Induction Seminar
Introduction to the Governing Bodies and the Governing Council Secretariat

3 February 2012
Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

Membership as at 1 January 2012 (58 members)*

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| Eastern European Group (6)                             |                                                               |
|--------------------------------------------------------|                                                               |
| Albania (2014)                                         |                                                               |
| Armenia (2012)                                         |                                                               |
| Czech Republic (2012)                                  |                                                               |
| Russian Federation (2014)                              |                                                               |

Two vacant seats

*Terms of office expire on 31 December of the indicated years; the information has been provided by the Economic and Social Council and reflects the status as at 5 December 2011.
List of Members of the Bureau of the 23rd Session of the Governing Council of UN-Habitat

- **President** - Hon. Albert Nsengiyumva
  Minister for Infrastructure of the Republic of Rwanda
  On behalf of the Group of African States

- **Vice-President** - H.E. Mr. Konrad Paulsen
  Permanent Representative of the Republic of Chile to UN-Habitat
  On behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States

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- **Vice-President** - Mr. Sergey Trepelkov
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  On behalf of the Group of Eastern European States

- **Rapporteur** - Election process ongoing
  On behalf of the Group of Western European and other States
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Mr. Joe Murphy
Permanent Representative of the United States of America to UN-HABITAT
## Regular Sessions of the Committee of Permanent Representatives (CPR) to UN-Habitat

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GC23 (11-15 April 2011 / Nairobi)

- Theme: Sustainable Urban Development through Expanding Equitable Access to Land, Housing, Basic Services and Infrastructure
- Attendance
  - 42 members of GC
  - 49 non-members of GC + Palestine
  - Habitat Agenda Partners including local authorities + Private Sector + IGOs + NGOs
- Organisation of the Work
  - Plenary/High-level Segment incl. Dialogue
  - Committee of the Whole
  - Drafting Committees
  - Side/parallel Events, Social Events, Exhibition
Support to the Governing and Other Bodies through servicing

- Governing Council
- Bureau of the Governing Council
- Meetings of the Committee of Permanent Representatives (CPR) including Regular Sessions, Working Groups, Open-Ended Contact and Consultative Groups and Informal Briefing Sessions
- Bureau of the CPR
- Liaison with ECOSOC and GA
- Meetings with GC President and CPR Chair
GCS – continued

- Regional and other Meetings organized by UN-Habitat i.e. AMCHUD
- Six-monthly schedule of the CPR
- Yearly schedule of the Regular Sessions of the CPR
- Presentation of Credentials
- Official Correspondence
- Other Protocol issues
- Liaising b/w member States and substantive offices
- CPR Extranet
CPR Extranet

- URL: www.unhabitat.org/cpr
- Username: cpr / Password: cprdocs
- Objective
  - to share updates on CPR-related activities
  - to assist transmission of info to the Capital
- Contents
  - CPR-related Meetings and Background Documents (arranged per agenda items)
  - Reports and Documents including Audit Reports
  - Members of GC + GC/CPR Bureau
  - List/contacts of CPR members and Secretariat
- More news on UN-Habitat’s activities available at UN-Habitat’s website www.unhabitat.org
Regular Sessions

42nd Regular Session of the CPR (9:30 a.m, 7 September 2011, Conference Room 1)

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01. Adoption of the Agenda. ·
   [Provisional Agenda] English 25-Aug-11

02. Adoption of the draft minutes of the 41st Regular Session of the Committee of Permanent Representatives which was held on 22 June 2011. ·
   [Adoption of the draft minutes of the 41st Regular Session of the Committee of the Permanent Representatives which was held on 22 June 2011] English 25-Aug-11

03. Election to Replace the Departing Member of the Bureau of the CPR for 2010-2011 Biennium. ·

04. Executive Director’s Informational Briefing to the Committee of Permanent Representatives. ·

05. Report on the Preparations for the 66th Session of the General Assembly. ·

06. Six-Monthly Report on the Country Activities. ·

07. Quarterly Report on the Financial Status of UN-Habitat. ·


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