



**Executive Board Members for 2023 and terms of tenure for 2023–2025<sup>(1)</sup>**  
**Member States elected by ECOSOC (\*) or the FAO Council (■)**

Country	Executive Board term expiring at the end of		
	2023	2024	2025
<b>List A</b>			
Ethiopia			*
Gabon <sup>(a)</sup>		■	
Ghana		*	
Kenya			■
Lesotho	*		
Mauritania			*
Morocco	■		
Senegal		■	
<b>List B</b>			
Bangladesh <sup>(b)</sup>		■	
China	*		
India		*	
Iran (Islamic Republic of)			*
Kuwait <sup>(b)</sup>		■	
Republic of Korea		*	
Saudi Arabia			■
<b>List C</b>			
Argentina <sup>(2)(c)</sup>	■		
Brazil			■
Guatemala <sup>(d)</sup>	■		
Mexico	*		
Panama			*
Peru		■	
<b>List D</b>			
Australia			*
Canada			■
France		*	
Germany			■
Ireland <sup>(e)</sup>	■		
Italy <sup>(e)</sup>	■		
Japan	*		
Netherlands		■	
Spain			*
Sweden		*	
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	*		
United States of America		■	
<b>List E</b>			
Hungary	■		
Poland	*		
Russian Federation		*	

(1) Term of office relates to the standard three-year periods for which State Members are elected by ECOSOC or FAO Council, respectively. State Members may stand down for one or two years within this period, offering their seat to another State Member.

(2) The [rotating seat](#) is to be occupied by a country of: List C Fourth Term 2021/2022/2023, List A Fifth Term 2024/2025/2026, and List B Sixth Term 2027/2028/2029.

(a) Gabon and Chad reached an agreement to share an FAO Council-elected seat, with Gabon serving in 2023 and 2024 and Chad serving in 2025.

(b) Bangladesh, the Islamic Republic of Iran and Kuwait have reached an agreement to share seats: Bangladesh (1 January 2022 – 31 December 2023 – 2 years); Islamic Republic of Iran (1 January 2022 – 31 December 2022 and 1 January 2024 – 31 December 2024 – 2 years); and Kuwait (1 January 2023 – 31 December 2024 – 2 years). Following the ECOSOC election of the Islamic Republic of Iran (1 January 2023 – 31 December 2025), List B reached the agreement that Bangladesh takes over from the Islamic Republic of Iran for the FAO Council-elected seat for 2024.

(c) Guatemala and Argentina reached an agreement to share an FAO Council-elected seat, with Guatemala serving in 2021 and Argentina serving in 2022 and 2023.

(d) Brazil and Guatemala reached an agreement to share an FAO Council-elected seat, with Brazil serving in 2021 and 2022 and Guatemala serving in 2023.

(e) Denmark and Norway reached an agreement to share an FAO Council-elected seat, with Ireland and Italy serving in 2023.