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SUMMARY

The Working Group on Names of Countries and Features beyond a Single Sovereignty of the National Committee on Geographical Names, drew up the list of names of countries and their capitals. In so doing, it took into account the list established by the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names and the recommendations of the Cuban Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Various bibliographical sources and specialists from various bodies were consulted. The work also includes a preliminary list (annexed) containing the names of capitals which are exonyms, with their official or local Romanized spellings.
