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Promoting quality, independence and diversity of treaty body membership:

The importance of transparent and participatory nominations and election processes

This event will discuss the importance of quality, independence and diversity in treaty body membership and will examine the challenges and good practices in promoting these principles. Treaty body members, States, civil society and other stakeholders are invited to present their insights and engage in this discussion, with a view to identifying practical ways to move forward.

13:15 – 14:45

Room 8, United Nations Headquarters

New York

Moderator: Antti Korkeakivi, OHCHR

Panel

Opening remarks by **Representative of the UK Mission to the UN New York**

Mr. Christian De Vos, OSJI

Representative of the Ghana Mission to the UN New York (TBC)

Ms. Sarah Cleveland, Representative of Treaty Bodies (TBC)

Ms. Ilaria Paolazzi, Representative of TB-Net

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The event will be webcasted live on the [UN TV](#) and will be covered on Twitter by TB-Net www.twitter.com/UNTBNet

Light refreshments will be served before the event