INTERGOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE
FOR THE PROTECTION AND PROMOTION OF THE DIVERSITY
OF CULTURAL EXPRESSIONS

Eighth Ordinary Session
Paris, UNESCO Headquarters
9-11 December 2014

**Item 16 of the provisional agenda:** Election of the members of the Bureau of the ninth ordinary session of the Committee

Decision required: paragraph 3
1. As provided for by the Rules of Procedure (Rule 12.1) adopted by the Intergovernmental Committee for the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions (hereinafter referred to as “the Committee”) at its first ordinary session and approved by the Conference of Parties at its second session, the Committee, at the end of each ordinary session, shall elect the members of the Bureau whose term of office shall continue until the end of the next ordinary session.

2. For information, the members of past bureaus (2007-2013) are indicated in Annex.

3. The Committee may wish to adopt the following decision:

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The Committee,

1. Elects ***(Name/ Member State) as Chairperson of the Committee,

2. Elects ***(Name/ Member State) as Rapporteur of the Committee,

3. Elects ***(Member State), ***(Member State), ***(Member State) and ***(Member State) as Vice-Chairpersons of the Committee.
## ANNEX

### Members of past bureaus (2007-2013)

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| First Ordinary Session, Ottawa (Canada) | Chairperson: Gilbert Laurin (Canada)  
Rapporteur: Antonio Otavio Sa Ricarte (Brazil)  
Vice-Chairpersons: India, Lithuania, South Africa, Tunisia | 10-13 December 2007   |
| First Extraordinary Session, Paris (France) | Chairperson: Gilbert Laurin (Canada)  
Rapporteur: Antonio Otavio Sa Ricarte (Brazil)  
Vice-Chairpersons: India, Lithuania, South Africa, Tunisia | 24-27 June 2008       |
| Second Ordinary Session, Paris (France) | Chairperson: Gilbert Laurin (Canada)  
Rapporteur: Antonio Otavio Sa Ricarte (Brazil)  
Vice-Chairpersons: India, Lithuania, South Africa, Tunisia | 8-12 December 2008   |
| Second Extraordinary Session, Paris (France) | Chairperson: Vera Lacœuilhe (Saint Lucia)  
Rapporteur: Mouhamed Konaté (Senegal)  
Vice-Chairpersons: Croatia, India, Luxembourg, Oman | 23-25 March 2009     |
| Third Ordinary Session, Paris (France) | Chairperson: Vera Lacœuilhe (Saint Lucia)  
Rapporteur: Mouhamed Konaté (Senegal)  
Vice-Chairpersons: Croatia, India, Luxembourg, Oman | 7 - 9 December 2009  |
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<td>Chairperson: Zhi Yang (China)</td>
<td>Rapporteur: Dominique Levasseur (Canada)</td>
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<td>Chairperson: Jean-Marie Adoua (Congo)</td>
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<td>Vice-Chairpersons: Austria, Lithuania, Saint Lucia, United Arab Emirates, Viet Nam</td>
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