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¹ Ms. Jannie Lasimbang resigned on 16 July 2008 as a result of her appointment as Member of the Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.

² Mr. Tegegn Melakou resigned on 7 October 2011 for family related reasons.