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ELECTION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLES 28 TO 32 OF THE INTERNATIONAL COVENANT ON CIVIL AND POLITICAL RIGHTS, OF NINE MEMBERS OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE TO REPLACE THOSE WHOSE TERMS ARE DUE TO EXPIRE ON 31 DECEMBER 1994

Note by the Secretary-General

Addendum

The present document contains a nomination for election to the Human Rights Committee received after the submission of the list of candidates by the Secretary-General on 24 June 1994 (CCPR/SP/43). Biographical data of the person nominated will be issued as another addendum to document CCPR/SP/43 when received from the nominating Government.

Name of Candidate

Mr. Oumarou Bocar

Nominated by

Mali

Oumarou Bocar (Mali)

Date and place of birth: 25 May 1954, Kirchamba
Nationality: Malian
Marital status: Married, two children
Permanent domicile: Bamako
Profession: Magistrate

UNIVERSITY DIPLOMAS AND DEGREES

1986 Doctorate in Criminal Law and Sciences, University of Social Sciences, Toulouse
1981 Diploma of Advanced Studies in Criminal Law and Sciences, University of Social Sciences, Toulouse
1981 Diploma of the National School for the Judiciary (International Section, Paris)
1979 Diploma of the National School of Administration (Legal Sciences Section, Bamako)

Professional experience

Present position:

1993-1994 Director-General of the National Judicial Training Institute.

Responsibilities:

Directs the National Judicial Training Institute. Prepares, executes and organizes the execution of initial and continuing training programmes. Organizes further training for all judicial officials (magistrates, clerks, secretaries, bailiffs, notaries, etc.).

Responsible for establishing and maintaining relations between the Institute and other national or foreign institutes or schools.

Preceding position

1981 Adviser at the National Department for the Administration of Justice, Ministry of Justice.

1983 Professor at the National School of Administration

Head of Legal Studies and Research Department, National School of Administration (1984-1985).

Other activities

Director of the Unit for Modernization of the Justice System

Teaching at professional colleges

Teacher of private law at the National School of Administration since 1982

Teacher of humanitarian law at the Staff College

Teacher at the National Judicial Training Institute

Training of national officials and members of human rights associations at various national or international seminars. A complete list of training courses taught by the candidate is available for consultation in the secretariat.

Participant in various training seminars. In particular, in-service training at the Centre for Human Rights, Geneva, and the International Institute of Human Rights, Strasbourg.

- 1987 Deputy National Director for Criminal Affairs and Chief of Prosecution Division, National Directorate of Criminal Affairs
- 1990 Senior Examining Magistrate of the Court of First Instance, Bamako
- 1991 Technical Adviser to the Prime Minister's Office
- 1992 Senior Examining Magistrate of the Court of First Instance, Bamako
- 1993 Official at the Ministry of Justice

Research work and consultancies

A full list of the candidate's research is available for consultation in the secretariat. Activities concerning human rights and related matters are listed below:

Studies on harmonization of legislation relating to the rights of the child;

Chairman of the Committee drafting the Child Protection Code;

Member of the Commission for the reform of the Code of Criminal Procedure;

Founder-member of the Association Malienne des droits de l'homme (Human Rights Association of Mali)

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