolia
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Myanmar
Equatorial Guinea	Republic of Korea
Eritrea	Singapore
Ghana	Syrian Arab Republic

#### ***Category (3) Other interested cooperating parties***

United Arab Emirates  
Zambia

#### ***Permanent members***

UNDP	} Co-sponsors
UNFPA	
WHO	
The World Bank	
IPPF	

\* At its 16<sup>th</sup> meeting in June 2003, PCC endorsed the interpretation of section 2.2.1 of the Memorandum on the Administrative Structure of the Special Programme to mean that Category 1 membership should consist of representatives of the 11 largest donors not otherwise represented on the PCC under another category.

## Nominations

17. The following nominations were received at the Regional Office by 14 March 2008, and curricula vitae in standard format are contained in pages 36 to 37.

Ukraine (Professor Vitaliy Fedorovich Moskalenko)  
Uzbekistan (Dr Klara Takhirovna Yadgarova)

## Overview of membership

18. Table 3 shows the European countries selected by the Regional Committee for membership of the Policy and Coordination Committee from 1993 to 2008.

Table 3. Membership of the Policy and Coordination Committee, 1993–2008

Country	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Turkey	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX												
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia					XXX	XXX	XXX									
Uzbekistan								XXX	XXX	XXX						
Slovenia											XXX	XXX	XXX			
Armenia														XXX	XXX	XXX

NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE POLICY AND COORDINATION COMMITTEE  
OF THE SPECIAL PROGRAMME OF RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT AND  
RESEARCH TRAINING IN HUMAN REPRODUCTION

CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: UKRAINE**

**Family name** ..... MOSKALENKO .....**First/Other names** ... Vitaliy Fedorovich.....

**Male/Female** ..... Male.....**Date of birth**.....25 January 1949 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English			
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken **Year**  
Kharkov Medical Institute .....1972  
Candidate of Medical Sciences .....1982  
Professor .....2000  
Doctor of Medical Sciences .....2001  
Corresponding member, Academy of Medical Sciences of Ukraine .....2002

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held **Year (start/end)**  
Deputy Minister of Health .....1998–1999  
First Deputy Minister of Health .....1999–2000  
Minister of Health .....2000–2002  
Adviser to the President .....2002–2003  
Rector, OO Bogomolets National Medical University .....2003 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Board member, Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria .....2002–2003

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Member, Collegium, Ministry of Health  
Member, Review Board, Ministry of Education and Science  
Member, State Accreditation Commission, Ministry of Education and Science

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Dr Vasiliy Mikhailovich Knyazevich, Minister of Health



NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE POLICY AND COORDINATION COMMITTEE OF  
THE SPECIAL PROGRAMME OF RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT AND  
RESEARCH TRAINING IN HUMAN REPRODUCTION

CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: UZBEKISTAN**

**Family name**..... YADGAROVA.....**First/Other names**.....Klara Takhirovna .....

**Male/Female**..... Female .....**Date of birth**.....21 April 1959 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 Undergraduate student, Central Asian Institute of Medical Paediatrics..... 1976–1982  
 Residency in midwifery and gynaecology ..... 1985–1987  
 Candidate of Medical Sciences.....1994

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Deputy Director, Directorate for Maternal and Child Health, Ministry of Health .....2002–2004  
 Director, Directorate for Maternal and Child Health, Ministry of Health .....2004 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

National coordinator, WHO Making Pregnancy Safer programme  
 Member, national delegation to fifty-eighth World Health Assembly  
 Member, national delegation to fifty-fifth session of the WHO Regional Committee for Europe  
 Member, WHO technical group on nutrition .....2006

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Expert, WHO scientific technical consultative group on reproductive health  
 Moderator, national and regional meetings on reproductive health and making pregnancy safer organized with the participation of WHO, the United Nations Children’s Fund and the United Nations Population Fund

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Professor Feruz Nazirov, Minister of Health



## **IV. REGIONAL SEARCH GROUP**



## **IV. Regional Search Group**

### **Terms of reference**

19. At its session preceding the one at which a person is due to be nominated as Regional Director, the Regional Committee shall appoint a Regional Search Group, based on equitable geographical distribution, to make a preliminary evaluation of candidates for nomination and to perform related functions as set out in Rule 47 of the Rules of Procedure of the Regional Committee.

20. The Regional Committee will therefore be requested to elect three members and three alternates chosen from delegations of the Members attending the fifty-eighth session of the Regional Committee. The selection of the members and alternates shall be carried out, *mutatis mutandis*, in accordance with the procedure set forth in Rule 14.2.2 of the Regional Committee's Rules of Procedure.

### **Nominations**

21. The following nominations were received at the Regional Office by 14 March 2008, and curricula vitae in standard format are contained in pages 42 to 49.

Armenia (Dr Tatul Hakobyan)  
Italy (Dr Donato Greco)  
Kyrgyzstan (Dr Boris Ivanovich Dimitrov)  
Latvia (Mr Rinalds Mucinš)  
Portugal (Professor Maria do Céu Machado)  
Russian Federation (Dr Oleg Petrovich Chestnov)  
Sweden (Mr Fredrik Lennartsson)  
Turkey (Professor Sabahattin Aydin)

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE REGIONAL SEARCH GROUP

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: ARMENIA**

**Family name**..... HAKOBYAN ..... **First/Other names**..... Tatul .....

**Male/Female**..... Male..... **Date of birth**..... 24 April 1963 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

BSc in Pharmacology, Yerevan State Medical University ..... 1985  
 Master of Business Administration, American University of Armenia ..... 1994  
 Master of Public Health, American University of Armenia ..... 1997  
 Diploma, International Course on Health Systems Management, Galilee College, Israel..... 1998  
 Certificate, Health Systems Management Seminar, National School of Public Health, Greece..... 1999

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Medical Coordinator, United Methodist Committee on Relief programme ..... 1998–1999  
 Director, General Department of Provisions..... 1999–2000  
 Director, Policy Department, Ministry of Health..... 2000  
 Senior Technical Adviser, USAID/Abt Associates Inc. Armenia Social Transition Programme ... 2000–2002  
 Deputy Minister of Health..... 2002 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Member, European Environment and Health Committee ..... 1995–1997  
 Health Expert, European Community Technical Aid to the Commonwealth of Independent States project ..... 1997–1998  
 Independent consultant, World Bank Project Implementation Unit..... 1997–1998  
 Medical Coordinator, United Methodist Committee on Relief programme ..... 1998–1999  
 Board member, GAVI Alliance ..... 2007 to date

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

None

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Professor Harutyun Kushkyan, Minister of Health

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE REGIONAL SEARCH GROUP

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: ITALY**

**Family name**..... GRECO .....**First/Other names**..... Donato .....

**Male/Female**..... Male.....**Date of birth**..... 24 April 1947 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French	X	X	X
German			
Russian		X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken **Year**

Degree in medicine and surgery, University of Naples.....1971  
 Specialization in infectious, tropical and subtropical diseases, University of Naples.....1974  
 Specialization in preventive medicine and hygiene, University of Naples .....1977  
 Training course in epidemiology and surveillance of communicable diseases under the aegis  
 of WHO, Moscow, Prague, Alexandria .....1977  
 Specialization in medical statistics, University of Rome .....1982

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held **Year (start/end)**

Director, WHO Collaborating Centre for Health and Disease's Surveillance,  
 Higher Institute of Health, Rome .....1984–2004  
 Director, Epidemiology and Biostatistics Laboratory, Higher Institute of Health, Rome.....1996–2003  
 Director, National Centre for Epidemiology, Surveillance and Health Promotion,  
 Higher Institute of Health, Rome .....2003–2004  
 General Director, Prevention, Ministry of Health .....2004–2006  
 Head, Department of Prevention and Communication, Ministry of Health.....2006 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

European Advisory Group for the Expanded Programme on Immunization  
 WHO Expert Advisory Panel on Acute Bacterial Diseases  
 WHO European Regional Commission for the Certification of Eradication of Poliomyelitis  
 European Union Charter Group on Communicable Disease Surveillance  
 European Union Community Network on Communicable Diseases

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

National AIDS Commission  
 European Commission Directorate-General V Public Health Committee  
 National Health Plan Committee  
 National Vaccines Committee  
 National Research Committee

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Dr Livia Turco, Minister of Health

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE REGIONAL SEARCH GROUP

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: KYRGYZSTAN**

**Family name**.....DIMITROV.....**First/Other names**.....Boris Ivanovich .....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....8 July 1946 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

Diploma in medicine, Kyrgyz State Medical Institute.....1977

Diploma, University of York, United Kingdom .....1995

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Head, Department of External Relations, Ministry of Health .....1993–2006

Adviser to the Minister of Health .....2008 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

None

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

None

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Dr Marat Mambetov, Minister of Health



## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE REGIONAL SEARCH GROUP

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: LATVIA**

**Family name**.....MUCINŠ .....**First/Other names**.....Rinalds .....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....12 March 1975.....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 Bachelor of Law, Faculty of Law, University of Latvia ..... 1998

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Head, Legal Department, State Compulsory Health Insurance Agency ..... 2001–2002  
 Director, Public Health Department, Ministry of Health ..... 2003–2004  
 Minister of Health ..... 2004  
 Deputy State Secretary, Ministry of Health ..... 2004 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Representative of Latvia, European Commission High-level Committee on Public Health  
 Representative of Latvia, meetings of WHO Regional Office for Europe  
 Representative of Latvia, World Health Assembly  
 Representative, World Bank Health Reform Action Committee  
 Representative of Latvia, various international congresses and workshops

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Head, Working group on elaboration of the National Health Care Development Plan  
 Head, Working group on problems of human resources development in health care  
 Head, Working group on e-health implementation in Latvia

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Dr Ivars Eglītis, Minister of Health

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE REGIONAL SEARCH GROUP

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: PORTUGAL**

**Family name**.....MACHADO .....**First/Other names**.....Maria do Céu .....

**Male/Female**.....Female .....**Date of birth**.....1 October 1949 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French	X	X	X
German			
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 MD, Medical School, Lisbon University ..... 1970  
 National Board Certified Paediatrician ..... 1980  
 PhD in medicine, New University of Lisbon..... 1997

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Medical doctor, specialist in Paediatrics, Dona Estefânia Hospital and Alfredo da Costa maternity clinic, Lisbon ..... 1980–1990  
 Lecturer in neonatology, New University of Lisbon ..... 1985–1992  
 Consultant in neonatology, Alfredo da Costa maternity clinic, Lisbon ..... 1990–1996  
 Professor of Paediatrics, New University of Lisbon ..... 1992–1997  
 Head, Paediatrics Department, Fernando Fonseca Hospital, Lisbon ..... 1996–2006  
 Professor of Paediatrics, Lisbon University ..... 1998 to date  
 Clinical Director, Fernando Fonseca Hospital, Lisbon ..... 2005–2006  
 President, National Committee for the Health and Welfare of Children and Teenagers ..... 2003 to date  
 High Commissioner for Health ..... 2006 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**  
 President, Portuguese College of Paediatrics ..... 1994–2000  
 Portuguese Council Member, European Board of Paediatrics ..... 1994–2000  
 President, Portuguese Neonatal Society ..... 1995–1998  
 Member, Steering Committee, Portuguese Academy of Medicine ..... 1998 to date  
 Member, Steering Committee, Federation of European Academies of Medicine ..... 2006 to date

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**  
 Chair, scientific or organizational committees of several international conferences ..... 1994 to date  
 Member or Head of Delegation, on behalf of the Minister of Health to WHO and European Commission ..... 2006 to date  
 Chair, Portuguese Committee of Senior Officials of the Eighth Conference of European Ministers ..... 2007 to date  
 Chair, Portuguese High-level Committee on Public Health ..... 2007 to date

**Name and position of person making nomination**  
 Dr Ana Teodoro Jorge, Minister of Health

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE REGIONAL SEARCH GROUP

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: RUSSIAN FEDERATION**

**Family name**.....CHESTNOV .....**First/Other names**..... Oleg Petrovich .....

**Male/Female**..... Male.....**Date of birth**.....26 August 1956 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian	X	X	X

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*  
 Higher medical training, degree in medicine ..... 1979  
 Training in health administration ..... 1987, 2005  
 Degree in administration of nongovernmental organizations, Johns Hopkins University, United States..... 1992

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*  
 Gastroenterologist, Central Municipal Hospital ..... 1979–1988  
 Vice-president, Alliance of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies of the Soviet Union..... 1991–1992  
 Head of delegation of the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (Chernobyl, Armenia, Croatia, Belarus, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation) ..... 1993–1999  
 Director General, Russian Red Cross Society ..... 1999–2002  
 Deputy Director, Department for International Cooperation and Public Relations, Ministry of Health and Social Development ..... 2005 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies, Geneva ..... (1992–1999)  
 WHO, European Union’s Technical Assistance to the Commonwealth of Independent States programme, Canadian International Development Agency, Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency, United States Agency for International Development, International Committee of the Red Cross, Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, Arctic Council, Global Fund to fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria, Northern Dimension, International Agency for Research on Cancer

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Frequent participation in sessions of WHO governing bodies; member of administration of International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Ms TA Golikova, Minister of Health and Social Development

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE REGIONAL SEARCH GROUP

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: SWEDEN**

**Family name**.....LENNARTSSON.....**First/Other names**.....Fredrik .....

**Male/Female**..... Male.....**Date of birth**..... 3 April 1966 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

MSc in Economics, Stockholm School of Economics..... 1990  
International Management Programme, New York University School of Business, United States ..... 1991  
Doctoral Studies in Management and Organization Theory, Stockholm School of Economics ... 1992–1994

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year (start/end)*

Adviser (Management) to the Director-General, Central Board of Health, Zambia..... 1996–1999  
Head of Section, Budgeting and Planning, Ministry of Health and Social Affairs..... 1999–2000  
Adviser (Financial Management) to the Permanent Secretary of the Treasury, South Africa..... 2000–2002  
Director/Special Adviser and Deputy Head, Department of Health Care, Ministry of Health and Social Affairs ..... 2002–2004  
Deputy Director-General, Head of European Union and International Affairs, Ministry of Health and Social Affairs ..... 2004 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Member of the European Union High-Level Working Party on Public Health  
Adviser to the Director-General of the Central Board of Health (coordination of international organizations in establishing a health sector support programme)  
Swedish Government chief delegate to WHO and other United Nations meetings

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Swedish Government representative on the EU High-Level Group on Health Services and Medical Care  
Co-Chair, Swecare Foundation  
Chair, Swedish-Russian Steering Group on Public Health  
Chairman, Committee of Senior Representatives of the EU Northern Dimension Partnership on Health and Social Well-Being

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Ms Maria Larsson, Minister for Elderly Care and Public Health

## NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE REGIONAL SEARCH GROUP

### CURRICULUM VITAE

**Member State making nomination: TURKEY**

**Family name**.....AYDIN .....**First/Other names**.....Sabahattin .....

**Male/Female**.....Male.....**Date of birth**.....20 December 1959 .....

**Language abilities:** please indicate in which of the Regional Committee working languages the nominee is able to function effectively

	Speak	Read	Write
English	X	X	X
French			
German			
Russian			

**Professional education:** name (up to 5) most important professional degrees taken *Year*

Doctor of Medicine, Istanbul University Medical Faculty, Istanbul..... 1979–1985

Postdoctoral Certificate in Urology, Trakya University Medical Faculty, Edirne ..... 1987–1992

**Professional career:** name (up to 5) most important positions held *Year* (start/end)

Associate professor, Department of Urology, School of Medicine, Yüzüncü Yil University, Van..... 1996–2001

Professor, Department of Urology, School of Medicine, Yüzüncü Yil University, Van ..... 1996 to date

Vice Dean, School of Medicine, Yüzüncü Yil University, Van..... 1997–1999

Health Manager, Municipality of Istanbul ..... 2001–2002

Deputy Under-Secretary, Ministry of Health..... 2002 to date

**Experience of working for and with international organizations**

Alternate member, WHO European Regional Search Group ..... 2003–2006

Member, WHO Executive Board ..... 2005 to date

**Experience of acting as Chairperson of high-level political and technical committees at national and/or international level**

Chairperson, National Commission for Harmonization of Data Protection

Chairperson, National Pharmaceutical Pricing Commission

Coordinator, Health Transformation Programme

**Name and position of person making nomination**

Professor Recep Akdağ, Minister of Health