

## Membership of the Independent Expert Oversight Advisory Committee

### Report by the Director-General

1. At its 154th session in January 2024, the Executive Board adopted decision EB154(17), in which it decided to extend the term of office of the then members of the Independent Expert Oversight Advisory Committee, subject to their availability, in order to align their term of office with the maximum time limit of six years under the revised terms of reference of the Committee.<sup>1</sup> In the same decision, the Board also decided to appoint two new members to the Committee for a three-year term of office renewable once, to begin when a vacancy on the Committee arose.
2. Subsequently, Mr Bert Keuppens (Belgium), notified the Secretariat that he would not be available beyond the originally approved end date of 30 April 2024.<sup>2</sup>
3. As a consequence, and in line with decision EB154(17), the three-year term of office of Ms Aseya Galadari (Bahrain), as the new member of the Committee, will begin on 1 May 2024 and end on 30 April 2027, renewable once as per the revised terms of reference of the Committee.
4. Further to the above-mentioned changes, the current composition and terms of office of the Committee are as follows:
  - Mr Rob Becker (Netherlands, Kingdom of the), 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2028;
  - Ms Aseya Galadari (Bahrain), 1 May 2024 to 30 April 2027;
  - Mr Greg Johnson (Switzerland/New Zealand), 2 June 2021 to 31 May 2027;
  - Ms Beatriz Sanz-Redrado (Spain/France), 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2027;
  - Mr Darshak Shah (Kenya), 1 January 2022 to 31 December 2027.
5. The term of office of Mr Brian McCartan (United States of America), the second new member of the Committee appointed through decision EB154(17), will begin when a vacancy on the Committee arises, subject to his continued availability.

### ACTION BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

6. The Board is invited to note the report.

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<sup>1</sup> See decision EB150(16) (2022).

<sup>2</sup> See decision EB146(4) (2020).