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**Note by the Secretary-General**

**CANDIDACY FOR THE POST OF MEMBER OF  
THE RADIO REGULATIONS BOARD (RRB)**

Further to the information published in Document 3, I have the pleasure in transmitting to the Conference, in annex, the candidacy of:

**Ms Sahiba HASANOVA (Republic of Azerbaijan)**

for the post of member of the Radio Regulations Board.

Houlin ZHAO  
Secretary-General

**Annex: 1**



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**H.E. Mr. Houlin Zhao**  
**Secretary-General of the International Telecommunication Union**

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**Your Excellency,**

I would like to present my sincere greetings and deep compliments to you.

It is great pleasure and honor to inform you that the Republic of Azerbaijan puts forward its candidature for re-election as a member of the ITU Council at the elections to be held during the Plenipotentiary Conference from 26 September to 14 October 2022 in Bucharest, Romania.

As a committed member of ITU Council since 2014, Azerbaijan has regularly and actively been a part of all major ITU events and continued to contribute to the works and activities of the Union in its mission of promoting development in telecommunication sector.

Azerbaijan commits itself to carry on the efforts for achieving the goals and strengthening the partnership with ITU and all its members in the future.

Also the Government of Azerbaijan presents the candidacy of Ms. Sahiba Hasanova to be re-elected for the membership in the Radio Regulation Board of ITU at the forthcoming elections. She has been serving for the past few years as a member of RRB. By submitting her candidacy, we are fully convinced of her capacity, experience and commitment to successfully perform her duties.

Ms. Hasanova's curriculum vitae and brochure is attached herewith for reference.

I avail myself of this opportunity to express my highest and distinguished consideration to you.

Enclosures

Sincerely,

Minister  
Rashad Nabiyev



## SAHIBA HASANOVA

### Candidate for re-election to the Radio Regulations Board of ITU

**Date of birth:** 17 December 1976  
**Nationality:** Azerbaijan  
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#### EDUCATION

- **1998-2000, Master's degree** - Faculty of Radiotechnology and Communication; Speciality - signal reception, processing and transmission system and equipment *Azerbaijan Technical University*;
- **1994-1998, Bachelor's degree** - Faculty of Telecommunication; Speciality - radiocommunication, radiobroadcasting and TV *Azerbaijan Technical University*.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

##### **International experience:**

- 2019-present, **Member** of the Radio Regulations Board, International Telecommunication Union (ITU);
- 9-20 October 2017, **Vice-Chairperson** of Working Group of the Plenary of WTDC-17, Buenos Aires, Argentina;
- 2016 – present, **Member** of the Frequency working Party of the International Telecommunication Satellite Organization (**ITSO**);
- 2016 – 2020, **Vice-Chairperson** of ITU-R Study Group 4 (Satellite Services), Radiocommunication Bureau of ITU;
- June 2012 - ITU's local **expert (P3)** - Baku, Republic of Azerbaijan.

## ***Ministry of Digital Development and Transport of the Republic of Azerbaijan (MDDT):***

- 1 December 2010 – present, Expert in Satellite frequency coordination, MDDT
- 31 February 2018- Present, Consulting Adviser, Department of Telecommunications and Post, MDDT;
- 6 May 2008 – 31 February 2018, Senior engineer, Radio Television Broadcasting and Satellite Communication Production Unity, MDDT
- 2015 – 2020, Focal Point for ITU-R Activities of the MDDT

## ***1998 – 2009 Azerbaijan Technical University***

- **Department of Radiotechnology**
  - 01.09.2007 - 30.06.2009 – lecturer;
  - 04.11.2003 - 06.05.2008 – head of laboratory
  - 07.10.2001 - 04.11.2003 – chief laboratory assistant
  - 01.02.2001 - 07.10.2001 – laboratory assistant
- **Department of Television and Radiosystems, “Television center”**
  - 03.12.1998 - 15.01.2001– technical expert

## **Awards**

- The “Taraggi” Medal ("Progress Medal") by the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan, 2018;
- Medal by the Regional Commonwealth in the field of Communications (RCC), 2018;
- Azerbaijani Women Award Diploma (AWITA), “Recognising the outstanding innovation achieved by women in the industry in Azerbaijan” Femmes Digitales, 2018;
- Certificate of Honour by the Ministry of Communications and Information Technologies, 2012;
- Certificate of Honour by the Radio Television Broadcasting and Satellite Communication Production Unity, 2008

## **Professional development**

- 1 November 2015, Women’s Leadership in Radiocommunication Negotiation, United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), Geneva, Switzerland;
- October 2015, International Communication Regulation and Policy, “Basic Principles of International Communication Regulation and Policy” American University Washington College of Law;
- 20 May - 2 June 2013, Seminar on “Public Administration and Aerospace Development”, Chinese Academy of Governance Beijing, China;
- 25-29 October 2010, “Electromagnetic compatibility of radio electronic facilities”, Moscow Technical University, Moscow, Russian Federation.

## **Participation in Various Meetings on behalf of Administration**

I had participated a number of international conferences and meetings on behalf of the Ministry of Digital Development and Transport of the Republic of Azerbaijan such as ITU Council, World World Radiocommunication Conference (WRC), World Radiocommunication Assembly (RA), World Telecommunication Development Conference (WTDC), World Summit on the Information Society (WSIS), Global Symposium for Regulators (GSR), ITU Telecom World, Conference Preparatory Meeting (CPM), Study Group 4 (Satellite Services), Working Party 4A (Efficient orbit/spectrum utilization for FSS and BSS), Internet Governance Forum (IGF), Regional Commonwealth in the field of Communication (RCC), European Conference of Postal and Telecommunications Administrations (CEPT), Frequency working Party of the International Telecommunication Satellite Organization (ITSO) and GlobalSatShow.

## **Publications**

9 scientific articles, 2 tutorials

## **Languages**

Azerbaijani (native),

English (advanced),

Russian (advanced),

Turkish (advanced),

French (intermediate)

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**SAHIBA  
HASANOVA**



MINISTRY OF DIGITAL DEVELOPMENT  
AND TRANSPORT  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF AZERBAIJAN



# VISION STATEMENT

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**IN SUPPORT OF THE CANDIDACY OF MS. SAHIBA MAZAHIR HASANOVA OF THE REPUBLIC OF AZERBAIJAN FOR THE RE-ELECTION OF MEMBER OF THE RADIO REGULATIONS BOARD (RRB) FOR THE C REGION.**

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The Ministry of Digital Development and Transport of the Republic of Azerbaijan is putting forward for the re-election Ms. Sahiba Hasanova as a candidate for the Radio Regulation Board, to be re-elected at the 2022 Plenipotentiary Conference, based on her experience, professional background and key expertise in radiocommunication sector.

She is highly qualified expert in spectrum management, as well as satellite and terrestrial services with solid academic background on radiocommunication.

She has always imputed great importance to the work of ITU through involvement in the ITU's various meetings, conferences and also RCC and CEPT regional meetings.

She actively participated at the events such as ITU Council, WRC, RA, WTDC, WSIS, GSR, ITU Telecom World, CPM, Study Group 4 (Satellite Services), Working Party 4A (Efficient orbit/spectrum utilization for FSS and BSS), IGF, RCC, CEPT, Frequency working Party of the ITSO and GlobalSatShow.

She was elected to the Radio Regulation Board for 2019-2022 years. Currently, she is one of the active members of the Radio Regulation Board.

If elected she will perform her duties with great enthusiasm, using personal knowledge, experience and high moral qualities.

Being active member of the RRB, she will use this opportunity to contribute to the work of RRB.

Ms. Hasanova will ensure that the RRB decisions are fully compliant with the Constitution, the Convention and the Radio Regulations of the ITU.

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