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**Ninth meeting**

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**Election, in accordance with articles 7 and 9 of the Optional
Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel,
Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, of
13 members of the Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture to replace
those whose terms are due to expire on 31 December 2022**

 Election of 13 members of the Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment

 Note by the Secretary-General

 Addendum

1. In accordance with the procedure set out in article 6 (3) of the Optional Protocol, the Secretary-General, in a note verbale dated 18 May 2022, invited the States parties to submit their nominations for the election of 13 members of the Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture by 18 August 2022. The curricula vitae of the 16 candidates nominated by that deadline are reproduced in document [CAT/OP/SP/20](http://undocs.org/en/CAT/OP/SP/20). The curriculum vitae of the candidate nominated after that deadline is reproduced in document [CAT/OP/SP/20/Add.1](http://undocs.org/en/CAT/OP/SP/20/Add.1).

2. On 19 September 2022, Kazakhstan withdrew the nomination of Veniamin Alayev.