



International Cotton Advisory Committee

Attachment 8b

**Approval of the PSAP members for 2020
562nd Meeting of the Standing Committee**

**14 November 2019
The ICAC Secretariat's Office
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For Discussion/Approval

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Purpose

At the 561st meeting of the ICAC Standing Committee new Terms of Reference (TOR) for the Privat Sector Advisory Panel (PSAP) were approved. As stipulated by the PSAP TOR, the PSAP recommends to the Chair of the Standing Committee the list of nominations to the panel for approval.

Numerous nominations were received by the current PSAP members and after an internal vote this final list was compiled. The list contains several nominations from a number of member countries and representatives from international organizations. The nominations represent the industry experts reflecting a geographic spread amongst members, a balance from all sectors of the cotton economy and from both developed and developing countries.

The tenure of each member shall be for three years, with a maximum of two terms. However, the terms of the elected members may be renewed further only if agreed to by the Standing Committee. Membership shall be reviewed annually by the Standing Committee with the view of ensuring the ongoing relevance and commitment of its members.

New nominations by ICAC members may be considered annually. A regular change over in Panel membership is expected. The Panel shall select its own Chair.

Attached is the list of nominations to the PSAP

Action Required

For approval

Proposed PSAP members

Producer	Australia	Mr. Adam Kay	CEO, Cotton Australia
Spinner/Textiles	Bangladesh	Mr. Syed Istiaq Ahmed	Saiham Cotton Mills
Spinner/Textiles	Bangladesh	Mr. Taslimul Hoque	Square Textiles Limited
Merchant	Brazil	Mr. Antonio Esteve	Esteve
Producer	Brazil	Mr. João Luis Ribas Pessa	Counse;or to ABRAPA and AMPA
Producer	Brazil	Mr. Haroldo Cunha.	Executive President, IBA
Spinner/Textiles	Brazil	Mr. Rafael Cervone	President Emeritus, ABIT
Producer	Burkina Faso	Mr. Wilfred Yameogo	DG Sofitex
Producer	Chad	Mr. Ibrahim Malloum	Cottonchad
Merchant	Egypt	Mr. Ahmed Khaled Elbosaty	Chairman and MD, Modern Nile Cotton Co.
Allied trades	EU	Mr. Mike Edwards	Cotlook
Allied trades	EU	Mr. Peter Wakefield	MD, Wakefield Inspection Services
Merchant	EU	Mr. Fritz Grobien	AMP
Merchant	EU	Mr. Jerzy Kotwas	VP, GCA
Producer	EU	Mr. Antonios Siarkos	President, European Cotton Association
Merchant	India	Mr. Dhiren Sheth	Galiakotwala
Merchant	India	Mr. Anupam Gupta	Senior VP, Olam International
Merchant	Pakistan	Mr. Muhammad Atif Dada	Director, Dadasons Private Ltd.
Merchant	Taiwan	Mr. Alex Hsu	Formosa Cotton
Spinner/Textiles	Taiwan	Mr. Steven Shiou-Chung Chen	Chairman, Tah Tong Textile Co., Ltd
Producer	Tanzania	Mr Marco Mtunga	President, African Cotton Association
Producer	Turkey	Mr. Leon Picon	Director, IPUD
Spinner/Textiles	Turkey	Mr. Fatih Dogan	VP, Mediterranean Textile and Raw materials Union
Allied trades	USA	Mr. Bruce Atherley	ED, Cotton Council International
Allied trades	USA	Mr. Marc Lewkowitz	Supima
Allied trades	USA	Ms. Kim Kitchens	Cotton Incorporated
Merchant	CICCA	Mr. Cliff White	CCCA
Arbitral Association	ICA	Mr. William Kingdon	ICA
Production/Sustainability	BCI	Mr. Alan McClay	BCI
ICAC	UNCITRAL	Mr. Neal P. Gillen	ICAC Representative to UNCITRAL
Spinner/Textiles	ITMF	Mr. Christian Schindler	DG, ITMF