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COMPOSITION OF THE PROGRAM AND BUDGET COMMITTEE

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- 1. At its meeting in September 2007, the WIPO General Assembly considered the membership and composition of the WIPO Program and Budget Committee. The General Assembly unanimously elected the following States as members of the Program and Budget Committee for the period October 2007 to October 2009: Algeria, Argentina, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Croatia, Cuba, Czech Republic, Egypt, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Mexico, Morocco, Netherlands, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Philippines, Poland, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, Senegal, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland (*ex officio*), Thailand, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States of America, Uruguay, Venezuela, Zambia (53).
- 2. This new composition of the Program and Budget Committee was the result of informal consultations among the Group Coordinators.
 - 3. The WIPO General Assembly is invited to review and to decide on the membership and composition of the Program and Budget Committee for the period from October 2009 to October 2011.

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