

INTERGOVERNMENTAL OCEANOGRAPHIC COMMISSION
(of UNESCO)

Thirty-second Session of the Assembly
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REVISED LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION

The attached tables provide the status of candidatures received by the Secretariat according to the closing date and time (**Friday 23 June 2023, 18.00 hours CEST**) for nominations for the elections at the thirty-second session of the IOC Assembly. The List of candidates has been revised by the Nominations Committee at its fourth meeting on **27 June 2023, 13.00 hrs** following the withdrawal of a Member State from Group V.

**CANDIDATES BY GROUPINGS OF IOC MEMBER STATES
FOR ELECTION TO THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

(as of 27 June 2023 at 13:30)

Group I (24) (max 10 seats)

Member State		Official form received at the Secretariat	
		Yes	No
Austria			
Belgium			
Canada	Candidate	X	
Cyprus			
Denmark			
Finland			
France	Candidate	X	
Germany	Candidate	X	
Greece			
Iceland	Candidate	X	
Ireland			
Israel			
Italy	Candidate	X	
Malta			
Monaco			
Netherlands			
Norway			
Portugal	Candidate	X	
Spain	Candidate	X	
Sweden			
Switzerland			
Türkiye	Candidate	X	
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Candidate	X	
United States of America	Candidate	X	

Group II (14) (max 3 seats)

Member State		Official form received at the Secretariat	
		Yes	No
Albania			
Azerbaijan			
Bulgaria	Candidate	X	
Croatia			
Czech Republic			
Estonia			
Georgia			
Montenegro			
Poland			
Romania	Candidate	X	
Russian Federation	Candidate	X	
Serbia			
Slovenia			
Ukraine	Candidate	X	

Group III (30) (max 9 seats)

Member State		Official form received at the Secretariat	
		Yes	No
Argentina	Candidate	X	
Bahamas			
Barbados			
Belize			
Brazil	Candidate	X	
Chile	Candidate	X	
Colombia	Candidate	X	
Costa Rica	Candidate	X	
Cuba			
Dominica			
Dominican Republic			
Ecuador	Candidate	X	
El Salvador			
Grenada	Candidate	X	
Guatemala			
Guyana			
Haiti			
Honduras			
Jamaica			
Mexico			
Nicaragua			
Panama	Candidate	X	
Peru	Candidate	X	
Saint-Kitts-and-Nevis			
Saint Lucia			
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines			
Suriname			
Trinidad and Tobago			
Uruguay			
Venezuela			

Group IV (35) (max 9 seats)

Member State		Official form received at the Secretariat	
		Yes	No
Afghanistan			
Australia	Candidate	X	
Bangladesh	Candidate	X	
China	Candidate	X	
Cook Islands	Candidate	X	
Democratic People's Republic of Korea			
Fiji			
India	Candidate	X	
Indonesia			
Iran (Islamic Republic of)			
Japan	Candidate	X	
Kazakhstan			
Kiribati			
Malaysia			
Maldives			
Myanmar			
Nauru			
New Zealand			
Niue			
Pakistan	Candidate	X	
Palau	Candidate	X	
Papua New Guinea			
Philippines			
Republic of Korea	Candidate	X	
Samoa			
Singapore			
Solomon Islands			
Sri Lanka			
Thailand	Candidate	X	
Timor Leste			
Tonga			
Turkmenistan	Candidate	X	
Tuvalu			
Vanuatu			
Viet Nam			

Group V (47) (max 9 seats)

Member State		Official form received at the Secretariat	
		Yes	No
Algeria			
Angola			
Benin			
Cameroon			
Cabo Verde			
Comoros			
Congo	Candidate	X	
Côte d'Ivoire			
Dem. Rep of the Congo			
Djibouti			
Egypt	Candidate	X	
Equatorial Guinea			
Eritrea			
Ethiopia			
Gabon	Candidate	X	
Gambia			
Ghana			
Guinea			
Guinea Bissau			
Iraq			
Jordan			
Kenya	Candidate	X	
Kuwait			
Lebanon			
Libya			
Madagascar			
Mauritania			
Mauritius			
Morocco	Candidate	X	
Mozambique			
Namibia			
Nigeria			
Oman	Candidate	X	
Qatar			
Saudi Arabia	Candidate	X	
Senegal			
Seychelles			
Sierra Leone			
Somalia			
South Africa	Candidate	X	
Sudan			
Syrian Arab Republic			
Togo	Candidate	X	
Tunisia			
United Arab Emirates			
United Republic of Tanzania			
Yemen			

CANDIDATES FOR CHAIRPERSON OF IOC

Member State	Name	Official form received at the Secretariat	
		Yes	No
Japan	Yutaka Michida	X	

CANDIDATES FOR VICE-CHAIRPERSON OF IOC

Group	Member State	Name	Official form received at the Secretariat	
			Yes	No
I	France	Marie-Alexandrine Sicre	X	
II	Bulgaria	NikolayValchev	X	
III	Colombia	Juan Camilo Forero Hauzeur	X	
IV	India	Srinivasa Kumar Tummala	X	
V	Egypt	Amr Zakaria Hamouda	X	

