

**REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL ON THE MANAGEMENT,
ACTIVITIES AND ADMINISTRATIVE WORK OF THE OIE IN 2021**

I. RELATIONS WITH MEMBER

1. ACCESSION OF NEW MEMBERS

At the end of 2021 the OIE had 182 Member Countries.

2. DESIGNATION OF PERMANENT DELEGATES IN 2021

21 December	IRAN	Dr. Seyed Mohammad AGHAMIRI - Head of Iran Veterinary Organization - Ministry of Agriculture-Jahad
20 December	UNITED STATES of AMERICA	Dr Rosemary Sifford Deputy Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service Veterinary Services, United States Department of Agriculture
8 December	PAKISTAN	Mr Dr Muhammad Akram, Animal Husbandry Commissioner (D&V), M/O National Food Security & Research
15 November	MADAGASCAR	Dr Vincent Michel Rakotoharinome, Directeur des Services vétérinaires, Services Vétérinaires, Ministère de l'Agriculture et de l'Elevage
1 November	BANGLADESH	Dr Monjur Mohammad Shahjada, Director General, Department of Livestock, Department of Livestock Services (DLS), Ministry of Fisheries and Livestock
1 November	SWEDEN	Dr Lena Hellqvist Björnerot, Chief Veterinary Officer, Swedish Board of Agriculture, Ministry of Enterprise and Innovation
4 October	ECUADOR	Ing. Carlos Alberto Muentes Macias, Director Ejecutivo, Agencia de Regulacion y Control Fito y Zoonosanitario, AGROCALIDAD
10 September	KOREA (DEM PEOPLE REP)	Dr Un Sil Ri, Director of Anti Epidemic Department, Chief of Veterinary Services, Veterinary and Anti-Epizootic Department, Ministry of Agriculture
8 September	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	Dr Kaltham Ali Kayaf, Head of Laboratory Pesticides Analysis and Residues section, National Laboratories, Ministry of Climate Change and Environment
23 August	CÔTE D'IVOIRE	Dr Vessaly Kallo, Directeur des Services Vétérinaires
6 August	ECUADOR	Ing. Rommel Anibal Betancourt Herrera
23 July	KOREA (Rep.of)	Dr Dongsik Lee, Chief Veterinary Officer, Director, Animal Health Policy Bureau, Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
21 July	KYRGYZSTAN	Mr Almaz Sharshenbekov, Director, State Inspectorate of Veterinary and Phyto-Sanitary Security under the Government of the Kyrgyz Republic, The State Inspection on Veterinary and Phyto-Sanitary Security under the Government of the Kyrgyz Re
1 July	ETHIOPIA	Dr Fikru Regassa Gari, State Minister, Livestock Resources Development Sector, Ministry of Agriculture
28 June	CANADA	Dr Mary Jane Ireland, Executive Director, Chief Veterinary Officer, Animal Health Directorate, Canadian Food Inspection Agency
21 June	FRANCE	Dre Emmanuelle Soubeyran, Directrice générale adjointe, Chief Veterinary Officer (CVO), Direction générale de l'alimentation, Ministère de l'Agriculture et de l'Alimentation
9 June	BURKINA FASO	Dr Adama Maiga, Directeur Général des Services Vétérinaires, Direction Générale des Services Vétérinaires, Ministère des Ressources Animales et Halieutiques

7 June	ECUADOR	Dr Julio Cesar Paredes Muñoz, Director Ejecutivo, AGROCALIDAD, Ministerio de Agricultura y Ganadería
7 June	VANUATU	Dr Ian Peebles, Acting Principal Veterinary Officer, Biosecurity Vanuatu, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Forestry, Fisheries and Biosecurity
1 June	BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	Dr Saša Bošković, Director, Chief Veterinary Officer, Veterinary Office, Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations of Bosnia and Herzegovina
24 May	POLAND	Dr Krzysztof Jazdzewski, Deputy Chief Veterinary Officer, General Veterinary Inspectorate, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development
7 May	BOLIVIA	Dr. Patrick Renan Nogales Mejía, Director General Ejecutivo, Servicio Nacional de Sanidad Agropecuaria e Inocuidad Alimentaria, Ministerio de Desarrollo Rural y Tierras
5 May	MAURITIUS	Dr Pitmbarsing Beeharry, Principal Veterinary Officer, Livestock and Veterinary Division, , Agricultural Services,, Ministry of Agro-Industry and Food Security
3 May	TUNISIA	Dr Hichem Bouzghaïa, Directeur Général, Services Vétérinaires, Ministère de l'Agriculture, des Ressources Hydrauliques et de la Pêche Maritime
30 April	KYRGYZSTAN	Dr Samir Osmonaliev
28 April	JAPAN	Dr Masatsugu Okita, Vice President of the Regional Commission for Asia, Far East and Oceania, Director of International Animal Health Affairs Office,, Animal Health Division, Food Safety and Consumer Affairs Bureau,, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
28 April	LITHUANIA	Dr Mantas Staškevičius, Director, State Food and Veterinary Service
22 April	URUGUAY	Dr Enrique Diego De Freitas Netto, Director General, Direccion General de Servicios Ganaderos, Ministerio de Ganadería, Agricultura y Pesca
19 April	MONGOLIA	Dr Ganzorig Basan, Chief Veterinary Officer, Director General, General Authority for Veterinary Services, Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Light Industry
18 April	NEPAL	Dr Damayanti Shrestha, Deputy Director General, Department of Livestock Services, Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development
13 April	BURUNDI	Dr Désiré Ntakirutimana, Directeur, Département de la Santé Animale, Ministère de l'Agriculture et de l'Élevage
8 April	SUDAN	Dr Amal Hamid Elmahi, Acting Undersecretary, Veterinary Services, Ministry of Animal Resources
7 April	NORTH MACEDONIA (REP. OF)	Dr Nikolche Babovski, Director, Food and Veterinary Agency, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water Economy
6 April	GHANA	Dr Patrick Abakeh, Chief Veterinary Officer, Veterinary Service Directorate, Ministry of Food and Agriculture
4 April	BANGLADESH	Dr Shaikh Azizur Rahman, Director General, Livestock Services (DLS), Ministry of Fisheries and Livestock
2 April	SRI LANKA	Dr Kasthuri Arachchige Chandrika Hemali Abeyratne Kothalawala, Director General, Department of Animal Production and Health, Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Economic Affairs, Livestock Development, Irrigation & Fisheries
29 March	UNITED STATES of AMERICA	Dr Burke Healey, Deputy Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service Veterinary Services, United States Department of Agriculture
15 March	SURINAME	Dr Faizel Wilnis, Chief Veterinary Officer, Department of Animal Production and Health, Ministry of Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Fisheries
3 March	SEYCHELLES	Dr Mark Naiken, Chief Executive Officer, National Biosecurity Agency, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries
1 March	TURKEY	Dr Harun Seçkin, Director General, Food and Control, Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Livestock
28 February	ESTONIA	Dr Hele-Mai Sammel, Chief Veterinary Officer, Veterinary and Food Board, Ministry of Rural Affairs
17 February	GUATEMALA	Dra. Maria Eugenia Paz Diaz, Directora, Dirección de Sanidad Animal del Viceministerio de Sanidad Agropecuaria y Regulaciones, Ministerio de Agricultura, Ganadería y Alimentación

15 February	KUWAIT	Dr Meshal Al Quraifah, Deputy of Director General, Animal Health Department, Public Authority for Agriculture and Fisheries
8 February	PHILIPPINES	Dr Reildrin Morales, Officer in Charge, Director, Bureau of Animal Industry, Ministry of Agriculture
29 January	NEPAL	Dr Damayanti Shrestha, Deputy Director General, Department of Livestock Services

3. CONTRIBUTION CATEGORIES

At 31 December 2021, the distribution of Member Countries by category was as follows:

First category	17
Second category	7
Third category	11
Fourth category	15
Fifth category	28 (including 3 LDCs)
Sixth category	104 (including 41 LDCs)
Total	182 countries

In 2021, one Member decided to pay contributions in a higher category. Four Members contributed in category A.

For 2022, four Members will contribute in category A.

II. OIE STATUTORY BODIES

1. WORLD ASSEMBLY

The 88th General Session of the World Assembly of Delegates was held in Paris from 24 to 28 May 2021 by videoconference. One hundred and sixty five (165) OIE Members participated.

In accordance with Article 47 of the General Rules, the Resolutions of the 88th General Session and the Final Report of the Session were sent to the Governments of all OIE Members in June 2021.

2. COUNCIL, SPECIALIST COMMISSIONS AND WORKING GROUP

At the 88th General Session, the Assembly held elections to elect the Director General, the President and all the members of the Council, the members of the five (5) Regional Commissions as well as the members of the four (4) Specialised Commissions.

In accordance with the texts, the composition of the Working Groups (Wildlife Working Group and Antimicrobial Resistance Working Group) was presented and approved by the Assembly.

The situation at 31 December 2021 is presented in Appendix I (pages 7 and 8).

III. OIE ADMINISTRATION

1. STAFF

A table of OIE staff according to the source of funding is provided in Appendix II (page 9 & 10).

A table of OIE staff and the number of nationalities is provided in Appendix III (page 11).

A table of OIE staff according to gender is provided in Appendix III (page 11).

2. WORKS AND EQUIPMENT

Maintenance and renovation work on the OIE Headquarters buildings continued, including plumbing, electrical and cabling work and the improvement of security installations. The 3rd floor of 14 rue de Prony has thus been partly renovated by the Logistics Unit. The entire World Animal Health Information archive has been inventoried and moved for storage off-site. Teleworking staff have been provided with furniture at home. The security of the buildings at Headquarters has been strengthened by the creation of an area dedicated to Human Resources with secure storage for staff members' personal files and locked access. This arrangement is part of the overall security policy for the building and personal data.

IV. FINANCIAL AND BUDGETARY MANAGEMENT

During 2021, the Headquarters was responsible for managing:

- The Regular Budget
- The accounts of the Regional and the Sub-Regional Representations
- The World Animal Health and Welfare Fund
- The other special accounts (OIE Supplementary Pension Fund; and Joint Old Age Allowance Fund for the staff of OIE Regional and Sub-Regional Representations).

Detailed reports for each account are provided in the OIE Financial Report for the 95th Financial Year (89 SG/4).

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APPENDICES

- APPENDIX I** : Composition of the Council, Regional Commissions, Specialist Commissions and Working Groups
- APPENDIX II** : Table of OIE staff by source of funding, at 31 December 2021
- APPENDIX III** : Table of OIE staff and nationalities at 31 December 2021 and Table of OIE staff by gender

**COMPOSITION OF THE COUNCIL, REGIONAL COMMISSIONS, SPECIALIST COMMISSIONS
AND WORKING GROUPS**

(at 31 December 2021)

COUNCIL

Dr Hugo Federico Idoyaga Benítez (Paraguay)	President
Dr Mark Schipp (Australia)	Immediate Past President
Dr Christianne Bruschke (The Netherlands)	Vice-President
Dr Him Hoo Yap (Singapore)	Member
Dr Komla Batassé Batawui (Togo)	Member
Dr Roland Xolani Dlamini (Eswatini)	Member
Dr Yobani Gutiérrez Ravelo (Cuba)	Member
Dr Dr Konstantin Savenkov (Russia)	Member
<i>Vacant (Middle East)</i>	Member

REGIONAL COMMISSIONS

Regional Commission for Africa

Dr Honoré Robert N’Lemba Mabela (Democratic Rep. of the Congo)	President
Dr Dr Mbargou Lo (Senegal)	Vice-President
<i>Vacant</i>	Vice-President
Dr Anna Rose Ademun Okurut (Uganda)	Secretary-General

Regional Commission for the Americas

<i>Vacant</i>	President
Dr Wilmer José Juárez Juárez (Nicaragua)	Vice-Présidente
Dr Ximena Melón (Argentina)	Vice-Président
Dr Arnold Dwarkasing (Curaçao)	Secretary-General

Regional Commission for Asia, the Far East and Oceania

Dr Baoxu Huang (People’s Rep. of China)	President
Dr Tony Zohrab (New Zealand)	Vice-President
Dr Masatsugu Okita (Japan)	Vice-President
Dr Ye Tun Win (Myanmar)	Secretary-General

Regional Commission for Europe

Dr. Maris Balodis (Latvia)	President
Dr. Ulrich Herzog (Austria)	Vice-President
Dr. Vesna Dakovic (Montenegro)	Vice-President
Dr. Vasili Basiladze (Georgia)	Secretary-General

Regional Commission for the Middle East

Dr Fajer Al-Salloom (Bahrain)	President
Dr Sanad Al Harbi (Saudi Arabia)	Vice-President
Dr Mahmoud Mohamed Ali Abdelhakim (Egypt)	Vice-President
Dr Elias Ibrahim (Lebanon)	Secretary-General

SPECIALIST COMMISSIONS (ELECTED IN MAY 2021)

Terrestrial Animal Health Standards Commission

Dr Etienne Bonbon (France)	President
Dr Gastón María Funes (Argentina)	1 st Vice-President
Prof. Salah Hammami (Tunisia)	2 nd Vice-President
Dr Lucio Ignacio Carbajo Goñi (Spain)	Member
Dr Kiyokazu Murai (Japan)	Member
Dr Bernardo Todeschini (Brazil)	Member

Scientific Commission for Animal Diseases

Dr Cristóbal Zepeda (United States of America)	President
Dr Kris de Clercq (Belgium)	1 st Vice-President
Dr Trevor Drew (Australia)	2 nd Vice-President
Dr Silvia Bellini (Italy)	Member
Dr Misheck Mulumba (South Africa)	Member
Dr Baptiste Dungu (South Africa)	Member

Biological Standards Commission

Prof. Emmanuel Couacy-Hymann (Cote d'Ivoire)	President
Prof. Ann Cullinane (Ireland)	1 st Vice-President
Dr John Pasick (Canada)	2 nd Vice-President
Dr Chris Oura (Trinidad and Tobago)	Member
Dr Joseph S. O'Keefe (New Zealand)	Member
Dr Satoko Kawaji (Japan)	Member

Aquatic Animal Health Standards Commission

Dr Ingo Ernst (Australia)	President
Dr Alicia Gallardo Lagno (Chile)	1 st Vice-President
Dr Fiona Geoghegan (Belgium)	2 nd Vice-President
Dr Kevin William Christison (South Africa)	Member
Dr. Prof Hong Liu (People's Rep. of China)	Member
Dr Espen Rimstad (Norway)	Member

WORKING GROUPS (approved in May 2021)

Working Group on Wildlife

Dr William B. Karesh (United States of America)	Chair
Dr Jonathan Sleeman (United States of America)	
Dr Marie-Pierre Ryser-Degiorgis (Switzerland)	
Dr Marcela Uhart (Argentina)	
Pr. Koichi Murata (Japan)	
Dr Rupert Woods (Australia)	
Dr Markus Hofmeyr (Botswana)	

Working Group on Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR)

Dr Tomoko Ishibashi (Japan)	Chair
Dr Gérard Moulin (France)	
Dr Donald Prater (United States of America)	
Prof. Moritz van Vuuren (South Africa)	
Dr Fajer Al Salloom (Bahrain)	
Dr Stephen Page (Australia)	
Ms Barbara Freischem (The Netherlands)	

**TABLE OF OIE STAFF BY SOURCE OF FUNDING
(AT 31 DECEMBER 2021)**

I. - HEADQUARTERS

Entity	Paid by the OIE		Placed at the disposal of the OIE by their Organisation or country of origin	Total number
	from the Regular Budget	from the OIE World Fund, with donor support		
Directorate General	5	5	3	13
Engagement and Investment Department	0	7	0	7
Digital Transformation & Information Systems Department	5	3	0	8
Communication Department	5	4	0	9
Performance management and internal control Unit	2	0	0	2
Directorate of Administration	3	0	0	3
Human Resources	4	0	0	4
Budget Unit	4	0	0	4
Accounting Unit	4	2	0	6
General Services Unit	8	0	0	8
Regional Activities Department	1	0	1	2
Capacity-Building Department	1	7	1	9
Legal Affairs Unit	1	0	0	1
Documentation Cell	1	0	0	1
Events Coordination Unit	6	0	0	6
World Animal Health Information and Analysis Department	17	0	2	19
Standards Department	7	1	3	11
Status Department	8	1	0	9
Preparedness and Resilience Department	1	5	1	7
Science Department	4	2	1	7
Antimicrobial Resistance and Veterinary Products Department	2	8	2	12
Publications Unit	6	0	0	6
TOTAL	95	45	14	154
	62%	29%	9%	(100%)

**TABLE OF OIE STAFF BY SOURCE OF FUNDING
(AT 31 DECEMBER 2021)**

II – REGIONAL AND SUB-REGIONAL REPRESENTATIONS

Entity	Paid by the OIE		Placed at the disposal of the OIE by their Organisation or country of origin	Total Number
	from the Regular Budget or the RR/SRR budgets	from the OIE World Fund, with donor support		
RR for the Americas	5	2	0	7
SRR for Central America:	2	1	1	4
RR for Africa	8	8	0	16
SRR for Southern Africa:	3	2	0	5
SRR for North Africa	0	3	0	3
SRR for Eastern Africa and the Horn of Africa	3	5	0	8
RR for Asia and the Pacific	0	10	0	10
SRR for South-East Asia	0	8	0	8
RR for the Middle East	2	0	0	2
SRR in Abu Dhabi	2	0	1	3
SRR in Brussels	2	0	1	3
RR in Moscow	2	0	1	3
SRR for Central Asia	2	1	1	4
TOTAL	31	40	5	76
	41%	53%	6%	100%

TABLE OF OIE STAFF AND THE NUMBER OF DIFFERENT NATIONALITIES AT 31 DECEMBER 2021

Number of nationalities at OIE Headquarters : 54
In the RR/SRR: : 34 (including 19 already represented at Headquarters)
Total: : 69

Number of agents according to nationality

	French	Other nationalities *	Total
Headquarters	46	108*	154
Regional and Sub-Regional Representations	2	74	76
Total	48	182	230
	21%	79%	100%

* including 11 staff members who also have French nationality

Number of staff members, by gender:

	Women	Men	Total
Headquarters	95	59	154
Regional and Sub-Regional Representations	27	49	76
Total	122	108	230
	53%	47%	100%