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Mr. Norton was appointed by the Director-General as Chief of Mission representing the International Organization for Migration (IOM) in Kathmandu, Nepal, from July 2016. His service includes 25 years in IOM with postings as Senior Regional Programme Coordinator for South Asia and Head of Sub-office in Damak, Nepal (Oct 2014 – July 2016); Head of Office, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba (2009 – 2014); Chief of Mission, Papua New Guinea (2007 – 2009); Deputy Chief of Mission, Indonesia (2005 – 2007); Chief of Mission, Sudan (2003 – 2005); Chief of Mission, Kyrgyz Republic (1996 – 2000); Regional Representative to the Central Asian Republics (1996 – 1997); Desk Officer for Former Yugoslavia at IOM HQ, Geneva, Switzerland (1992 – 1996); and Head of Office, Kuwait (1991-1992).

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