

**REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR AFRICA****ORIGINAL: ENGLISH**Seventy-third sessionGaborone, Botswana, 28 August–1 September 2023**PROPOSALS FOR MEMBER STATES OF THE AFRICAN REGION TO SERVE ON THE  
EXECUTIVE BOARD AND IN POSTS OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD**

The term of office of Rwanda on the Executive Board will end with the closing of the Seventy-seventh World Health Assembly in May 2024.

In accordance with resolution AFR/RC54/R11, which decided the arrangements to be followed each year, in putting forward the Member States of the African Region for election by the Health Assembly, it is proposed as follows:

- (a) **Zimbabwe to replace Rwanda** in serving on the Executive Board, starting with the 155th session in May 2024, immediately after the Seventy-seventh World Health Assembly. The Executive Board will therefore be composed of some Member States of the African Region as indicated in the table below:

<b>Subregion 1</b>	<b>Subregion 2</b>	<b>Subregion 3</b>
Senegal (2022–2025)	Ethiopia (2022–2025)	Comoros (2023–2026)
Togo (2023–2026)	Cameroon (2023–2026)	Lesotho (2023–2026)
		<b>Zimbabwe (2024–2027)</b>

- (b) **Cameroon for election** to serve as **Vice-Chair of the Executive Board**, as from the 155th session of the Executive Board.
- (c) **Comoros to replace Ethiopia** on the Programme Budget and Administration Committee (PBAC) as from the 155th session of the Executive Board. The PBAC will therefore be composed of Comoros and Senegal from the African Region.
- (d) **Togo to replace Rwanda** on the Standing Committee on Health Emergency Prevention, Preparedness and Response (SCHEPPR) as from the 155th session of the Executive Board. The SCHEPPR will therefore be composed of Togo and Lesotho from the African Region.