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### **Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice**

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**Policy directives for the crime programme of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and the role of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice as its governing body, including administrative, strategic management and budgetary questions and follow-up to resolutions**

### **Nomination of members of the Board of Trustees of the United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute**

#### **Note by Secretary-General**

1. The attention of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice is drawn to a matter concerning the composition of the Board of Trustees of the United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute requiring action on the part of the Commission and the Economic and Social Council.
2. The term of Elizabeth Verville (United States of America) expires on 6 December 2009.
3. Ann-Marie Begler (Sweden) has resigned from her membership on the Board of Trustees as of 12 January 2009, since she has changed the field of her activities and that new field does not comply with the mandate of the Institute.
4. Michèle Ramis-Plum (France) has been appointed as the Ambassador of France to Guatemala, and her new duties do not allow her to continue to fulfil the duties of member of the Board of Trustees. Ms. Ramis-Plum has therefore resigned from her duties as Board member as of 15 December 2008.

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\* E/CN.15/2009/1.



5. According to article IV of the statute of the United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute, annexed to Economic and Social Council resolution 1989/56:

“2. The Board shall be composed of the following:

“(a) Seven members selected by the Committee on Crime Prevention and Control upon nomination by the Secretary-General and endorsed by the Economic and Social Council, with due regard to the fact that the Institute and its work are funded from voluntary contributions and to the principle of equitable geographic distribution. The members shall be chosen from among eminent persons who possess the necessary qualifications and expertise. They shall serve in their individual capacity for a term of five years from the date of the first Board meeting in which they are invited to participate. They shall be eligible for reappointment by the Committee on Crime Prevention and Control with the endorsement of the Economic and Social Council for not more than one additional term.”

6. According to the Office of Legal Affairs of the Secretariat, the Commission has succeeded to the functions and powers of the former Committee on Crime Prevention and Control in this and in other matters.

7. The following candidate is proposed for reappointment: Elizabeth Verville (United States).

8. The following new candidates are proposed for appointment: Stuart Page (Australia) and Alexander Vladimirovich Zmeyevskiy (Russian Federation).

9. The principle of equitable geographical distribution is taken into account in the composition of the Board. The current Board of Trustees of the United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute is composed of:

Pedro David (Argentina)

Eduardo Fungairiño (Spain)

Iskandar Ghattas (Egypt)

Željko Horvatić (Croatia)

Elizabeth Verville (United States)

10. Background information on the new candidates is provided in the annex to the present document.

## Annex

### **Background information on candidates nominated to fill positions on the Board of Trustees of the United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute**

#### **A. Stuart Page (Australia)**

##### **Date of birth**

19 July 1966

##### **Key skills and qualities**

Highly experienced in providing strategic security policy advice, developing private and public partnerships policy at the international level, capability and gap analysis, reviews and advice on solutions for critical projects, organizations and multiple integrated frameworks across vertical sectors in the Asia-Pacific region.

Demonstrated success in conceiving original ideas and frameworks by defining the core business outcomes, problem-solving and providing innovative solutions, building capability and strategic road maps for large-scale organizations and/or projects.

Well-proven track record in providing outcomes and implementation strategies through the designing of frameworks for delivering integrated complex operations and/or projects at the international level.

Well-developed stakeholder relationship management in varied environments, especially international, in delivering strategic advice that can be easily implemented.

Proven experience in delivering and leading major events in operations, logistics and security and the organizational transition road map, from conception to delivery, for complex operational, logistical, information technology and security projects.

Proven experience at a senior level in delivering and integrating whole-of-government/commercial programmes/projects across federal and state governments and private sector organizations, domestically and internationally. A very extensive knowledge of the machinery of government in Australia and at the international level in delivering “whole of government” major events.

Over 10 years of significant international high-level diplomacy in a global and Asia-Pacific regional context with major events and large-scale security projects.

Significant financial experience, having within the last three years secured funding proposals worth in excess of \$1 billion of new funding.

##### **Career**

Current position	Assistant Secretary and Acting First Assistant Secretary, Diplomatic Security, Information Management and Services Division, Department of Foreign Affairs and
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	Trade, Diplomatic Service of the Government of Australia
November 2004- December 2007	Chief Operations Manager and, prior to that, General Manager of the Venues, Logistic and Security, Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation 2007 Task Force, Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet, Government of Australia
September 2004- November 2004	Head of the Post Security Task Force for all official Government establishments overseas (strategy, analysis and funding bid only), Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Diplomatic Service of the Government of Australia
April 2003- September 2004	Director of Diplomatic Missions Management Section/ Director of Human Resource Management, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Diplomatic Service of the Government of Australia
March 2000- March 2003	Counsellor and Consul General, Australian Embassy to the Netherlands, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Diplomatic Service of the Government of Australia
November 1999- February 2000	Active service in the Australian Army, Peacekeeping operations in Bougainville, Papua New Guinea
August 1997- October 1999	Executive Officer, Information Management Branch, Diplomatic Security, Property and Information Management Division, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Diplomatic Service of the Government of Australia (Seconded to the Australian Army to assist in security preparations for the 2000 Olympic Games)
October 1994- August 1997	Executive Officer, Defence Signals Directorate (Signals Intelligence, Australian Intelligence Community), of the Government of Australia
March 1993- October 1994	Ministerial Liaison Officer, Department of Industrial Relations, Australia
October 1992- February 1993	Defence procurement project, Department of Defence, Government of Australia
February 1986- October 1992	Australian Army

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**B. Alexander Vladimirovich Zmeyerovskiy (Russian Federation)****Date of birth**

14 July 1957

February 2007-present	Permanent Representative of the Russian Federation to the International Organizations in Vienna
2001-January 2007	Director, Department on New Challenges and Threats, Ministry for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation
2000-2001	Ambassador-at-large, Ministry for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation
1996-2000	Deputy Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the United Nations
1993-1996	Deputy Director, Legal Department, Ministry for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation
1991-1993	International Law Department, Ministry for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation
1979-1991	Ministry for Foreign Affairs of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, International Law Department

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