Election of the Chairperson of the Working Group on the Performance-Based Allocation System

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I. Background

1. At its eighty-seventh session in April 2006, the Executive Board agreed to convene a Working Group on the Performance-Based Allocation System (PBAS Working Group), as referred to in the Report of the Consultation on the Seventh Replenishment of IFAD’s Resources approved by the Governing Council. The Working Group was thus established by decision of the Executive Board, pursuant to rule 11 of the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Board.

2. At the 132nd session in April 2021, the Executive Board approved the appointment of the following members to the PBAS Working Group, as contained in document EB 2021/132/R.11/Add.1, for a three-year term of office, ending with the first session of the Executive Board in 2024:

List A: Austria, Canada, France and Sweden
List B: Nigeria and Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela
List C:
  Sub-List C1: Côte d’Ivoire
  Sub-List C2: Bangladesh (April 2021 – until the first session of the Executive Board in 2022) and Republic of Korea (after the first session of the Executive Board in 2022 – until the first session of the Executive Board in 2024)
  Sub-List C3: Costa Rica (April 2021 – until the first session of the Executive Board in 2022) and Dominican Republic (after the first session of the Executive Board in 2022 – until the first session of the Executive Board in 2024)

II. Requested decision

3. In accordance with rule 11.1, which states that "Each committee shall elect its chairman", the Working Group is invited to elect a Chairperson.

Historical background – Chairs of the Working Group on the Performance-Based Allocation System

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