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Election of the Vice Chair of the Board for the Global Fund

What happened during the Seventh Meeting Board Meeting?



Dr. Hélène Rossert-Blavier, Director General of the AIDES Federation of France and Board Member of the Developed

Country NGO was unanimously elected as the Vice Chair of the Board of the Global Fund, during the Seventh Meeting of the GFATM Board, that took place in Geneva, Switzerland on March 18-19 th.

Several members of the committees and respective sub-committees were elected during the meeting, and a report on the advances of the World Health Organization (WHO) 3x5 initiative was presented. Who attended?

The Meeting was chaired by Mr. Tommy Thompson, Chair of the Global Fund Board and US Secretary of Health and Human Services.



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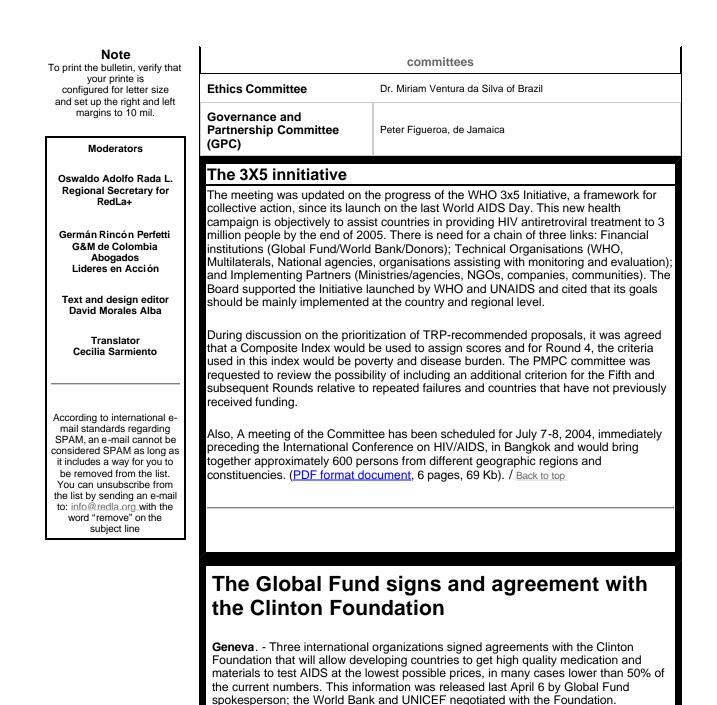
Caribbean (LAC) Delegation comprised Dr. Carol Jacobs, LAC Board Member, Dr. Jorge Saavedra, Alternate Board Member, Barbara Vandyke, LAC Focal Point, Dr. Alexandre Grangeiro, Chairman of the Brazil National AIDS Commission, Mr. Paulo Meireles of the Brazil AIDS Commission and Dr. Mirta Villanueva Dominguez, Director of the Cuban National AIDS Project..

The communities' right to vote as well all everything related to the appeals of proposals presented during the Third Round, were discussed during the meeting.

New Board Members were given a general overview of the Global Fund and its operations during an orientation session with key officers, including the Executive Director of the Global Fund, on 16 March at the Global Fund Headquarters. Members also seized the opportunity to seek clarification on various issues. / Back to top

Committees and Sub-Committees	
Technical Evaluation Reference Group (TERG)	Dr. Ernest Massiah, Social Development Specialist of the Inter- American Development Bank and a national of Trinidad and Tobago was elected, from a shortlist, to serve on the Technical Evaluation Reference Group (TERG), a sub-committee of the Monitoring, Evaluation, Finance and Audit (MEFA) Committee.
Technical Review Panel (TRP)	Dr. Antonio Pio of Argentina, a national of Argentina has been elected to the Technical Review Panel (TRP)
TRP Support Group	Dr. Ernest Massiah, Trinidad and Tobago and Ms. Nemora Barcellos, Ms. Maria E. Fernandes and Mr. Fabio Mesquita, of Brazil, have been elected to the TRP Support Group .

The following persons have been accepted as members of the respective



Thanks to these agreements, countries that receive support from the Global Fund, the World Bank and UNICEF will have access to medication and test materials, at the prices negotiated by the Foundation. / $\underline{Back \text{ to top}}$

