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## Promoting quality, independence and diversity of treaty body membership:

The importance of transparent and participatory nominations and election processes

This event will discuss the importance of quality, independence and diversity in treaty body membership and will examine the challenges and good practices in promoting these principles. Treaty body members, States, civil society and other stakeholders are invited to present their insights and engage in this discussion, with a view to identifying practical ways to move forward.

13:15 – 14:45

Room 8, United Nations Headquarters  
New York

Moderator: Ibrahim Salama, OHCHR

Panel

Opening remarks by Ms. Rosie Grieves, Minister Counsellor, Reform and Finance, Representative of the UK Mission to the UN New York

Mr. Christian De Vos, OSJI

Ms. Olga Khazova, member of the UN Committee on the Rights of the Child

Ms. Ilaria Paolazzi, Representative of TB-Net

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The event will be webcasted live on the [UN TV](#) and will be covered on Twitter by TB-Net [www.twitter.com/UNTBNet](http://www.twitter.com/UNTBNet)

Light refreshments will be served before the event