

ship in the Panel shall not, however, render a person ineligible for appointment, as a representative of his government or otherwise, on commissions or other bodies not formed under the regulations governing the Panel for Enquiry and Conciliation. Members of commissions constituted under these regulations shall receive appropriate compensation for the period of their service.

4. The Secretary-General of the United Nations has requested the Canadian Government to send him the names of the one to five persons designated by it as members of the United Nations Panel for Enquiry and Conciliation.

5. I recommend that the Canadian Government should designate five Canadians for membership on the Panel. In making these appointments it is necessary to bear in mind the importance of having highly qualified persons readily available to serve on such commissions as may be constituted to assist in the settlement of international disputes and situations. The services of persons of the stature of the late Count Folke Bernadotte and Dr. Ralph Bunche have proved invaluable in reaching some degree of settlement in the very complicated Palestine situation.

6. The following is a suggested list of names of Canadians who might be approached with a request that they permit the Government to designate them for membership on the Panel. The first five persons would be approached immediately, and in the event of any of them being unable to serve, the last three, listed as alternates, would be approached.⁵⁸

Senator L.M. Gouin
 Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey
 Mr. Justice Ilsley
 Senator Norman P. Lambert
 Chief Justice Sir Albert Walsh

Alternates

Senator L.A. David
 Hon. C.J. Burchell
 Mr. R.H. Fowler

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⁵⁸ Le Cabinet nota ce rapport, le 21 décembre.
 The Cabinet noted this report on December 21.