Resolution ICC-ASP/22/Res.8

Adopted at the 10th plenary meeting, on 14 December 2023, by consensus

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Resolution on the election of Members to the Committee on Budget and Finance of the International Criminal Court

The Assembly of States Parties

Recalling the relevant provisions of the resolution of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court on the establishment of the Committee on Budget and Finance (ICC-ASP/1/Res.4, annex I, as amended by ICC-ASP/2/Res.5 and ICC-ASP/4/Res.6) and on the procedure for the nomination and election of members of the Committee on Budget and Finance (ICC-ASP/1/Res.5, as amended by ICC-ASP/2/Res.4),

Recalling further the decision of the Assembly of States Parties (ICC-ASP/21/Dec.1) in which it requested the Bureau, in consultation with all States Parties, to discuss the allocation of seats on the Committee on Budget and Finance and to submit a report on its discussions by the twenty-second session of the Assembly,

Recalling also that every effort shall be made to elect the members of the Committee by consensus, on the basis of a recommendation by the Bureau, and in making its recommendation, the Bureau shall consult the regional groups,

Bearing in mind that the members of the Committee shall be nominated on the basis of equitable geographical distribution, that they shall be experts of recognized standing and experience in financial matters at the international level from States Parties, and that they shall meet the requirements of the Rules of the Procedure of the Committee on Budget and Finance¹ on the question of potential conflicts of interest,

Encouraging States Parties to nominate qualified women candidates with a view to maintaining gender balance in the Committee,

- 1. *Decides* to increase the total number of seats in the Committee to seventeen seats;
- 2. *Decides* to distribute the seats among the five regional groups in the following manner:
 - African States, four seats;
 - Asia-Pacific States, three seats;
 - Eastern European States, three seats;
 - Group of Latin American and Caribbean States, three seats; and
 - Western European and Other States, four seats;
- 3. *Decides* that the election of the new five members should be held during the twenty-third session of the Assembly for a term of three years; and
- 4. *Decides* that the members of the Committee, both current and new, may be re-elected for no more than two further terms of three years.

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¹ ICC-ASP/18/Res.1, annex.