Administrative instruction

 Technical bodies

 The Under-Secretary-General for Management, pursuant to section 4.2 of Secretary-General’s bulletin [ST/SGB/2009/4](https://undocs.org/ST/SGB/2009/4), and for the purpose of clarifying staff rule 11.2 (b), hereby promulgates the following:

1. A staff member wishing to formally contest an administrative decision taken pursuant to advice obtained from technical bodies is not required to request a management evaluation.

2. The list of technical bodies being referred to under staff rule 11.2 (b) are as follows:

 (a) Medical boards or independent medical practitioners duly authorized to review medical decisions or medical recommendations, including reconsiderations referred to in article 5.1 of appendix D to the Staff Rules;

 (b) Classification Appeals Committees.

3. The present administrative instruction enters into force on the date of its issuance.

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