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### TOMMO MONTHE (CAMEROON) ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF FIFTH COMMITTEE

Tommo Monthe (Cameroon), who was today elected Chairman of the Fifth Committee (Administrative and Budgetary), is First Counsellor in the Permanent Mission of Cameroon to the United Nations.

The new Chairman served as a Vice-Chairman of the Fifth Committee at the thirty-eighth Assembly session, was Chairman of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination (CPC) in 1984, and has been Chairman of the United Nations Council for Namibia's Standing Committee I since 1981.

Mr. Monthe has held various positions in his Permanent Mission, dating back to 1977, and has been a member of Cameroon's delegation to 15 sessions (regular, special and emergency) of the General Assembly. He has also represented Cameroon at sessions of the Economic and Social Council and of the Co-ordinating Bureau of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries.

He was born on 26 March 1947. He holds a doctorate degree in international relations from the University of Yaoundé.

Mr. Monthe is married and has four children.

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