



COMMISSION ON PHYTOSANITARY MEASURES TWENTIETH SESSION

CPM BUREAU MEMBERS AND POTENTIAL REPLACEMENTS MEMBERS

AGENDA ITEM 23.1

(Prepared by the IPPC Secretariat)

- [1] The Commission on Phytosanitary Measures (CPM) established the Rules of Procedure for the Bureau of the Commission on Phytosanitary Measures and Guidelines for Rotation of the CPM Chairperson and Vice-chairperson (respectively, Annex 1 & 2 to the CPM Rules of Procedure¹).
- [2] Table 1 shows the names of the current CPM Bureau and FAO regions, which they represent, along with the length of their terms.
- [3] Rule II of the CPM Rules of Procedure makes clear that a person can only be elected to the Bureau if he/she is present at the session of the CPM where the election takes place. In addition, the person must have an agreement from his/her head of delegation to be elected.
- [4] According to Rule 4 of the Rules of Procedure for the CPM Bureau, CPM-20 (2026) needs to elect and note a member and for;
- Near East (1)
- [5] Table 2 shows the names of the current CPM Bureau Replacement members and CPM-20 (2026) also needs to elect and note replacement member (s) for;
- Europe (1)
 - Latin America and Caribbean (1)
 - Near East (1)
 - North America (1)
- [6] All nominations should be submitted by each region through the mechanism established for each region or through the Chair of the FAO regional group. The deadline for submission of nominations to the IPPC Secretariat (ippc@fao.org) is **20 February 2026**. Nominations should be accompanied by nominees' curriculum vitae and a signed Statement of Commitment, available on the IPP².
- [7] The CPM is invited to:
- (1) *elect* a member for the CPM Bureau from the Near East region;
 - (2) *elect* CPM Bureau replacement member(s) from Europe, Latin American and Caribbean, Near East and North America regions.
 - (3) *note and confirm* the current CPM Bureau membership; and
 - (4) *note and confirm* the current replacement for membership of the CPM Bureau.

¹ RofP of the CPM, Annex 1 & 2: <https://www.ippc.int/en/commission/cpm/cpm-rules-of-procedure/#rule4>

² Statement of Commitment: <https://www.ippc.int/en/core-activities/governance/ippc-procedure-manual/>

Annex 1A - Current CPM Bureau Membership (post CPM-19)

Shaded rows indicate members whose term ends in 2026, or the post is vacant

FAO region	Name	Nominated / Renominated	Current term / Duration	End of term
Africa	Mr Mamba Mamba DAMAS	CPM-19 (2025)	1 ST term / 2 years	2027
Asia	Mr Glenn F. PANGANIBAN	CPM-19 (2025)	1 ST term / 2 years	2027
Europe <i>(Chairperson)</i>	Mr Sam BISHOP	CPM-17 (2023) CPM-19 (2025)	2 nd term / 2 years	2027
Latin America and Caribbean	Mr Larry Mauricio RIVERA	CPM-19 (2025)	1 ST term / 2 years	2027
Near East <i>(Vice-Chairperson)</i>	Mr Barik Dris	CPM-18 (2024)	1 st term / 2 years	2026
North America	Ms Michelle GRAY	CPM-19 (2025)	1 ST term / 2 years	2027
Southwest Pacific	Ms Temarama ANGUNA-KAMANA	CPM-19 (2025)	1 ST term / 2 years	2027

Annex 1B- Current CPM Bureau Replacements (post CPM-19)

Shaded rows indicate members whose term ends in 2026, or the post is vacant

FAO region	Country	Name	Nominated / Renominated	Current term / Duration	End of term
Africa	1. Benin	Eric ADOSSOU	CPM-17 (2023) CPM-19 (2025)	2 nd term/ 2 years	2027
	2. Uganda	Paul MWAMBU	CPM-19 (2025)	1 st term/ 2 years	2027
Asia	1 Japan	Teppei SHIGEMI	CPM-19 (2025)	1 st term/ 2 years	2027
	2 Indonesia	Antarjo DIKIN	CPM-18 (2024) CPM-19 (2025)	2 nd term/ 2 years	2027
Europe	1 Netherlands	Mr Marco TRAA	CPM-15 (2021) CPM-17 (2023) CPM-19 (2025)	3 rd term/ 2 years	2027
	2 Italy	Ms Mariangela CIAMPITTI	CPM-16 (2022) CPM-18 (2024)	2 nd term/ 2 years	2026
Latin America and Caribbean	1. Belize	Mr Francisco GUTIERREZ	CPM-17 (2023) CPM-19 (2025)	2 nd term/ 2 years	2027
	2	VACANT			
Near East	1 Syria	Mr. Tamam AL-HAMOUD	CPM-17 (2023) CPM-19 (2025)	2 nd term/ 2 years Replacement of Mr Eyad MOHAMED	2027
	2 Kingdom Saudi Arabia	Mr Aliane Youssef YOUSSEF	CPM-18 (2024)	1 st term/ 2 years	2026
North America	1 Canada	Gregory WOLFF	CPM-19 (2025)	1 st term/ 2 years	2027
	2	VACANT			
Southwest Pacific	1 New Zealand	Peter THOMSON	CPM-17(2023) CPM-19 (2025)	2 nd term/ 2 years	2027
	2 Australia	Gabrielle VIVIAN-SMITH	CPM-19 (2025)	1 st term/ 2 years	2027