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Amnesty group names chairman

The Halifax Group of Amnesty International Canada elected Halifax lawyer Davies B. N. Bagambiire as its new chairman and refugee co-ordinator.

The Halifax group (Canadian Section Group 15) of more than 200 members also passed a resolution at the annual meeting that asks the Canadian Branch of Amnesty International to "earnestly request the Federal Government of Canada to make strong representations to the Government of the United States of America to discontinue military or eco-

nomie action which contributes to the violation of human rights in Central America."

Among the other members of the newly elected executive are Jennifer Wade, past chairman; Joyce Maloney, secretary; and Hilary Marientette, treasurer.

An Atlantic Regional Meeting will be held in Halifax from April 23 - 25 at the International Education Centre, Saint Mary's University.