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ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Note by the Director

1 Under Article 18.8 of the Fund Convention, the Assembly shall elect the Member States to be represented on the Executive Committee.

2 The present members of the Executive Committee, elected at the 10th session of the IOPC Fund Assembly, hold office until the end of the 11th session of the Assembly, in accordance with Article 23.1 of the Fund Convention. Members of the present Executive Committee are:

Elected under
Article 22.2(b) of
the Fund Convention

France
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Italy
Netherlands
United Kingdom

Elected under
Article 22.2(a) of
the Fund Convention

Finland
Ghana
Indonesia
Kuwait
Poland
Tunisia

3 At the time of the 11th session of the Assembly, the IOPC Fund will have 40 Members. Therefore, according to Article 22.1 of the Fund Convention, 14 Members of the Assembly have to be elected to the Executive Committee. Seven Members have to be elected in accordance with Article 22.2(b) of the Fund Convention, and seven Members in accordance with Article 22.2(a). As regards the election of the members under Article 22.2(b), the eleven Members with the largest quantities of contributing oil reported are eligible.

4 On the basis of the reports on contributing oil receipts submitted by 30 June 1988, the Member States are eligible as follows:

Eligible under
Article 22.2(b) of
the Fund Convention

Finland
France
Germany, Federal Republic of
Greece
Italy
Japan
Netherlands
Spain
Sweden
Union of Soviet
Socialist Republics
United Kingdom

Eligible under
Article 22.2(a) of
the Fund Convention

Algeria	Nigeria
Bahamas	Norway
Benin	Oman
Cameroon	Papua New Guinea
Côte d'Ivoire	Poland
Denmark	Portugal
Fiji	Qatar
Gabon	Seychelles
Ghana	Sri Lanka
Iceland	Syrian Arab Republic
Indonesia	Tunisia
Kuwait	Tuvalu
Liberia	United Arab Emirates
Maldives	Yugoslavia
Monaco	

5 Article 23.2 of the Fund Convention provides that no Member may serve on the Executive Committee for more than two consecutive terms of office, except to the extent that this may be necessary to comply with the requirements of Article 22. Poland, eligible under Article 22.2(a) of the Fund Convention, as well as Finland, the Federal Republic of Germany and the Netherlands, eligible under Article 22.2(b), have been members of the Executive Committee for two consecutive terms.

6 According to Rule 41 of the Rules of Procedure, ballots shall first be held for the election of the seven members under Article 22.2(b). Thereafter ballots shall be held for the election of the remaining seven members under Article 22.2(a).

7 The information on the 1987 figures for contributing oil receipts is given in Annex I. With respect to those States which had not submitted their reports on the 1987 receipts at the time of the drafting of this document, the 1986 (or, in some cases, 1985) figures are given.

8 With reference to the election of members under Article 22.2(a), information on the oil tanker fleets of Member States as at 30 June 1987 is given in Annex II.

Action to be Taken by the Assembly

9 The Assembly is invited to elect new members of the Executive Committee to hold office until the end of the next regular session of the Assembly.

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ANNEX I

CONTRIBUTING OIL RECEIVED IN THE TERRITORIES OF
CONTRACTING STATES IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 1987
Status as at 30 June 1988

<u>Contracting State</u>	<u>Contributing Oil (tonnes)</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Japan	219 037 779	27.74
Italy <1>	121 806 661	15.42
France	86 868 000	11.00
Netherlands	82 415 960	10.44
United Kingdom	72 525 611	9.18
Spain	51 351 010	6.50
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	25 060 281	3.17
Germany, Federal Republic of	20 341 562	2.58
Sweden	18 233 789	2.31
Greece	17 657 003	2.24
Finland	12 489 653	1.58
Portugal	10 083 821	1.28
Yugoslavia	9 889 898	1.25
Norway	9 441 607	1.20
Bahamas	8 355 963	1.06
Indonesia	8 176 046	1.04
Denmark	6 331 607	0.80
Syrian Arab Republic	2 784 616	0.35
Tunisia	2 363 108	0.30
Sri Lanka	1 778 852	0.22
Ghana	903 047	0.11
Poland <2>	704 992	0.09
Gabon <3>	577 739	0.07
Algeria <3>	384 899	0.05
Papua New Guinea <3>	168 660	0.02
Kuwait	0	0
Iceland	0	0
Maldives	0	0
Monaco	0	0
Fiji <2>	0	0
Oman <2>	0	0
Tuvalu <2>	0	0
Liberia <3>	0	0
United Arab Emirates <3>	0	0
Benin <4>	-	-
Cameroon <4>	-	-
Côte d'Ivoire <4>	-	-
Nigeria <4>	-	-
Seychelles <5>	-	-
Qatar <5>	-	-
	<u>789 732 164</u>	<u>100.00</u>

- <1> Only part of the report for 1987 has been received (totalling 59 040 497 tonnes); the figure given represents the oil receipts reported for 1986.
- <2> No report received for 1987; the figure given represents the oil receipts reported for 1986.
- <3> No report made for 1987 or 1986; the figure given represents the oil receipts reported for 1985.
- <4> No reports have been received since joining the IOPC Fund.
- <5> The Seychelles and Qatar deposited their instruments of accession to the Fund Convention on 12 April 1988 and 2 June 1988, respectively; the Convention entered into force for the Seychelles on 11 July 1988 and will enter into force for Qatar on 31 August 1988. No reports have been received.

ANNEX II

SIZE OF OIL TANKER FLEETS OF CONTRACTING STATES

(as at 30 June 1987, compiled from Lloyd's Register
of Shipping - Statistical Tables, November 1987)

<u>Contracting State</u>	<u>Number of Oil Tankers</u>	<u>Gross Tonnage</u>
Liberia	431	27 342 130
Japan	1 179	10 601 519
Greece	283	9 125 291
United Kingdom	292	6 697 358
Bahamas	85	5 221 840
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	406	4 207 143
Norway	57	2 619 931
Italy	193	2 565 738
France	56	2 451 042
Spain	66	2 082 539
Denmark	37	1 739 707
Kuwait	23	1 225 043
Indonesia	195	630 421
Portugal	13	533 113
Finland	20	417 283
Netherlands	24	499 099
United Arab Emirates	33	395 651
Sweden	60	325 428
Yugoslavia	25	316 543
Poland	19	289 198
Nigeria	16	223 136
Germany, Federal Republic of	46	155 296
Tunisia	3	131 836
Algeria	19	124 100
Qatar	4	111 736
Sri Lanka	9	98 050
Fiji	6	4 933
Maldives	5	3 098
Papua New Guinea	4	1 892
Iceland	2	1 039
Ghana	1	965
Côte d'Ivoire	2	789
Oman	2	432
Gabon	1	347
Benin	-	-
Cameroon	-	-
Seychelles	-	-
Syrian Arab Republic	-	-
Tuvalu	-	-
Monaco	(Does not appear in above-mentioned statistics)	