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COUNCIL

Hundred and Fortieth Session
Rome, 29 November – 3 December 2010
Election of six Members of the WFP Executive Board

1. In accordance with the Resolutions adopted by the United Nations General Assembly and the 30th Session of the FAO Conference in 1999 regarding the distribution of seats on the Executive Board starting from 1st January 2000, the Council is required to elect six members of the WFP Executive Board (2 from List A; 1 from List B; 1 from List C; and 2 from List D) for a term of office of three years for the period 1st January 2011 to 31 December 2013.

2. For this period the following Member Nations have been nominated for the list indicated below:

<u>List</u> (No. of Seats vacant)	<u>Candidates</u>
A (two)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cameroon • South Africa
B (one)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Afghanistan • Iraq • Kuwait • Saudi Arabia
C (one)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Haiti
D (two)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Canada • Germany

There are no vacancies to be filled for **List E** for the period concerned

3. A letter from the Coordinator of List D countries regarding an agreement reached within the List is attached for information.



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Re WFP/Rotation of Executive Board seats

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Encl.

Dear Mr Mekouar,

I am writing to you in my capacity as Convenor of the World Food Programme's List D to advise you on agreement reached within the List regarding the rotation of Executive Board seats.

Switzerland, elected for the period 1 January 2009 until 31 December 2011, will stand down owing to an agreement within List D and Ireland wishes to stand for the period of one year.

Canada and Germany have sought re-election for a period of three years by means of the nomination forms, which have been handed in to your office.

List D would be grateful if you can communicate this information to the upcoming FAO Council.

Yours sincerely,



Agnes van Ardenne
Convenor List D