

ISRAELI ASSOCIATION
of FORMER INTERNATIONAL CIVIL SERVANTS (IAFICS)
(Affiliated to the Federation of Associations of Former International Civil Servants –FAFICS)

20 May 2010

Report on IAFICS 2nd Meeting on 15 March 2010

The 2nd annual meeting of IAFICS was attended by a total of eleven out of the 23 members of the association (see ANNEX A), and was opened and chaired by the IAFICS president, Prof. Michael Suess. As not all the participants were fluent in Hebrew (while the communications of FAFICS and IAFICS are distributed in English) it was suggested and agreed to hold the meeting in English.

First, the meeting agreed to confirm for one more year the present president, vice-president and treasurer, being Prof. Suess, Dr. Peritz and Dr. Graber, respectively, who were elected at the 1st annual meeting of the association.

Next, after each of the participants introduced himself/herself, Prof. Suess provided a brief summary of the annual meeting of FAFICS (its 38th Council Session), held in Vienna 7-10 July 2009, which he attended on behalf of IAFICS. A detailed report of the meeting is available on the homepage of FAFICS at: <http://afics.unog.ch.FAFICS.htm>

The IAFICS treasurer, Dr. Michael Graber, provided a brief verbal report of the financial status of the association (An updated financial report, reflecting the situation as at 28.4.2010, is attached to this report as Annex B).

The following subjects were further on discussed:

1. Possible participation of a IAFICS member at the forthcoming FAFICS 2010 Annual Council meeting, to be held in London, UK, 8 to 13 July 2010. It was suggested that a member who will or could be at that time in London, should volunteer to attend.
2. It was agreed to refund NIS2000 to Prof. Suess to cover part of the expenses incurred at attending the FAFICS Annual Council Meeting in Vienna in 2009.
3. How to identify and interest additional Israeli UN-system pensioners to join IAFICS.
4. Transfer of UN pensions to Israel and the position of UN pensions with respect to the Israeli income tax.
5. It was agreed to hold the next annual IAFICS meeting in February 2011. The secretariat will search for a suitable venue.

Following the closure of the meeting, several of the participants continued with an informal gathering over a light meal at the local restaurant.

ANNEX A

LIST OF MEMBERS and EMAILS (or ADDRESSES), as of 20 May 2010

Mr Abraham Ben-David רח'אז"ר 5, חולון, 58291 טל: 8908-504-03	(FAO)	ItzikB@moag.gov.il
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Ms Rosa P. Brown ת.ד. 5002, בת-ים 59160	(UNHCR)	(none)
Ms Hanna Lina Coriat	(UNDP)	LCoriat@netvision.net.il
Dr Nathaniel Doron	(FAO)	Doron55@012.net.il
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Mr Aimo Ojanen	(UNTSO)	Aimo.Ojanen@gmail.com
Ms Susy Olvera	(UNCTAD)	bertha-Shoshana@hotmail.com
Mr Chaim Ouziel	(UN)	COuziel@aol.com
Dr Franz Joseph Peritz	(FAO)	franz@012.net.il
Prof Michael J. Suess	(WHO)	liafics@gmail.com
Ms Anny Vidor	(UNESCO)	VidorF2@bezeqint.net
Mr William Zeev Weintraub	(UNDP)	WillyRut@netvision.net.il
Mr Witold Zyss	(UNESCO)	WZyss@orange.fr

ANNEX B

1. Financial Report as up to 20 May 2010

(A) INCOME

1.1 Membership fees 2008 (18X200.00)	NIS 3,600.00
1.2 Membership fees 2009 (14X200.00+1X250)	NIS 3,050.00
1.3 Membership Contribution toward the Meeting on 15.2.2009	NIS 640.00
1.4 Membership fees 2010 (9X200.00)	NIS 1,800.00
1.5 Membership fees 2011 (1X200.00)	<u>NIS 200.00</u>
Total	NIS 9,290.00

(B) EXPENSES

2.1 Rent for room for Meeting on 15.2.2009	NIS 426.20
2.2 Catering for Meeting on 15.2.2009	NIS 445.00
2.3 FAFICS Membership fee for 2008 (USD 33.13 paid by Michael Suess)	NIS 139.15
2.4 FAFICS Membership fee for 2009 (USD 29.70 paid by Michael Suess)	NIS 124.74
2.5 Refund to Michael Suess for part of the expenses incurred at attending the FAFICS annual Council Meeting in Rome in June 2008	NIS 500.00
2.6 FAFICS Membership fee for 2010 (USD 28.35 paid by Michael Suess)	NIS 105.41
2.7 Contribution to the Russian AFICS through FAFICS (USD 20.00 paid by Michael Suess)	NIS 74.36
2.8 Refund to Michael Suess for part of the expenses incurred at attending the FAFICS annual Council Meeting in Vienna in June 2009	NIS 2,000.00
2.9 Rent for room for Meeting on 15.3.2010	NIS 428.04
2.10 Catering for Meeting on 15.2.2009	NIS 638.00
2.11 Commission charges of the 1 st Direct Leumi Bank, for managing IAFICS account (No. 330-188117/67)	<u>NIS 36.34</u>
Total	NIS 4,967.24

(C) BALANCE AS OF 28.4.2010

NIS 4,272.76

(D) OUTSTANDING INCOME

4.1 Membership fees for 2009 (5X200.00)	NIS 1,000.00
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2. Status of Payment of Membership Fees Summary as of 20.5.2010

NAME	ORGANI- ZATION	QUESTIONNAIRE	FEES FOR		
			2008	2009	2010
Mr Abraham BEN-DAVID	FAO	yes	yes	yes	yes
Ms Hilda BEN-NUN	UNDP	yes	yes	yes	no
Dr Menakhem BEN-YAMI	FAO	yes	yes	no	no
Ms Rosa BROWN**	UNHCR	yes	-	-	yes
Ms Hanna Lina CORIAT	UNDP	yes	yes	yes	no
Dr Nathaniel DORON	FAO	yes	yes	yes	no
Dr Ezra E. FARHI	WHO	no	yes	no	no

Dr Reinhard Yoav FREIBERG	UNICEF	yes	yes	yes	yes
Ms Dahlia GILAD	WHO	yes	yes	no	no
Mr Uri GOLANI	UN-NY	yes	yes	yes	yes
Dr Michael GRABER	UNEP	yes	yes	yes	yes
Dr Esther GULUMA*	UNICEF	yes	-	yes	no
Mr Jacob HAZAN	IAEA	yes	yes	yes	no
Mr Menachem LOURIE	FAO	yes	yes	yes	no
Prof Jacob O. MAOS	WHO	yes	yes	no	no
Mr Aimo OJANEN**	UNTSO	yes	-	-	yes
Ms Susy OLVERA*	UNCTAD	yes	-	yes	no
Mr Chaim OUZIEL	UN-NY	yes	yes	no	no
Dr Franz Joseph PERITZ	FAO	yes	yes	yes	no
Prof Michael J. SUESS	WHO	yes	yes	yes	yes
Ms Anny VIDOR	UNESCO	yes	yes	yes	yes
Mr William Z. WEINTRAUB**	UNDP	yes	-	-	yes
Mr Witold ZYSS	UNESCO	yes	yes	yes	no
* NEW MEMBERS WHO JOINED IN 2009		**NEW MEMBERS WHO JOINED IN 2010			