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# COUNCIL

## Hundred and Thirty-sixth Session

Rome, 15-19 June 2009

### Report of the Hundred and Twenty-sixth Session of the Finance Committee (11-15 May 2009)

#### Changes in Representation of Members of the Finance Committee: Summary of the Qualifications of Mr Horacio Maltez (Panama) and Mr Christopher Hegadorn (United States of America)

1. Rule XXVII-4(a) of the General Rules of the Organization (GRO) states: "If the representative of a Member of the Committee is expected to be unable to attend a session of the Committee, or if, due to incapacity, death or any other reason, he is prevented from exercising his functions for the remainder of the term for which the Member he represents has been elected, that Member shall inform the Director-General and the Chairperson as soon as possible, and may designate a substitute representative who shall have the qualifications and experience referred to in paragraph 1 of this Rule. The Council shall be informed of the qualifications and experience of the substitute representative".
2. Further to the details of changes in representation of members of the Finance Committee set out in paragraph 3 of document CL 136/8, a summary of the qualifications of Mr Horacio Maltez (Panama) and Mr Christopher Hegadorn (United States of America) is given below for the information of the Council.

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## PANAMA

Name: Mr Horacio Maltez,

Present Position: Minister Counsellor and Deputy Permanent Representative to FAO (since February 1984).

Main previous positions: National Director, Animal Health, Ministry of Agricultural Development, Panama City.  
National Director, Agricultural Quarantine, Ministry of Agricultural Development, Panama City.  
Director, Programme Plan Unit of the Technical Vice-Minister, Ministry of Agricultural Development, Panama City.  
Adviser to the Minister for Agricultural Development, Ministry of Agricultural Development, Panama City.  
Member, Group on Consultative Agricultural Technique, Republic Presidency, Panama City.

Participation in meetings or activities of the United Nations and its Specialized Agencies: Member, FAO Council.  
Member, Finance Committee.  
Chairperson, G-77.  
Member, IFAD Evaluation Committee.

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Name: Mr Christopher Hegadorn

Present Position: Deputy Chief of Mission for the U.S. Mission to the United Nations Food Agencies in Rome (political affairs portfolio, with a particular emphasis on the Food and Agriculture Organization). First Secretary and Alternate Permanent Representative to FAO (since September 2008).

Main previous positions: Served in a variety of professional postings in Iraq, Egypt, Tunisia, Washington, D.C., South Africa and China.

Participation in meetings or activities of the United Nations and its Specialized Agencies: November 2008

Participation in the Thirty-Fifth (Special) Session of the FAO Conference and Hundred and Thirty-fifth Session of the FAO Council.