



# WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

FIFTY-SIXTH WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY  
Provisional agenda item 16.2

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## Appointment of the External Auditor

### Report by the Director-General

1. The Government of Sweden has submitted a nomination for the appointment as the External Auditor of the World Health Organization in accordance with Financial Regulation 14.1.<sup>1</sup>
2. A revision dated 19 March 2003 has been received from the Government of Sweden, and is attached as an Annex.

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<sup>1</sup> See document A56/31.



The Swedish National Audit Office  
Gunilla Bruun

Letter  
Date  
2003-03-19

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World Health Organization  
Office of the Comptroller  
CH-1211 Geneva 27  
Switzerland

Dear Sir,

**Re: Appointment of External Auditor of the World Health  
Organization (ref no A3-180-3)**

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The Swedish Government has nominated Mr Kjell Larsson, Auditor General of the Swedish National Audit Office for appointment as the External Auditor of the World Health Organization for the financial periods 2004-2005 and 2006-2007. The nomination was submitted to the World Health Organization on 31 January, 2003.

Since the date of submission the Swedish National Audit Office has received further information regarding the presence of a permanent representative in Geneva. This item was not included in the original financial proposal. We would hereby like to revise the financial proposal. The attached financial proposal dated 19 March 2003 includes a permanent representative in Geneva and should replace the financial proposal dated 31 January 2003.

Yours sincerely,

Gunilla Bruun  
Head of International Assignments

Financial Proposal concerning the RRV as external auditor to the WHO

	N° of auditor-months	Total days	Total cost
<b><u>2004-2005 biennium</u></b>			
Permanent representative	21	441	688.941
Audit services, financial audit	15	315	428.344
Audit services, performance audit	4	84	114.225
		399	1.231.511
<b><u>2006-2007 biennium</u></b>			
<i>(Fees increased by 4 %)</i>			
Permanent representative	21	441	688.941
Audit services, financial audit	15	315	445.478
Audit services, performance audit	4	84	118.794
		399	1.253.213
<b>TOTAL AUDIT FEE, all-inclusive (USD)</b>			<b>2.484.724</b>