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Note verbale

The Embassy of the Federative Republic of Brazil presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court and, with reference to the Notes ICC-ASP/11/S/07 of 14 May 2012 and ICC-ASP/11/S/61 of 10 August 2012, has the honor to inform that the Government of Brazil has decided to nominate Professor Leonardo Nemer Caldeira Brant for election to the Advisory Committee on Nominations.

Professor Brant fully meets the requirements for election as a member of the Advisory Committee on Nominations, as established in the terms of reference included in Resolution ICC-ASP/10/Res.5. He is an eminent person of a high moral character with established competence in international law, as his professional and academic career clearly demonstrate.

In the academic field, Professor Brant's excellence has been recognized both nationally and internationally. He has published extensively in the field of international law, including on human rights and international criminal law. Professor Brant has published books and articles in French, English and Portuguese, three of his four working languages. He is currently the International Law Professor of two top universities in Brazil and one of the Directors of the Brazilian Branch of the International Law Association. He was also Visiting Professor at the "Institut des Hautes Études Internationales – Université Panthéon-Assas Paris II" and Visiting Fellow at the Lauterpacht Centre in Cambridge.

Professor Brant is a law practitioner in Brazil, in the fields of international and constitutional law. He is the President of the International Law Center in Brazil and of the Brazilian Yearbook of International Law.

For the aforementioned reasons, the Federative Republic of Brazil fully recommends Prof. Brant's nomination, as it is confident that his qualities will add to the very important tasks of the Advisory Committee on Nominations. Professor Brant's curriculum vitae is attached herewith.