

Agenda Item 7

Appointment of the Director General

The Council is invited to:

1. Consider the nomination and appoint the Director General;
2. Note that upon the appointment of the Director General by the Council, the Interim Secretariat shall automatically dissolve, and the Secretariat shall be formally established.

Note

1. Pursuant to paragraph 2.a of Article VI and paragraph 3 of Article VII of the Establishment Agreement, the Council shall appoint the Director General. The first Director General shall be from the Host Country and shall serve a three-year contract term. The candidate for the first Director General will be nominated by the Host Country, China.
2. Pursuant to paragraph 2 of Article XIII of the Establishment Agreement, upon the appointment of the Director General by the Council, the Interim Secretariat shall automatically dissolve, and the Secretariat shall be formally established.