Appendix 2



Principal Organs of the United Nations

General Assembly

The General Assembly is composed of all 191 members of the United Nations. As of December 31, 2002, they are:

Member	Date of Admission	Member	Date of Admission	
Afghanistan	Nov. 19, 1946	Cameroon	Sept. 20, 1960	
Albania	Dec. 14, 1955	Canada	Nov. 9, 1945	
Algeria	Oct. 8, 1962	Cape Verde	Sept. 16, 1975	
Andorra	July 28, 1993	Central African		
Angola	Dec. 1, 1976	Republic	Sept. 20, 1960	
Antigua and		Chad	Sept. 20, 1960	
Barbuda	Nov. 11, 1981	Chile	Oct. 24, 1945	
Argentina	Oct. 24, 1945	China	Oct. 24, 1945	
Armenia	March 2, 1992	Colombia	Nov. 5, 1945	
Australia	Nov. 1, 1945	Comoros	Nov. 12, 1975	
Austria	Dec. 14, 1955	Congo	Sept. 20, 1960	
Azerbaijan	March 2, 1992	Congo, Democratic		
Bahamas	Sept. 18, 1973	Republic of	Sept. 20, 1960	
Bahrain	Sept. 21, 1971	Costa Rica	Nov. 2, 1945	
Bangladesh	Sept. 17, 1974	Cote d'Ivoire	Sept. 20, 1960	
Barbados	Dec. 9, 1966	Croatia	May 22, 1992	
Belarus	Oct. 24, 1945	Cuba	Oct. 24, 1945	
Belgium	Dec. 27, 1945	Cyprus	Sept. 20, 1960	
Belize	Sept. 25, 1981	Czech Republic	Jan. 19, 1993	
Benin	Sept. 20, 1960	Denmark	Oct. 24, 1945	
Bhutan	Sept. 21, 1971	Djibouti	Sept. 20, 1977	
Bolivia	Nov. 14, 1945	Dominica	Dec. 18, 1978	
Bosnia and		Dominican		
Herzegovina	May 22, 1992	Republic	Oct. 24, 1945	
Botswana	Oct. 17, 1966	Ecuador	Dec. 21, 1945	
Brazil	Oct. 24, 1945	Egypt	Oct. 24, 1945	
Brunei		El Salvador	Oct. 24, 1945	
Darussalam	Sept. 21, 1984	Equatorial Guinea	Nov. 12, 1968	
Bulgaria	Dec. 14, 1955	Eritrea	May 28, 1993	
Burkina Faso	Sept. 20, 1960	Estonia	Sept. 17, 1991	
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The 56th regular session of the General Assembly, which had been suspended December 24, 2001, held resumed sessions during 2002. The session was formally closed on September 9.

The General Assembly held its 27th special session in May 2002, devoted to "World Summit for Children." The 10th emergency special session met in May and August to discuss illegal Israeli actions in Occupied East Jerusalem and the rest of the Occupied Palestinian territory.

The 57th regular session of the General Assembly convened September 10, 2002, and was suspended December 20, 2002.

The Assembly elected Jan Kavan (Czech Republic) as President and the Chairs of the Delegations of Austria, Bahrain, Barbados, Chad, China, Ecuador, Egypt, Ethiopia, France, Gambia, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Mexico, Portugal, Qatar, Russian Federation, Swaziland, Togo, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United States of America, and Vietnam as the 21 Vice Presidents.

The Chairs of the six Main Committees, on which each member may be represented, were:

First Committee (Disarmament and International Security)—Semakula Kiwanuka (Uganda)

Second Committee (Economic and Financial)—Marco Antonio Suazo Fernandez (Honduras)

Third Committee (Social, Humanitarian, and Cultural)—Christian Wenaweser (Liechtenstein)

Fourth Committee (Special Political and Decolonization)—Graham Maitland (South Africa)

Fifth Committee (Administrative and Budgetary)—Murari Raj Sharma (Nepal)

Sixth Committee (Legal)—Arpad Prandler (Hungary)

The General Committee (steering committee) is composed of the President, the 21 Vice Presidents and the Chairs of the 6 Main Committees of the General Assembly.

Security Council

The Security Council is composed of 5 members designated in the Charter as permanent and 10 members elected by the General Assembly for 2-year terms ending December 31 of the year given in the heading:

Permanent Members: China, France, Russian Federation, United Kingdom, United States

2002: Columbia, Ireland, Mauritius, Norway, and Singapore

2003: Bulgaria, Cameroon, Guinea, Mexico, and the Syrian Arab Republic

On September 27, the Assembly elected Angola, Chile, Germany, Pakistan, and Spain as members of the Security Council for 2–year terms of office beginning January 1, 2003.

Trusteeship Council

The Trusteeship Council is composed of the United States and the other four Permanent Members of the Security Council (China, France, Russian Federation, United Kingdom).

In 1994 the Trusteeship Council adopted an amendment to its rules of procedure stating that it will meet in the future only on request. The Council held its 63rd session in October.

Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC)

ECOSOC is composed of 54 members elected by the General Assembly for 3–year terms ending December 31 of the year given in the heading:

2002: Angola, Austria, Bahrain, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Fiji, France, Germany, Malta*, Japan, Mexico, Spain, Sudan, and Suriname

2003: Andorra, Argentina, Brazil, Egypt, Ethiopia, Georgia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Italy, Nepal, the Netherlands, Nigeria, Pakistan, Peru, the Republic of Korea, Romania, South Africa, Uganda, and the United States of America

2004: Australia, Bhutan, Burundi, Chile, China, El Salvador, Finland, Ghana, Guatemala, Hungary, India, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Qatar, the Russian Federation, Sweden, Ukraine, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and Zimbabwe

The General Assembly elected Azerbaijan, Benin, Congo, Cuba, Ecuador, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Malaysia,

Mozambique, Nicaragua, Portugal, Saudi Arabia, and Senegal for 3-year terms beginning on January 1, 2002. All were elected on October 3.

*Vice Greece.

International Court of Justice

The International Court of Justice consists of 15 members elected by the General Assembly and Security Council for 9-year terms ending February 5 of the year shown in parentheses. The judges, as of December 31, 2002, listed in order of precedence, are:

Gilbert Guillaume, France (2009), President

Shi Jiuyong, China (2003), Vice President

Shigeru Oda, Japan (2003)

Raymond Ranjeva, Madagascar (2009)

Geza Herczegh, Hungary (2003)

Carl-August Fleischhauer, Germany (2003)

Abdul Koroma, Sierra Leone (2003)

Vladlen S. Vereshchetin, Russian Federation (2006)

Rosalyn Higgins, United Kingdom (2009)

Gonzalo Parra-Aranguren, Venezuela (2009)

Pieter H. Kooijmans, Netherlands (2006)

Francisco Rezek, Brazil (2006)

Awn Shawkat Al-Khasawneh, Jordan (2009)

Thomas Buergenthal, United States (2006)

Nabil Elaraby, Egypt (2006)

UN Secretariat

The Secretariat, one of the principal organs of the United Nations, services the other UN bodies, administering the programs and policies laid down by them. It is headed by the Secretary–General, who is appointed by the General Assembly on the recommendation of the Security Council for a five–year renewable term. The Secretariat has a staff drawn from about 170 countries. At the end of 2002, the Secretariat had a staff of 15,308, including 1,853 Americans. (There was an additional 7,173 staff in peacekeeping operations, including 663 Americans.) UN subsidiary bodies, specialized agencies, and the International Atomic Energy Agency employ an additional 39,383 people, including 1,953 Americans.

Kofi Annan, Secretary–General (first term began January 1, 1997; reappointed to second term, beginning January 1, 2002)

Louise Fréchette, Deputy Secretary-General

Dileep Nair, Under Secretary–General, Office of Internal Oversight Services Hans Corell, Under Secretary–General, Office of Legal Affairs

Sir Kieran Prendergast, Under Secretary-General, Department of Political Affairs

Jayantha Dhanapala, Under Secretary–General, Department for Disarmament Affairs

Jean-Marie Guehenno, Under Secretary-General, Department of Peacekeeping Operations

Kenzo Oshima, Under Secretary-General, Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs

Nitin Desai, Under Secretary-General, Department of Economic and Social Affairs

Chen Jian, Under Secretary-General, Department for General Assembly Affairs and Conference Services

Shashi Tharoor, Under Secretary–General, Department of Public Information

Catherine Bertini, Under Secretary-General, Department of Management

Antonio Maria Costa, Under Secretary-General, UN Office at Vienna

Sergei A. Ordzhonikidze, Under Secretary–General, UN Office at Geneva

Klaus Toepfer, Under Secretary-General, UN Office at Nairobi

The **Senior Management Group** is a committee of senior UN managers that serves as the Secretary–General's cabinet and the central policy planning body of the United Nations. It comprises Kofi Annan, Secretary–General (Chair), Louise Fréchette, Deputy Secretary–General, all of the Under Secretary–Generals, and the following:

Carol Bellamy, Executive Director, UN Children's Fund

Anwarul Chowdhury, High Representative for Least Developed Countries, Landlocked and Small Island Developing States

Ibrahim A. Gambari, Special Advisor in Africa

Kim Hak-Su, Executive Secretary, Economic and Social Commission for Asia and Pacific

Ruud Lubbers, High Commissioner for Refugees

Mark Malloch Brown, Administrator, UN Development Program

James T. Morris, Executive Director, World Food Program

Thoraya Obaid, Executive Director, UN Population Fund

Olara Otunnu, Children and Armed Conflict

Rubens Ricupero, Secretary-General, UN Conference on Trade and Development

Iqbal Riza, Chef de Cabinet

Sergio Vieira de Mello, High Commissioner for Human Rights

K. Y. Amoako, Executive Secretary, Economic Commission for Africa

José Antonio Ocampo, Executive Secretary, Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean

Brigita Schmögnerová, Executive Secretary, Economic Commission for Europe

Mervat M. Tallawy, Executive Secretary, Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia

Anna K. Tibaijuka, Executive Director, UN-HABITAT