The Executive Committee

Article 9

The Executive Committee shall consist of sixteen members of the Organization elected periodically by the Assembly. Each election shall be for a single term and each member shall be eligible for re-election. In such elections, the Assembly shall be guided by the following criteria:

(a) The Executive Committee shall include the members of chief economic importance, in the determination of which particular regard shall be paid to their shares in international trade.

(b) The Executive Committee shall be representative of the broad geographical areas to which the members belong.

(c) The Executive Committee shall be representative of different degrees of economic development, different types of economies and different economic interests.