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At its 69th to 71st, 73rd to 76th, 79th, 81st, 84th to 87th plenary meetings, on 3, 7, 9, 10, 13, 14, 16, 20, 21 and 23 December 1993, the General Assembly adopted resolutions 48/26 to 48/232 and decisions 313 to 319, 402 C, 409 B and 410 to 484. Consequently, documents A/INF/48/8 and Add.1 should be amended as follows:

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48/68	Verification in all its aspects, including the role of the United Nations in the field of verification (A/48/669) .	64	16 December 1993
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48/39	International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space (A/48/645)	84	10 December 1993
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48/167	International code of conduct on the transfer of technology (A/48/717/Add.2) .	91 (a)	21 December 1993
48/168	Economic measures as a means of political and economic coercion against developing countries (A/48/717/Add.2)	91 (a)	21 December 1993
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48/176	Human settlements (A/48/717/Add.8)	91 (g)	21 December 1993
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48/196	International assistance to Sierra Leone (A/48/726)	100	21 December 1993
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48/210	Economic assistance to States affected by the implementation of the Security Council resolutions imposing sanctions against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) (A/48/734)	169	21 December 1993
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48/222	Pattern of conferences (A/48/753)		
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48/33	Model Law on Procurement of Goods and Construction of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (A/48/613)	144	9 December 1993
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48/315	Appointment of a member of the Board of Auditors (A/48/694, para. 4; A/48/PV.69)	17 (c)	3 December 1993	37
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48/410	Award of human rights prizes in 1993			
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48/416	Forty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (A/48/L.49; A/48/PV.75)	20	10 December 1993	42
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48/420	Question of the composition of the relevant organs of the United Nations (A/48/651, para. 3; A/48/PV.75)	90	10 December 1993	47
48/421	Military activities and arrangements by colonial Powers in Territories under their administration (A/48/653, para. 12; A/48/PV.75)	117 and 18	10 December 1993	48
48/422	Question of Gibraltar (A/48/656, para. 29; A/48/PV.75)	18	10 December 1993	49
48/423	Question of Pitcairn (A/48/656, para. 29; A/48/PV.75)	18	10 December 1993	50
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48/441	Development and international economic cooperation (A/48/717; A/48/PV.86)	91	21 December 1993	52
48/442	Third United Nations Conference to Review All Aspects of the Set of Multilaterally Agreed Equitable Principles and Rules for the Control of Restrictive Business Practices (A/48/717/Add.2 (Part III), para. 24; A/48/PV.86)	91 (a)	21 December 1993	52
48/443	Documents relating to the effective mobilization and integration of women in development (A/48/PV.86)	91 (c)	21 December 1993	52

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48/445	Large-scale pelagic drift-net fishing and its impact on the living marine resources of the world's oceans and seas (A/48/717/Add.6 (Part VII), para. 11; A/48/PV.86)	91 (e)	21 December 1993	53
48/446	Implementation of General Assembly resolution 45/217 on the World Summit for Children (A/48/720, para. 10; A/48/PV.86)	94	21 December 1993	54
48/447	Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme (A/48/720, para. 10; A/48/PV.86)	94	21 December 1993	54
48/448	Report of the Preparatory Committee for the International Conference on Population and Development on its second session (A/48/722, para. 11; A/48/PV.86)	96	21 December 1993	54
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48/453	Strengthening development information systems for regional cooperation and integration in Africa (A/48/715/Add.1 (Part II), para. 22; A/48/PV.86)	12	21 December 1993	56

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48/426	Draft model national legislation for the guidance of Governments in the enactment of further legislation against racial discrimination, revised by the Secretariat in accordance with the comments made by the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination at its fortieth and forty-first sessions (A/48/625/Add.1 (Part II), para. 9; A/48/PV.85)	107	20 December 1993	68
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48/428	Documents considered by the General Assembly in connection with the question of social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family (A/48/627, para. 29; A/48/PV.85)	109	20 December 1993	68
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48/433	International Year of the Elderly (A/48/624, para. 11; A/48/PV.85).....	12	20 December 1993	91
48/434	Report of the Economic and Social Council (A/48/624, para. 11; A/48/PV.85).....	12	20 December 1993	91
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48/458	Biennial programme of work for the Fifth Committee for 1994-1995 (A/48/801/Add.1, para. 5; A/48/PV.87)	121	23 December 1993	91
48/459	Action taken on certain documents (A/48/801/Add.1, para. 5; A/48/PV.87)	121	23 December 1993	93
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48/461	Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 (A/48/802, para. 6; A/48/PV.87)	159	23 December 1993	95
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48/465	Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (A/48/814, para. 5; A/48/PV.87)	131	23 December 1993	97
48/466	Financing of the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission (A/48/815, para. 5; A/48/PV.87)	132 (a)	23 December 1993	98
48/467	Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (A/48/816, para. 5; A/48/PV.87)	133	23 December 1993	99
48/468	Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador (A/48/817, para.5; A/48/PV.87)	134	23 December 1993	99
48/469	Financing of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia (A/48/818, para. 5; A/48/PV.87)	135	23 December 1993	100
48/470	Financing of the United Nations Protection Force (A/48/819, para. 5; A/48/PV.87)	136	23 December 1993	101
48/471	Financing of the United Nations Operation in Somalia II (A/48/820, para. 5; A/48/PV.87)	137	23 December 1993	102
48/472	Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations (A/48/807/Add.1, para. 7; A/48/PV.87)	138 (b)	23 December 1993	103
48/473	Financing of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique (A/48/821, para.5; A/48/PV.87)	149	23 December 1993	104
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48/480	Financing of the United Nations Military Liaison Team in Cambodia (A/48/829, para. 5; A/48/PV.87)	174	23 December 1993	109
48/481	Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 (A/48/811, para. 40; A/48/PV.87)	123	23 December 1993	110
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48/411	Measures to eliminate international terrorism (A/48/609, para. 10; A/48/PV.73)	140	9 December 1993	111
48/412	Progressive development of the principles and norms of international law relating to the new international economic order (A/48/610, para. 9; A/48/PV.73)	141	9 December 1993	111
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48/414	Request for an advisory opinion from the International Court of Justice (A/48/617, para. 6; A/48/PV.73)	148	9 December 1993	112
48/415	Review of the procedure provided for under article 11 of the statute of the Administrative Tribunal of the United Nations (A/48/619, para. 8; A/48/PV.73)	161	9 December 1993	113

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[A. ELECTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS]

After decision 48/312 insert

48/313. Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

At its 69th meeting, on 3 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 1/ appointed the following persons as members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1994:

Mr. Leonid E. Bidny (Russian Federation),
Mr. Simon Khoam Chuinkam (Cameroon),
Mrs. Inga Eriksson Fogh (Sweden),
Mr. Even Fontaine-Ortiz (Cuba),
Ms. Linda S. Shenwick (United States of America).

As a result, the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions is composed as follows: Mr. Ahmad Fathi Al-Masri (Syrian Arab Republic),* Mr. Leonid E. Bidny (Russian Federation),*** Mr. Gérard Biraud (France),** Mr. Simon Khoam Chuinkam (Cameroon),*** Mr. Kwaku Dua Dankwa (Ghana),* Mr. Jorge José Duhalt Villar (Mexico),** Mrs. Inga Eriksson Fogh (Sweden),*** Mr. Even Fontaine-Ortiz (Cuba),*** Mr. Tadanori Inomata (Japan),** Mr. Zoran Lazarević (Yugoslavia),* Mr. E. Besley Maycock (Barbados),* Mr. C. S. M. Mselle (United Republic of Tanzania),* Mr. Wolfgang Münch (Germany),** Mr. Ranjit Rae (India),** Ms. Linda S. Shenwick (United States of America)*** and Mr. Yu Mengjia (China).**

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* Term of office expires on 31 December 1994.

** Term of office expires on 31 December 1995.

*** Term of office expires on 31 December 1996.

1/ A/48/692, para. 8.

48/314. Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions

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Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions

At its 69th plenary meeting, on 3 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 2/ appointed the following persons as members of the Committee on Contributions for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1994:

Mr. Yuri A. Chulkov,
Mr. Alvaro Gurgel de Alencar,
Mr. Li Yong,
Mr. Ugo Sessi,
Mr. Agha Shahi,
Mr. Adrien Teirlinck.

At the same meeting, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 2/ appointed Mr. Neil Hewitt Francis as a member of the Committee on Contributions for a two-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1994.

As a result, the Committee on Contributions is composed as follows: Mr. Kenshiro Akimoto (Japan),* Mr. Sergio Chapparo Ruiz (Chile),** Mr. Yuri Alexandrovich Chulkov (Russian Federation),*** Mr. David Etuket (Uganda),* Mr. John Fox (United States of America),* Mr. Neil Hewitt Francis (Australia),*** Mrs. Norma Goicochea Estenoz (Cuba),** Mr. Ion Goritza (Romania),* Mr. Peter Gregg (Australia),** Mr. Alvaro Gurgel de Alencar (Brazil),*** Mr. Tarak Ben Hamida (Tunisia),** Mr. Imre Karbuczky (Hungary),* Mr. Li Yong (China),*** Mr. Vanu Gopala Menon (Singapore),* Mr. Mohamed Mahmoud Ould El Ghaouth (Mauritania),*** Mr. Dimitri Rallis (Greece),*** Mr. Ugo Sessi (Italy),*** Mr. Aghha Shahi (Pakistan)*** and Mr. Adrien Teirlinck (Belgium).***

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* Term of office expires on 31 December 1994.

** Term of office expires on 31 December 1995.

*** Term of office expires on 31 December 1996.

2/ A/48/693, para. 6.

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Appointment of a member emeritus of the Committee on Contributions

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 3/ the General Assembly appointed Mr. Syed Amjad Ali as member emeritus of the Committee on Contributions in recognition of his distinguished service as the Chairman of the Committee on Contributions for 27 consecutive years.

48/315. Appointment of a member of the Board of Auditors

At its 69th plenary meeting, on 3 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 4/ appointed the Auditor-General of Ghana as a member of the Board of Auditors for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 July 1994.

As a result, the Board of Auditors is composed as follows: Auditor-General of Ghana,*** Comptroller and Auditor-General of India** and Comptroller and Auditor-General of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.*

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* Term of office expires on 30 June 1995.

** Term of office expires on 30 June 1996.

*** Term of office expires on 30 June 1997.

48/316. Confirmation of the appointment of members of the Investments Committee

At its 69th plenary meeting, on 3 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 5/ confirmed the appointment by the Secretary-General of the following persons as members of the Investments Committee for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1994:

Ms. Francine J. Bovich,
Mr. Jean Guyot,
Mr. Michiya Matsukawa.

3/ A/48/806, para. 10.

4/ A/48/694, para. 4.

5/ A/48/695, para. 4.

As a result, the Investments Committee is composed as follows: Mr. Ahmad Abdullatif (Saudi Arabia),* Ms. Francine J. Bovich (United States of America),*** Mr. Aloysio de Andrade Faria (Brazil),* Mr. Jean Guyot (France),*** Mr. Michiya Matsukawa (Japan),*** Mr. Yves Oltramare (Switzerland),** Mr. Emmanuel Noi Omaboe (Ghana),** Mr. Stanislaw Raczkowski (Poland)* and Mr. Jürgen Reimnitz (Germany).**

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* Term of office expires on 31 December 1994.

** Term of office expires on 31 December 1995.

*** Term of office expires on 31 December 1996.

48/317. Appointment of members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal

At its 69th plenary meeting, on 3 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 6/ appointed the following persons as members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1994:

Mr. Mayer Gabay,
Mr. Luis M. de Posadas-Montero.

As a result, the United Nations Administrative Tribunal is composed as follows: Mr. Jerome Ackerman (United States of America),** Mr. Mayer Gabay (Israel),*** Mr. Balanda Mikuin Leliel (Zaire),* Mr. Luis de Posadas-Montero (Uruguay),*** Mr. Samarendranath Sen (India),* Mr. Francis Spain (Ireland)** and Mr. Hubert Thierry (France).*

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* Term of office expires on 31 December 1994.

** Term of office expires on 31 December 1995.

*** Term of office expires on 31 December 1996.

6/ A/48/694, para. 8.

48/318. Appointment of members of the Committee on Information

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee), 7/ appointed Gabon and Israel members of the Committee on Information.

As a result, the Committee on Information is composed of the following eighty-three Member States: Algeria, Argentina, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Cyprus, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Guyana, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Lebanon, Malta, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Nepal, Netherlands, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, Senegal, Singapore, Slovakia, Somalia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Uruguay, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Yemen, Yugoslavia, Zaire and Zimbabwe.

48/319. Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 8/ appointed the following persons as members of the International Civil Service Commission for a four-year term of office beginning on 1 January 1994:

Mr. Mario Bettati,
Ms. Lucretia Myers,
Mr. Antônio Fonseca Pimentel,
Mr. Alexis Stephanou,
Mr. Ku Tashiro.

As a result, the International Civil Service Commission is composed as follows: Mr. Mohsen Bel Hadj Amor (Tunisia),* Chairman, Mr. Carlos S. Vegega (Argentina),* Vice-Chairman, Mr. Mario Bettati (France),*** Mrs. Turkia Daddah (Mauritania),* Mr. Humayun Kabir (Bangladesh),** Mr. Valery Fiodorovich Keniaykin (Russian Federation),** Ms. Lucretia Myers (United States of America),*** Mr. Antônio Fonseca Pimentel (Brazil),*** Mr. André Xavier Pirson (Belgium),* Mr. Jaroslav Riha (Czech Republic),*

7/ A/48/649, para. 14.

8/ A/48/697, para. 5.

Mr. Ernest Rusita (Uganda),** Mr. Missoum Sbih (Algeria),**
Mr. Alexis Stephanou (Greece),*** Mr. Ku Tashiro (Japan)*** and Mr. Mario Yango (Philippines).**

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* Term of office expires on 31 December 1994.

** Term of office expires on 31 December 1995.

*** Term of office expires on 31 December 1996.

5. Page 11 [B. OTHER DECISIONS]

[1. Decisions adopted without reference to a Main Committee]

After the text of decision 48/402 B add the following:

C

At its 79th plenary meeting, on 14 December 1993, the General Assembly, on a request by Australia, 9/ decided to reopen consideration of item 47, entitled "Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995".

Before the text of decision 48/409 insert A

After the text of decision 48/409 A add the following:

B

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly took note of the addendum to the note by the Secretary-General. 10/

48/410. Award of human rights prizes in 1993

A

At its 71st plenary meeting, on 7 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the proposal of the President, decided to increase the number of award winners to nine.

B

At its 74th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 2217 (XVI) of 19 December 1966 and Assembly decisions 47/429 of 18 December 1992 and 48/410 A of 7 December 1993, awarded nine prizes to the following individuals and organizations that had made outstanding contributions to the promotion and protection of human rights:

1. Hassib Ben Ammar (Tunisia)

2. Dr. Erica Daes (Greece)

3. Mr. James Grant (United States of America)

4. International Commission of Jurists

9/ A/48/749.

10/ A/48/411/Add.2.

5. Medical Personnel of the Central Hospital of Sarajevo (Bosnia and Herzegovina)

6. Dr. Sonia Picado Sotela (Costa Rica)

7. Mr. Ganesh Man Singh (Nepal)

8. Sudanese Women's Union (Sudan)

9. Father Julio Tumiri Javier (Bolivia)

48/416. Forty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the proposal of Belgium, 11/ reaffirmed, on the occasion of the forty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the significance of the Universal Declaration as a source of inspiration for national and international efforts for the promotion and protection of all human rights and fundamental freedoms, and decided to include in the provisional agenda of its fifty-third session an item entitled "Fiftieth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights".

48/425. Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa

At its 76th plenary meeting, on 13 December 1993, the General Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee). 12/

48/435. Declaration of the Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity on the aerial and naval military attack against the Socialist People's Libyan Arab Jamahiriya by the present United States Administration in April 1986

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly decided to defer consideration of the item entitled "Declaration of the Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity on the aerial and naval military attack against the Socialist People's Libyan Arab

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11/ A/48/L.49.

12/ A/48/657.

Jamahiriya by the present United States Administration in April 1986" and to include it in the provisional agenda of its forty-ninth session.

48/436. Armed Israeli aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly decided to defer consideration of the item entitled "Armed Israeli aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security" to a later date during the session and to include it in the provisional agenda of its forty-ninth session.

48/437. Launching of global negotiations on international economic cooperation for development

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly decided to defer consideration of the item entitled "Launching of global negotiations on international economic cooperation for development" and to include it in the provisional agenda of its forty-ninth session.

48/438. Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly decided to defer consideration of the item entitled "Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations" and to include it in the provisional agenda of its forty-ninth session.

48/439. Restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related fields

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related fields. 13/

13/ A/48/639.

48/483. Report of the Economic and Social Council

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly took note of chapters I, III, V (section C), VIII and IX of the report of the Economic and Social Council. 14/

48/484. Agenda items remaining for consideration by the General Assembly at its forty-eighth session

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, apart from organizational matters and items that may have to be considered by operation of the rules of procedure of the Assembly, decided that the following agenda items remained for consideration during the forty-eighth session:

Item 10: Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization;

Item 16 (b): Election of twelve members of the World Food Council;

Item 17 (h): Appointment of a member of the Joint Inspection Unit;

Item 17 (i): Confirmation of the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development;

Item 24: United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s;

Item 31: The situation of democracy and human rights in Haiti;

Item 33: Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council;

Item 35: Question of Palestine;

Item 36: Law of the sea;

Item 38: Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa;

Item 42: The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina;

Item 47: Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995;

14/ A/48/3, chaps. I, III, V (sect. C), VIII and IX. To be issued in final form as Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-eighth Session, Supplement No. 3 (A/48/3/Rev.1).

Item 49: Armed Israeli aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security;

Item 52: The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security;

Item 53: Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly;

Item 54: Question of Cyprus;

Item 55: Consequences of the Iraqi occupation of and aggression against Kuwait;

Item 114 (b): Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms;

Item 114 (c): Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives;

Item 120: Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors;

Item 121: Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations;

Item 122: Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993;

Item 123: Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995;

Item 124: Improving the financial situation of the United Nations;

Item 127: Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations;

Item 130: Financing of the United Nations peace-keeping forces in the Middle East;

Item 131: Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission;

Item 132: Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 687 (1991);

Item 133: Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara;

Item 134: Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador;

Item 135: Financing of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia;

Item 136: Financing of the United Nations Protection Force;

Item 137: Financing of the United Nations Operation in Somalia II;

Item 138: Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations;

Item 149: Financing of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique;

Item 159: Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991;

Item 160: Financing of the United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus;

Item 162: Financing of the United Nations Observation Mission in Georgia;

Item 163: Programme budget for the biennium 1990-1991;

Item 164: Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda;

Item 165: Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti;

Item 166: Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia;

Item 168: Personnel questions;

Item 170: The situation in Burundi;

Item 173: Financing of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda;

Item 174: Financing of the United Nations Military Liaison Team in Cambodia.

2. Decisions adopted on the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

48/417. Palestine participation in the Advisory Commission of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the proposal of the Chairman of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee), agreed to the understanding that the Advisory Commission of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine in the Near East would establish a working relationship with the Palestine Liberation Organization.

48/418. Questions relating to information

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee), 15/ requested the Committee on Information to consider on a priority basis, at its sixteenth session, recent initiatives regarding the creation of new United Nations information centres and to make a recommendation to the General Assembly on this matter, bearing in mind the need for improved criteria for the establishment of information centres.

48/419. Science and peace

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee), 16/ decided to defer consideration of the item entitled "Science and peace" to its forty-ninth session, and looked forward to the report of the Secretary-General as called for in General Assembly resolution 45/70 of 11 December 1990.

48/420. Question of the composition of the relevant organs of the United Nations

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee), 17/ decided to defer consideration of the item entitled "Question of the composition of the relevant organs of the United Nations" until its forty-ninth session and to include it in the provisional agenda of that session.

15/ A/48/649, para. 14.

16/ A/48/650, para. 6.

17/ A/48/651, para. 3.

48/421. Military activities and arrangements by colonial Powers in Territories under their administration

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee), 18/ adopted the following text:

"1. The General Assembly, having considered the chapter of the report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples relating to an item on the agenda of the Special Committee entitled 'Military activities and arrangements by colonial Powers in Territories under their administration,' 19/ and recalling its resolution 1514 (XV) of 14 December 1960 and all other relevant resolutions and decisions of the United Nations relating to military activities in colonial and Non-Self-Governing Territories reaffirms its strong conviction that military bases and installations in the Territories concerned could constitute an obstacle to the exercise by the people of those Territories of their right to self-determination and reiterates its strong views that existing bases and installations, which are impeding the implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples, should be withdrawn.

"2. Aware of the presence of such bases and installation in some of those Territories, the General Assembly urges the administering Powers concerned to continue to take all necessary measures not to involve those Territories in any offensive acts or interference against other States.

"3. The General Assembly reiterates its concern that military activities and arrangements by colonial Powers in Territories under their administration might run counter to the rights and interests of the colonial peoples concerned, especially their right to self-determination and independence. The Assembly once again calls upon the administering Powers concerned to terminate such activities and to eliminate such military bases in compliance with the relevant resolutions of the Assembly.

"4. The General Assembly reiterates that the colonial and Non-Self-Governing Territories and areas adjacent thereto should not be used for nuclear testing, dumping of nuclear wastes or deployment of nuclear and other weapons of mass destruction.

"5. The General Assembly deplores the continued alienation of land in colonial and Non-Self-Governing Territories, particularly in the small island Territories of the Pacific and Caribbean regions, for military installations. The large-scale utilization of the local resources for this purpose could adversely affect the economic development of the Territories concerned.

18/ A/48/653, para. 12.

19/ A/48/23 (Part III), chap. VI.

"6. The General Assembly requests the Secretary-General to continue to inform world public opinion of those military activities and arrangements in colonial and Non-Self-Governing Territories which constitute an obstacle to the implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

"7. The General Assembly requests the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples to continue to examine this question and to report thereon to the Assembly at its forty-ninth session."

48/422. Question of Gibraltar

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee), 20/ adopted the following text as representing the consensus of the members of the Assembly:

"The General Assembly, recalling its decision 47/411 of 25 November 1992 and recalling at the same time that the statement agreed to by the Governments of Spain and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland at Brussels on 27 November 1984 21/ stipulates, *inter alia*, the following:

> ’The establishment of a negotiating process aimed at overcoming all the differences between them over Gibraltar and at promoting cooperation on a mutually beneficial basis on economic, cultural, touristic, aviation, military and environmental matters. Both sides accept that the issues of sovereignty will be discussed in that process. The British Government will fully maintain its commitment to honour the wishes of the people of Gibraltar as set out in the preamble of the 1969 Constitution’,

takes note of the fact that, as part of this process, the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of Spain and of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland have held annual meetings alternately in each capital, the most recent of which took place at Madrid on 1 March 1993, and urges both Governments to continue their negotiations with the object of reaching a definitive solution to the problem of Gibraltar in the light of relevant resolutions of the General assembly and in the spirit of the Charter of the United Nations."

20/ A/48/656, para. 29.

21/ A/39/732, annex.

48/423. Question of Pitcairn

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee), 20/ adopted the following text as representing the consensus of the members of the Assembly:

"The General Assembly, having examined the situation in Pitcairn, reaffirms the inalienable right of the people of Pitcairn to self-determination in conformity with the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples, contained in Assembly resolution 1514 (XV) of 14 December 1960, which fully applies to the Territory. The Assembly further reaffirms the responsibility of the administering Power to promote the economic and social development of the Territory. The Assembly urges the administering Power to continue to respect the very individual lifestyle that the people of the Territory have chosen and to preserve, promote and protect it. The Assembly requests the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples to continue to examine the question of Pitcairn at its next session and to report thereon to the Assembly at its forty-ninth session."

48/424. Question of St. Helena

At its 75th plenary meeting, on 10 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee), 22/ adopted the following text:

"1. The General Assembly, having examined the question of St. Helena, reaffirms the inalienable right of the people of St. Helena to self-determination and independence in conformity with the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples, contained in Assembly resolution 1514 (XV) of 14 December 1960. The Assembly urges the administering Power, in consultation with the Legislative Council and other representatives of the people of St. Helena, to continue to take all necessary steps to ensure the speedy implementation of the Declaration in respect of the Territory and, in that connection, reaffirms the importance of promoting an awareness among the people of St. Helena of the possibilities open to them in the exercise of their right to self-determination.

"2. The General Assembly reaffirms the responsibility of the administering Power to promote the economic and social development of the Territory and calls upon the administering Power to continue, in cooperation with the territorial Government, to strengthen the economy, to encourage local initiative and enterprise and to increase its assistance to diversification programmes with the aim of improving the general welfare of the community, including the employment situation in the Territory.

22/ A/48/656, para. 30.

"3. The General Assembly urges the administering Power, in cooperation with the territorial Government, to continue to take effective measures to safeguard and guarantee the inalienable right of the people of St. Helena to own and dispose of the natural resources of the Territory, including marine resources, and to establish and maintain control over the future development of those resources.

"4. The General Assembly reaffirms that continued development assistance from the administering Power, together with any assistance that the international community might be able to provide, constitutes an important means of developing the economic potential of the Territory and of enhancing the capacity of its people to realize fully the goals set forth in the relevant provisions of the Charter of the United Nations. The Assembly, in that connection, welcomes the assistance rendered by the United Nations Development Programme and invites other organizations of the United Nations system to assist in the development of the Territory.

"5. The continued presence of military facilities in the Territory prompts the General Assembly, on the basis of previous United Nations resolutions and decisions concerning military bases and installations in colonial and Non-Self-Governing Territories, to urge the administering Power to take measures to avoid the involvement of the Territory in offensive acts or interference against neighbouring States.

"6. The General Assembly considers that the possibility of dispatching a United Nations visiting mission to St. Helena at an appropriate time should be kept under review, and requests the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples to continue to examine the question of St. Helena at its next session and to report thereon to the Assembly at its forty-ninth session."

3. Decisions adopted on the reports of the Second Committee

48/440. Report of the Secretary-General on the economic stabilization programmes in developing countries

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Rapporteur of the Second Committee, took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the economic stabilization programmes in developing countries. 23/

48/441. Development and international economic cooperation

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly took note of part one of the report of the Second Committee. 24/

48/442. Third United Nations Conference to Review All Aspects of the Set of Multilaterally Agreed Equitable Principles and Rules for the Control of Restrictive Business Practices

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 25/ took note of the recommendation of the Second United Nations Conference to Review All Aspects of the Set of Multilaterally Agreed Equitable Principles and Rules for the Control of Restrictive Business Practices, held at Geneva from 26 November to 7 December 1990, that a third review conference be convened in 1995, and, taking into account the work being done in that field by relevant intergovernmental bodies, decided to convene, under the auspices of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, a Third United Nations Conference to Review All Aspects of the Set of Multilaterally Agreed Equitable Principles and Rules for the Control of Restrictive Business Practices, at Geneva in 1995.

48/443. Documents relating to the effective mobilization and integration of women in development

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Rapporteur of the Second Committee, decided to take note of the following documents:

23/ A/48/380.

24/ A/48/717.

25/ A/48/717/Add.2, para. 24.

(a) Preliminary version of the 1994 World Survey on the Role of Women in Development; 26/

(b) Report of the Secretary-General on the effective mobilization and integration of women in development. 27/

48/444. Effective mobilization and integration of women in development

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly took note of part five of the report of the Second Committee. 28/

48/445. Large-scale pelagic drift-net fishing and its impact on the living marine resources of the world's oceans and seas

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 29/ having taken note with appreciation of the report of the Secretary-General, 30/ decided:

(a) To reaffirm the importance it attaches to compliance with its resolution 46/215 of 20 December 1991;

(b) To express its appreciation of the measures taken by members of the international community, international organizations and regional economic integration organizations to implement and support the objectives of General Assembly resolution 46/215, while expressing concern at reports of conduct and activities inconsistent with the terms of resolution 46/215;

(c) To call upon all members of the international community, intergovernmental organizations, regional economic integration organizations and appropriate non-governmental organizations to provide the Secretary-General with information relevant to the implementation of General Assembly resolution 46/215, and requests the Secretary-General to report to it at its forty-ninth session and to submit subsequently annual updates on further developments relevant to the implementation of resolution 46/215.

26/ A/48/70-E/1993/16.

27/ A/48/393.

28/ A/48/717/Add.4.

29/ A/48/717/Add.6, para. 11.

30/ A/48/451, and Corr.1.

48/446. Implementation of General Assembly resolution 45/217 on the World Summit for Children

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 31/ having recalled its resolution 45/217 of 21 December 1990 on the World Summit for Children and having taken note of the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of that resolution, 32/ requested the Secretary-General to submit to it an updated report for consideration at its forty-ninth session.

48/447. Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 31/ took note of the report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme on its organizational meeting for 1993, its special session and its fortieth session. 33/

48/448. Report of the Preparatory Committee for the International Conference on Population and Development on its second session

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 34/ took note of the note by the Secretary-General on the report of the Preparatory Committee for the International Conference on Population and Development on its second session. 35/

48/449. Reports requested in General Assembly resolutions 42/186 and 42/187

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee 36/ and of the Economic and Social Council in its decision 1993/314 of 29 July 1993, decided to discontinue the

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31/ A/48/720, para. 10.

32/ A/48/321.

33/ Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1993, Supplement No. 15 (E/1993/35).

34/ A/48/722, para. 11.

35/ A/48/492.

36/ A/48/725, para. 30.

reporting requested in Assembly resolutions 42/186 and 42/187 of 11 December 1987 on the Environmental Perspective to the Year 2000 and Beyond, and on the World Commission on Environment and Development, respectively.

48/450. Assistance for the reconstruction and development of Lebanon

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 37/ took note of the report of the Secretary-General on assistance for the reconstruction and development of Lebanon 38/ and invited him to report to the Assembly at its forty-ninth session on the progress of the implementation of its resolution 47/155 of 18 December 1992.

48/451. Report of the Secretary-General on United Nations interim offices

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 39/ took note of the report of the Secretary-General on United Nations interim offices. 40/

48/452. Documents relating to the report of the Economic and Social Council

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 41/ took note of the following documents:

(a) Relevant chapters of the report of the Economic and Social Council for 1993; 42/

(b) Note by the Secretary-General on the prevention and control of acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS); 43/

37/ A/48/726, para. 37.

38/ A/48/453.

39/ A/48/733, para. 12.

40/ A/48/146/Add.1.

41/ A/48/715, para. 17.

42/ To be issued as Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-eighth Session, Supplement No. 3 (A/48/3/Rev.1).

43/ A/48/159-E/1993/59.

(c) Note by the Secretary-General on the United Nations Population Award; 44/

(d) Report of the Secretary-General on special assistance to Namibia. 45/

48/453. Strengthening development information systems for regional cooperation and integration in Africa

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 46/ endorsed Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/67 of 30 July 1993, entitled "Strengthening development information systems for regional cooperation and integration in Africa", and agreed to ensure the provision of adequate staffing and resources to permit the delivery of activities to the subprogramme of the Economic Commission for Africa on information systems development, beginning with the programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995.

48/454. African Institute for Economic Development and Planning

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 46/ endorsed Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/68 of 30 July 1993, entitled "African Institute for Economic Development and Planning", and agreed, in considering the proposed programme budget for the Economic Commission for Africa for the biennium 1994-1995, to take adequate steps to ensure sufficient staffing for the Commission at the Professional level to implement its mandates.

48/455. Second Transport and Communications Decade in Africa

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 46/ endorsed Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/66 of 30 July 1993, entitled "Second Transport and Communications Decade in Africa", and agreed to provide the Economic Commission for Africa, in its capacity as lead agency for the Second Decade, with adequate resources, allocated within the regular budget, to enable it to carry out effectively and efficiently the activities listed in paragraphs 5 (a) to (d) of Council resolution 1993/66.

44/ A/48/276.

45/ A/48/498.

46/ A/48/715/Add.1, para. 22.

48/456. Second Industrial Development Decade for Africa

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 46/ endorsed Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/65 of 30 July 1993, entitled "Second Industrial Development Decade for Africa", and agreed to provide adequate resources to the Economic Commission for Africa for the Second Decade, especially to strengthen industrial cooperation in the implementation of the programme for the Decade.

48/457. Biennial programme of work for the Second Committee for 1994-1995

At its 86th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee 46/ and in accordance with paragraph 5 of its resolution 39/217 of 18 December 1984, approved the biennial programme of work for the Second Committee for 1994-1995, annexed thereto.

ANNEX

Biennial programme of work for the Second Committee for 1994-1995 47/

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Item 1. Report of the Economic and Social Council 48/

Documentation Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Population Fund on the United Nations Population Award and Trust Fund (Economic and Social Council decision 1982/112 of 26 April 1982)

Report of the Secretary-General on the economic and social repercussions of the Israeli settlements on the Palestinian people in the Palestinian territory, including Jerusalem, occupied since 1967, and on the Arab population of the occupied Syrian Golan (Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/52 of 29 July 1993

47/ The Second Committee will, in accordance with established practice and in pursuance of General Assembly decision 38/429, hold a general debate each year at the beginning of its work.

48/ The list of questions and documentation under this item corresponds to requests for reports from the General Assembly. The list will be finalized after the Economic and Social Council completes its work in 1994.

and General Assembly resolution 48/212 of 21 December 1993) 49/

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the progress report of the Working Group to review the arrangements for consultation with non-governmental organizations (Economic and social Council resolution 1993/80) 49/ and the relevant section of the report of the Economic and Social Council on the subject (Council resolution 1993/80 and decision 1993/214)

Report of the Secretary-General on the progress achieved in compliance with the Charter of Economic Rights and Duties of States (General Assembly resolution 44/170 of 19 December 1989) 49/

Report of the Secretary-General on resource mobilization for the implementation of the regional action programme for phase II (1992-1996) of the Transport and Communications Decade for Asia and the Pacific (Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/63)

Item 2. Macroeconomic policy questions

(a) Implementation of the commitments and policies agreed upon in the Declaration on International Economic Cooperation, in particular the Revitalization of Economic Growth and Development of the Developing Countries

(b) Implementation of the International Development Strategy for the Fourth United Nations Development Decade

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the commitments and policies agreed upon in the Declaration and on the implementation of the International Development Strategy for the Fourth United Nations Development Decade (General Assembly resolutions 45/199 of 21 December 1990, 47/152 of 18 December 1992 and 48/85 of 21 December 1993)

(c) External debt crisis and development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/182 of 21 December 1993

49/ Report submitted to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council.

(d) Net transfer of resources between developing and developed countries

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 47/178 of 22 December 1992 on the net transfer of resources between developing countries and developed countries

Item 3. Sustainable development and international economic cooperation

Documentation Final version of the World Survey on the role of Women in Development (General Assembly resolutions 44/77 of 8 December 1989, 44/171 of 19 December 1989 and 48/108 of 20 December 1993)

Report of the Secretary-General containing an analysis and recommendations on ways and means to promote dialogue on strengthening international economic cooperation for development through partnership (General Assembly resolution 48/165 of 21 December 1993)

(a) Trade and development

Documentation Report of the Trade and Development Board (General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) of 30 December 1964), including recommendations on the mid-term review of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the 1990s (General Assembly resolution 48/71 of 21 December 1993) 49/

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 47/186 of 22 December 1992 on specific measures in favour of island developing countries

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on a programme for improving the transit system of the newly independent and developing land-locked States in Central Asia and their transit developing country neighbours (General Assembly resolution 48/170 of 21 December 1993)

Report of the Secretary-General on institutional developments related to the strengthening of international organizations in the area of multilateral trade (General Assembly resolution 48/54 of 10 December 1993)

(b) Food and agricultural development

Documentation Report of the World Food Council 49/

Report of the Secretary-General on food production, including agro-industrial products, international markets for agricultural and tropical products, and the state of global food security (General Assembly resolution 47/149 of 18 December 1992)

Report of the Secretary-General and the Director-General of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/20 of 19 November 1993, on emergency action to combat the locust infestation in Africa

(c) Report of the International Conference on Population and Development

Documentation Report of the Conference (Economic and Social Council resolution 1991/93 of 26 July 1991 and General Assembly resolution 48/186 of 21 December 1993)

(d) Commodities

Documentation Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on potential developmental linkages between the commodity sector and other sectors of the economy (General Assembly resolution 47/185 of 22 December 1992)

(e) Cultural development

Documentation Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the summary evaluation report of the Director-General of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization on the global mid-term review of the World Decade for Cultural Development (General Assembly resolution 46/157 of 19 December 1991 and Economic and Social Council decision 1993/209) 49/

(f) Integration of the economies in transition into the world economy

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General (General Assembly resolution 48/181 of 21 December 1993)

(g) Industrial development cooperation

Documentation Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Director-General of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization on the

implementation of General Assembly resolution 47/153 of 18 December 1992 on industrial development cooperation

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 47/177 of 22 December 1992 on the Second Industrial Development Decade for Africa, 1991-2000

(h) United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II)

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the progress in the work of the Preparatory Committee for the second United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) (General Assembly resolutions 47/180 of 22 December 1992 and 48/176 of 21 December 1993)

(i) International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on international cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries (General Assembly resolution 48/184 of 21 December 1993)

Report of the Secretary-General on preparations for and observance of the International Year for the Eradication of Poverty (General Assembly resolution 48/183 (of 21 December 1993)

(j) United Nations initiative on opportunity and participation

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General (General Assembly resolution 48/60 of 14 December 1993)

Item 4. Environment and sustainable development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 46/215 on large-scale pelagic drift-net fishing and its impact on the living marine resources of the world’s oceans and seas (General Assembly decision (48/445 of 21 December 1993)

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/179 of 21 December 1993 on the strengthening of the United Nations Environment Programme

(a) Implementation of decisions and recommendations of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General containing recommendations on a special session of the General Assembly for the purpose of an overall review and appraisal of Agenda 21 of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development (General Assembly resolution 47/190 of 22 December 1992)

Relevant section of the report of the Economic and Social Council on the work of the Commission on Sustainable Development on its second session (General Assembly resolution 47/191 of 22 December 1992)

(b) Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 47/195 of 22 December 1992

(c) Sustainable use and conservation of the marine living resources of the high seas: United Nations Conference on Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks

Documentation Report of the Conference (General Assembly resolution 48/194 of 21 December 1993)

(d) Elaboration of an international convention to combat desertification in those countries experiencing serious drought and/or desertification, particularly in Africa

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/191 of 21 December 1993

(e) Global Conference on the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States

Documentation Report of the Conference (General Assembly resolutions 47/189 of 22 December 1992 and 48/193 of 21 December 1993)

Item 5. Operational activities for development

Documentation Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 45/217 on the World Summit for Children (General Assembly decision 48/446 of 21 December 1993)

Item 6. Training and research

United Nations Institute for Training and Research

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General (General Assembly resolution 48/207 of 21 December 1993)

United Nations University

Documentation Report of the Council of the United Nations University

Item 7. Agenda for development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General (General Assembly resolution 48/166 of 21 December 1993)

1995 50/

Item 1. Report of the Economic and Social Council 51/

(a) Target for World Food Programme pledges for the period 1997-1998

Documentation Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council

(b) International Drinking Water Supply and Sanitation Decade

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the progress made during the first half of the 1990s (General Assembly resolution 45/181 of 21 December 1990) 49/

50/ The programme of work and documentation list for 1995 will be updated in 1994, taking into account the relevant decisions of the General Assembly at its forty-ninth session, and taking into account the periodicity of consideration of items and sub-items as spelled out in annex II, section E, of General Assembly resolution 48/162 of 20 December 1993.

51/ The list of questions and documentation under this item is only indicative of requests for reports from the General Assembly. The list will be finalized after the Council completes its work in 1995.

(c) Prevention and control of acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)

Documentation Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Director-General of the World Health Organization on the prevention and control of acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS) (Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/51) 49/

Item 2. Macroeconomic policy questions

(a) Financing of development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the situation of the potential sources of financing of development (General Assembly resolution 48/187 of 21 December 1993)

(b) Long-term trends in social and economic development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the overall socio-economic perspective of the world economy to the year 2000 (General Assembly resolution 43/194 of 20 December 1988)

Item 3. Sustainable development and international economic cooperation

(a) Trade and development

Documentation Report of the Trade and Development Board (General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) of 30 December 1964) 49/

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on negotiations on an international code of conduct on the transfer of technology (General Assembly resolution 48/167 of 21 December 1993)

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/168 of 21 December 1993 on economic measures as a means of political and economic coercion against developing countries

Report of the Secretary-General on specific actions related to the particular needs and problems of land-locked developing countries (General Assembly resolution 48/169 of 21 December 1993)

(b) Human settlements

Documentation Report of the Commission on Human Settlements, including the report of the Commission on the implementation of the Global Strategy for Shelter to the Year 2000 (General Assembly resolutions 32/162 of 19 December 1977 and 43/180 and 43/181 of 20 December 1988) 49/

Report of the Secretary-General on the progress in the work of the Preparatory Committee for the second United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) (General Assembly resolution 47/180 of 22 December 1992)

(c) Science and technology for development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on progress in the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/179 of 21 December 1993

(d) Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the 1990s

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the progress made in the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/171 of 21 December 1993

(e) Women in development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the effective mobilization and integration of women in development (General Assembly resolution 42/178 of 11 December 1987) 49/

(f) Human resources development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/205 of 21 December 1993

(g) Business and development

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on policies and activities related to entrepreneurship, privatization, demonopolization and administrative deregulation (General Assembly resolution 48/180 of 21 December 1993)

(h) International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 47/196 of 22 December 1992

Item 4. Environment and sustainable development

Documentation Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme, including the Programme's activities in environmental monitoring (General Assembly resolutions 2997 (XXVII) of 15 December 1972 and 48/174 of 21 December 1993) 49/

Report of the Secretary-General on products harmful to health and the environment (General Assembly resolution 34/173 of 17 December 1979) 49/

Report of the Secretary-General updating the developments relevant to the implementation of General Assembly resolution 46/215 (General Assembly decision 48/445 of 21 December 1993)

(a) Implementation of decisions and recommendations of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development

Documentation Relevant section of the report of the Economic and Social Council on the work of the Commission for Sustainable Development on its third session (General Assembly resolution 47/191 of 22 December 1992)

(b) Desertification and drought

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the Plan of Action to Combat Desertification and of the medium-term and long-term recovery and rehabilitation programme in the Sudano-Sahelian region (General Assembly resolutions 3054 (XXVIII) of 17 October 1973, 32/172 of 19 December 1977, 40/209 of 17 December 1985 and 48/175 of 21 December 1993) 49/

Item 5. Operational activities for development

(a) Triennial policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations system

Documentation Report of the Secretary-General on the triennial policy review of operational activities undertaken by the United Nations development system (General Assembly resolution 47/199 of 22 December 1992) 49/

Question for consideration for which no advance documentation has been requested

United Nations field offices (General Assembly resolution 48/209 of 21 December 1993)

(b) Economic and technical cooperation among developing countries

Documentation Report of the High-level Committee on the Review of Technical Cooperation among Developing Countries (General Assembly resolution 33/134 of 19 December 1978) 49/

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of technical cooperation among developing countries in the United Nations development system and on the follow-up of General Assembly resolution 48/172 of 21 December 1993

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/173 of 21 December 1993 on cooperation between the United Nations and the Southern African Development Community

Report of the Secretary-General on the state of South-South cooperation (General Assembly resolution 48/164 of 21 December 1993)

4. Decisions adopted on the reports of the Third Committee

48/426. Draft model national legislation for the guidance of Governments in the enactment of further legislation against racial discrimination, revised by the Secretariat in accordance with the comments made by the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination at its fortieth and forty-first sessions

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 52/ took note of the draft model national legislation for the guidance of Governments in the enactment of further legislation against racial discrimination, revised by the Secretariat in accordance with the comments made by the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination at its fortieth and forty-first sessions. 53/

48/427. Effective realization of the right of self-determination through autonomy

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Third Committee, 54/ having noted with interest the debate on the sub-item entitled "Effective realization of the right of self-determination through autonomy" at its forty-eighth session, decided to defer consideration of the sub-item to one of its future sessions.

48/428. Documents considered by the General Assembly in connection with the question of social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 55/ took note of the following documents:

52/ A/48/625/Add.1, para. 9.

53/ A/48/558.

54/ A/48/626/Add.1, para. 11.

55/ A/48/627, para. 29.

(a) Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the Guiding Principles for Developmental Social Welfare Policies and Programmes in the Near Future; 56/

(b) Report of the Secretary-General on the International Year of the Family; 57/

(c) Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons; 58/

(d) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the regional commissions on the World Summit for Social Development. 59/

48/429. Human rights questions

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly took note of part one of the report of the Third Committee. 60/

48/430. Reports considered under the item entitled "Human rights questions"

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Third Committee, 61/ took note of the following documents:

(a) Report of the Committee against Torture; 62/

(b) Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report on the situation of human rights in the territory of the former Yugoslavia, prepared by the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights; 63/

56/ A/48/56-E/1993/6.

57/ A/48/293.

58/ A/48/462.

59/ A/48/476.

60/ A/48/632.

61/ A/48/632/Add.4, para. 15.

62/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-eighth Session, Supplement No. 44 (A/48/44).

63/ A/48/92-S/25341.

(c) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Observer Mission to Verify the Referendum in Eritrea; 64/

(d) Report of the Secretary-General on respect for the principles of national sovereignty and non-interference in the internal affairs of States in their electoral processes; 65/

(e) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture; 66/

(f) Note by the Secretary-General on the effective implementation of international instruments on human rights, including reporting obligations under international instruments on human rights; 67/

(g) Report of the Secretary-General on financing and adequate staff resources for operations of the human rights treaty bodies; 68/

(h) Note by the Secretary-General on the right to development; 69/

(i) Note by the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in southern Lebanon; 70/

(j) Report of the Secretary-General on strengthening of the Centre for Human Rights of the Secretariat; 71/

(k) Report of the Secretary-General on enhancing the effectiveness of the principle of periodic and genuine elections. 72/

64/ A/48/283.

65/ A/48/425.

66/ A/48/520.

67/ A/48/556.

68/ A/48/560.

69/ A/48/576.

70/ A/48/577.

71/ A/48/589.

72/ A/48/590.

48/431. Organization of work of the Third Committee and biennial programme of work of the Committee for 1994-1995

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee, 73/ pursuant to its resolutions 45/170 of 18 December 1990 and 46/140 of 17 December 1991, approved the organization of work of the Third Committee and the biennial programme of work of the Committee for 1994-1995, as contained in annexes I and II to the present decision.

ANNEX I

Organization of work of the Third Committee

A. GUIDELINES CONCERNING TIME-LIMITS OF STATEMENTS

1. In accordance with rule 106 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and paragraph 22 of decision 34/401 on the rationalization of the procedures and organization of the General Assembly, at the beginning of each session, the Chairman of the Third Committee should propose to the Committee the limitation of the time to be allowed to speakers.

2. Further to General Assembly resolutions 45/175 of 18 December 1990 and 46/140 of 17 December 1991, on the rationalization of the work of the Third Committee, statements made by delegations or on behalf of groups of delegations and by Secretariat officials, unless decided otherwise by the Committee at the beginning of the session, should not exceed 15 minutes. This time-limit will have to be applied with a degree of flexibility towards all speakers. With a view to saving time, all speakers are encouraged to exercise self-discipline, in particular delegations associated with group statements. For practical reasons, group statements are encouraged for the first day of the discussion of an item or sub-item. In this connection, it is important to emphasize the timely distribution of documentation in accordance with the rules of procedure of the Assembly, in order to enable delegations to inscribe themselves on the list of speakers at an early stage.

B. DRAFT RESOLUTIONS ON REPORTS OF TREATY BODIES AND REPORTS OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON THE STATUS OF THE TREATIES

3. Reports of all treaty bodies will be submitted to the General Assembly in accordance with their respective legislative mandates. Substantive resolutions on those reports should be adopted biennially, in accordance with the programme of work of the Third Committee. Where possible, it is recommended that separate draft resolutions on the status of the treaties should not be submitted but should be incorporated in the draft resolution relating to the report of the

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73/ A/48/624, para. 11.

treaty body. In alternate years, the Committee should simply take note of the reports unless more substantive action is deemed appropriate.

C. DRAFT PROPOSALS EMANATING FROM SUBSIDIARY ORGANS OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

4. The Economic and Social Council, in transmitting draft proposals to the General Assembly should, to the extent possible, bear in mind the programme of work of the Third Committee.

D. PROGRAMME OF WORK

5. An informal meeting of the Third Committee should be held immediately after the election of the members of its Bureau in order to consider the programme of work of the Committee based on a draft to be prepared by the Secretariat and to consider other organizational aspects relating to the Committee's work, especially the status of documentation.

6. The items allocated to the Third Committee for consideration during the forty-ninth session of the General Assembly should be taken up in the following order:

Item 2. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination 74/

Item 3. Right of peoples to self-determination 74/

Item 4. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family 74/

Item 5. Crime prevention and criminal justice 75/

Item 6. Advancement of women

Item 7. International drug control

Item 8. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions

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74/ Items 2 and 3 are to be discussed jointly. Delegates may make two separate statements, i.e., one on each item, if they so wish.

75/ Items 4 and 5 are to be discussed jointly. Delegates that wish to make two statements under item 4 may do so.

Item 9. Human rights questions 76/, 77/

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments;

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms;

(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives;

(d) Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action.

Item 10. Necessity of adopting effective measures for the promotion and protection of the rights of children throughout the world who are victims of especially difficult circumstances, including armed conflicts

Item 11. Preparation for and organization of the United Nations Year for Tolerance

Item 12. Programme of activities of the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People

Item 1. Report of the Economic and Social Council (item 12)

7. This arrangement may be reviewed at the organizational meeting of the Third Committee particularly in the light of the status of documentation at that time.

E. PREPARATION AND SUBMISSION OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS

8. In drawing up draft resolutions, delegations are requested to adhere to the programme of work of the Third Committee agreed to in General Assembly resolutions 45/175 and 46/140 and its decision 47/432 and as reproduced below.

9. Delegations are invited to take into account the general guidelines agreed upon in resolutions 45/175 and 46/140 regarding the submission of draft proposals and as set out below: 78/

76/ Sub-item (a) is to be discussed separately; sub-items (b), (c) and (d) are to be discussed jointly.

77/ Delegations may make one statement under sub-item (a) and two statements under sub-items (b), (c) and (d), but should not make two statements on any one sub-item.

78/ Reference to "even" or "odd" years relate to calendar years.

Item l. Report of the Economic and Social Council

Matters calling for action by the General Assembly (Third Committee) or brought to its attention

- Questions that do not fall within the purview of the other items on the agenda of the General Assembly allocated to the Third Committee

Item 2. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination

Annual

Third Decade to Combat Racism and Racial Discrimination

Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination

Status of the International Convention on the Suppression and Punishment of the Crime of Apartheid

Financial situation of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination

Biennial

Status of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination (even years)

Item 3. Right of peoples to self-determination

Annual

Importance of the universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination and of the speedy granting of independence to colonial countries and peoples for the effective guarantee and observance of human rights

Universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination

Use of mercenaries as a means to violate human rights and to impede the exercise of the right of people to self-determination (to be considered biennially after the entry into force of the International Convention against the Recruitment, Use, Financing and Training of Mercenaries)

Item 4. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family

Annual

World social situation 79/

World Summit for Social Development

Biennial

Implementation of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons and the United Nations Decade of Disabled Persons (1994, 1995 and odd years)

Implementation of the International Plan of Action on Ageing, International Year of Older Persons (1999) and related activities (odd years)

Policies and programmes involving youth (1994, 1995 and odd years)

National experience in promoting the cooperative movement (even years)

Implementation of the Guiding Principles for Developmental Social Welfare Policies and Programmes in the Near Future (odd years)

International Year of the Family (1994; thereafter, biennially, if necessary)

Quinquennial

Anniversary of the Declaration on Social Progress and Development (1994)

International Literacy Year (1995)

79/ 1994 - General debate on the basis of the report of the Economic and Social Council.

1995 - Interim report on the world social situation and report of the Commission for Social Development.

1996 - General debate on the basis of the report of the Economic and Social Council.

1997 - Report on the world social situation and report of the Commission for Social Development.

Item 5. Crime prevention and criminal justice

Annual

United Nations African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders

Crime prevention and criminal justice

Action to combat alien smuggling (1994)

Biennial

International cooperation in combating organized crime (even years)

Quinquennial

Congress on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (1995)

Item 6. Advancement of women

Annual

Implementation of the Nairobi Forward-looking Strategies for the Advancement of Women

Improvement of the status of women in the Secretariat

Fourth World Conference on Women (to 1995)

Violence against women migrant workers

Biennial

Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (even years)

International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women (odd years)

United Nations Development Fund for Women (odd years)

National experience relating to the improvement of the situation of women in rural areas (odd years)

Item 7. International drug control

Annual

Implementation of the United Nations System-Wide Action Plan on Drug Abuse Control and the Global Programme of Action against illicit production, supply, demand, trafficking and distribution of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances; international action to combat drug abuse and illicit trafficking; respect for the principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations and international law in the fight against drug abuse and illicit trafficking; United Nations International Drug Control Programme; measures to strengthen international cooperation against the illicit production, sale, demand, traffic and distribution of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances and related matters

Biennial

Implementation of the United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (even years)

Item 8. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions

Annual

Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

International Conference on Central American Refugees

Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa

Convening of a United Nations conference for comprehensive consideration and review of the problems of refugees, returnees, displaced persons and migrants (1994)

Biennial

New international humanitarian order (even years)

Quinquennial

Extension of the mandate of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (1997)

Item 9. Human rights questions

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments

Annual

Effective implementation of international instruments on human rights, including reporting obligations under international instruments of human rights

International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (biennially after the entry into force of the Convention)

Biennial

Convention on the Rights of the Child (even years)

Report of the Committee against Torture and status of the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (even years)

United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture (even years)

Status of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide (even years)

International Covenants on Human Rights (odd years)

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

Annual

Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights

Alternative approaches and ways and means within the United Nations system for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

Right to development

Elimination of all forms of religious intolerance

Respect for the principles of national sovereignty and non-interference in the internal affairs of States in their electoral processes

Enhancing the effectiveness of the principle of periodic and genuine elections (biennially after the forty-ninth session)

Strengthening of the Centre for Human Rights of the Secretariat

Declaration on the Rights of Persons Belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities

International Year of the World's Indigenous People (1994)

Human rights and terrorism (1994)

Strengthening of United Nations action in the field of human rights through the promotion of international cooperation and the importance of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity

United Nations year for tolerance

Plight of street children

Biennial

Summary or arbitrary executions (even years)

Development of public information activities in the field of human rights (even years)

Regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights (even years)

Regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights in the Asian and Pacific region (even years)

United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations (even years)

Question of enforced or involuntary disappearances (even years)

Human rights and extreme poverty (even years)

Human rights and mass exoduses (odd years)

Human rights in the administration of justice (odd years)

Human rights and scientific and technological progress (odd years)

National institutions for the protection and promotion of human rights (odd years)

Quinquennial

Award of human rights prizes

(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives

(d) Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action

Annual

Implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action adopted at the World Conference on Human Rights

Item 10. Necessity of adopting effective measures for the promotion and protection of the rights of children throughout the world who are victims of especially difficult circumstances, including armed conflicts 80/

Item 11. Preparation for and organization of the United Nations Year for Tolerance 80/

Item 12. Programme of activities of the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People 80/

ANNEX II

Biennial programme of work of the Third Committee for 1994-1995

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Item 1. Report of the Economic and Social Council

Matters calling for action by the General Assembly (Third Committee) or brought to its attention

Documentation

Relevant chapters of the report of the Economic and Social Council on questions that do not fall within the purview of the other items on the agenda of the General Assembly allocated to the Third Committee

Item 2. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination

Documentation

Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council

Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (resolution 2106 A (XX))

80/ Consideration in 1994.

81/ The programme of work and documentation for 1994 will be revised in the light of the relevant decisions taken by the Economic and Social Council in 1994.

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the International Convention on the Suppression and Punishment of the Crime of Apartheid (resolution 3380 (XXX) and draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.14)

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination (resolutions 2106 A (XX) and 47/78)

Report of the Secretary-General on the financial situation of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.16)

Item 3. Right of peoples to self-determination

Documentation

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on the use of mercenaries as a means to violate human rights and to impede the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.12)

Report of the Secretary-General on the universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.15)

Questions for consideration for which no advance documentation has been requested

Importance of the universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination and of the speedy granting of independence to colonial countries and peoples for the effective guarantee and observance of human rights (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.19)

Item 4. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family 82/

Documentation

Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the resolution on policies and programmes involving youth (resolution 47/85)

Report of the Secretary-General on the status and role of cooperatives in the light of new economic and social trends (resolution 47/90)

Report of the Secretary-General containing the plan of action to implement the long-term strategy of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled

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82/ General debate on the basis of the report of the Economic and Social Council.

Persons (Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/20 and draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.7/Rev.1)

Report of the Preparatory Committee for the World Summit for Social Development (resolution 47/92 and draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.11/Rev.1)

Questions for consideration for which no advance documentation has been requested

Twenty-fifth anniversary of the Declaration on Social Progress and Development (resolution 44/57)

Item 5. Crime prevention and criminal justice

Documentation

Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council, including the views of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice on strengthening international cooperation in combating organized crime (resolution 47/87)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.8)

Report of the Secretary-General on action taken to combat alien smuggling (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.9/Rev.2)

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the draft resolution on crime prevention and criminal justice (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.10/Rev.1)

Item 6. Advancement of women

Documentation

Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council

Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women (resolution 34/180) 83/

Final version of the World Survey on the Role of Women in Development (resolutions 44/77 and 44/171 and draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.33)

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the resolution on the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (resolution 47/94)

83/ Report submitted to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council.

Report of the Secretary-General on improvement of the status of women in the Secretariat (Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/9 and draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.31)

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme on the activities of the United Nations Development Fund for Women (resolution 39/125 and draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.32)

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the Nairobi Forward-looking Strategies for the Advancement of Women and on preparations for the Fourth World Conference on Women (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.33)

Report of the Secretary-General on violence against women migrant workers (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.35)

Item 7. International drug control

Documentation

Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council, including ways and means to improve cooperation within the United Nations system against the illicit production, sale, demand, trafficking and distribution of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances (resolution 48/12)

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the Global Programme of Action against illicit production, supply, demand, trafficking and distribution of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances and on the updated System-Wide Action Plan on Drug Abuse Control (resolutions 45/148, 46/102 and 47/100 and draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.18) 83/

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (resolution 47/97 and draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.18)

Item 8. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions

Documentation

Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

Report of the Secretary-General on the new international humanitarian order (resolution 47/106)

Report of the Secretary-General on the convening of a United Nations conference for comprehensive consideration and review of the problems of refugees, returnees, displaced persons and migrants (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.21/Rev.l)

Report of the Secretary-General on emergency international assistance to refugees and displaced persons in Azerbaijan (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.23/Rev.1)

Report of the Secretary-General on the International Conference on Central American Refugees (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.27)

Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.28)

Item 9. Human rights questions

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments

Documentation

Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council, including a draft plan of action on a human rights education decade (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.47)

Report of the Human Rights Committee (resolution 2200 A (XXI)) 83/

Report of the Committee against Torture (resolution 39/46)

Report of the Committee on the Rights of the Child (resolution 44/25) 83/

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide (resolution 47/108)

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the Convention on the Rights of the Child (resolution 47/112)

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (resolution 47/113)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture (resolution 36/151)

Report of the Secretary-General on effective implementation of international instruments on human rights, including reporting obligations under international instruments on human rights (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.61)

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.67)

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

Documentation

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (resolution 48/141)

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of resolution 48/141

Report of the Secretary-General on the state of regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights (resolution 47/125)

Report of the Secretary-General on the development of public information activities in the field of human rights (resolution 47/128)

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations (decision 47/430)

Report of the Secretary-General on respect for the principles of national sovereignty and non-interference in the internal affairs of States in their electoral processes (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.44)

Report of the Secretary-General on strengthening the Centre for Human Rights of the United Nations Secretariat (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.49)

Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the bodies of the United Nations system on the implementation of the Declaration on the Right to Development (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.50)

Report of the Secretary-General on enhancing the effectiveness of the principle of periodic and genuine elections (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.55)

Report of the Secretary-General on a programme within the United Nations on strengthening the rule of law (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.56)

Report of the Secretary-General on the International Year of the World’s Indigenous People (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.60)

Report of the Secretary-General on the effective promotion of the Declaration on the Rights of Persons Belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.71)

Questions for consideration for which no advance documentation has been requested

Question of enforced or involuntary disappearances (resolutions 47/132 and 47/133)

Human rights and extreme poverty (resolution 47/134)

Human rights and terrorism (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.42)

Alternative approaches and ways and means within the United Nations system for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.43)

Strengthening of United Nations action in the human rights field through the promotion of international cooperation and the importance of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.45)

Elimination of all forms of religious intolerance (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.48)

Plight of street children (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.66)

(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives

Report of the Secretary-General on rape and abuse of women in the former Yugoslavia (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.51/Rev.1)

Report of the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in Myanmar (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.70)

Report of the Secretary-General on the role of the Centre for Human Rights of the United Nations Secretariat in assisting the Cambodian Government and people in the promotion and protection of human rights (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.75)

Questions for consideration for which no advance documentation has been requested

Situation of human rights in Cuba (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.36/Rev.1)

Situation of human rights in Iraq (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.57)

Situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.58)

Situation of human rights in Somalia (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.62/Rev.1)

Situation of human rights in the Sudan (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.65/Rev.1)

Situation of human rights in Haiti (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.72)

Situation of human rights in Afghanistan (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.73)

Situation of human rights in the territory of the former Yugoslavia: violations of human rights in the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina, the

Republic of Croatia and the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.74/Rev.1)

(d) Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action

Report of the Secretary-General (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.38)

Item 10. Necessity of adopting effective measures for the promotion and protection of the rights of children throughout the world who are victims of especially difficult circumstances, including armed conflicts

Documentation

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on child sales, child prostitution and child pornography (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.39/Rev.1)

Report of the Secretary-General on progress made in the study on protection of children affected by armed conflicts (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.40)

Item 11. Preparation for and organization of the United Nations Year for Tolerance (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.46)

No advance documentation

Item 12. Programme of activities of the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People

Documentation

Preliminary report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive programme of action for the Decade (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.54)

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Item l. Report of the Economic and Social Council

Matters calling for action by the General Assembly (Third Committee) or brought to its attention

Documentation

Relevant chapters of the report of the Economic and Social Council on questions that do not fall within the purview of the other items on the agenda of the General Assembly allocated to the Third Committee

Item 2. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination

Documentation

Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council

Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (resolution 2106 A (XX))

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the International Convention on the Suppression and Punishment of the Crime of Apartheid (resolution 3380 (XXX))

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination (resolutions 2106 A (XX) and 47/78)

Item 3. Right of peoples to self-determination

Item 4. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family

Documentation

Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council, including the final draft of the world programme of action for youth towards the year 2000 and beyond (Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/24)

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the Standard Rules on the Equalization of Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.3)

Report of the Secretary-General on progress of efforts to ensure the equalization of opportunities and full inclusion of people with disabilities within the various bodies of the United Nations system (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.2)

Report of the Secretary-General and of the Director-General of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization on progress made and problems encountered in the quest to achieve a literate world (resolution 46/93) 83/

Report of the Secretary-General on a draft programme for the preparations and observance of the International Year of the Elderly (Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/22 and draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.6)

Report of the Secretary-General on the International Year of the Family (General Assembly resolution 47/237)

Item 5. Crime prevention and criminal justice

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Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council

Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women (resolution 34/180) 83/

Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.30)

Report of the Secretary-General on the improvement of the situation of women in rural areas (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.34) 83/

Report of the Fourth World Conference on Women (Economic and Social Council decision 1992/272)

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Relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council, including the findings of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs pursuant to General Assembly resolution 48/12

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Report of the Secretary-General on the status of the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and the Optional Protocols to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.53)

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on a comprehensive programme of action for the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.54)

Report of the Secretary-General on national institutions for the protection and promotion of human rights (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.63)

Report of the Secretary-General on human rights and mass exoduses (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.76)

Questions for consideration for which no advance documentation has been requested

Internally displaced persons (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.64)

Human rights in the administration of justice (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.69)

Human rights and scientific and technological progress (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.77)

(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives

(d) Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action

Report of the Secretary-General (draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.38)

48/432. Promotion of press freedom in the world

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly on the recommendation of the Third Committee, 73/ having recalled Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/54 of 29 July 1993, decided to declare 3 May World Press Freedom Day.

48/433. International Year of the Elderly

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Third Committee, 73/ having recalled its resolution 47/5 of 16 October 1992 and Economic and Social Council decision 1993/238 of 27 July 1993, decided to redesignate the International Year of Older Persons (1999) as the International Year of the Elderly.

48/434. Report of the Economic and Social Council

At its 85th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Third Committee, 73/ took note of the relevant chapters of the report of the Economic and Social Council. 84/

5. Decisions adopted on the reports of the Fifth Committee

48/458. Biennial programme of work for the Fifth Committee for 1994-1995

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 85/ decided, in accordance with paragraph 6 of its resolution 46/220 of 20 December 1991, to approve the biennial programme of work for the Fifth Committee for 1994-1995, annexed hereto.

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BIENNIAL PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE FIFTH COMMITTEE FOR 1994-1995

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84/ A/48/3, chaps. I, II, V (sects. A, C and J), VII and IX. To be issued in final form as Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-eighth Session, Supplement No. 3 (A/48/3/Rev.1).

85/ A/48/801/Add.1, para. 5.

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11. Report of the Economic and Social Council

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48/459. Action taken on certain documents

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 85/ decided:

(a) To defer consideration of the following documents until its resumed forty-eighth session:

(i) Reports of the Secretary-General on standards of accommodation for air travel (A/C.5/48/3) and review of travel and related entitlements for members of organs and subsidiary organs and staff members of the United Nations (A/C.5/48/14);

(ii) Report of the Secretary-General: final performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 (A/C.5/48/48 and Corr.1 and addenda);

(iii) Report of the Secretary-General on workload standards for conference-servicing staff (A/C.5/47/67);

(iv) Report of the Secretary-General on special representatives, envoys and related positions (also item 138 (a)) (A/C.5/48/26);

(v) Report of the Secretary-General on the publications policy of the United Nations (A/C.5/48/10);

(vi) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations telecommunications system (A/C.5/48/11);

(vii) Fifth progress report of the Secretary-General on the Integrated Management Information System (A/C.5/48/12);

(viii) Report of the Secretary-General on office accommodation at Geneva (A/C.5/48/29);

(ix) Report of the Secretary-General on construction of additional conference facilities at Addis Ababa and Bangkok (A/C.5/48/30);

(x) Question of staff assessment;

(xi) Conditions of service for members of the International Court of Justice;

(xii) Second report of the Secretary-General on the programme budget for the biennium 1990-1991 - final appropriations for 1990-1991 (A/C.5/47/77/Add.1 and Add.1/Corr.1);

(xiii) Report of the Secretary-General as requested by the General Assembly in resolution 47/235 on the financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 (A/C.5/48/44);

(xiv) Report of the Secretary-General on conditions of service and allowances of the members of the International Tribunal (A/C.5/48/36);

(xv) Report of the Secretary-General on the establishment of a peace-keeping reserve fund (A/48/622);

(xvi) Effective planning, presentation and administration of peace-keeping operations;

(xvii) Rates of reimbursement to troop-contributing States;

(xviii) Note by the Secretary-General on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Staffing of the United Nations peace-keeping and related missions (civilian component)" (also item 125) (A/48/421 and Add.1);

(xix) Report of the Working Group on the equitable geographical representation of Member States in the Secretariat (A/C.5/48/45);

(xx) Report of the Secretary-General on amendments to the Staff Rules (A/C.5/48/37);

(xxi) Report of the Secretary-General on institutional and administrative arrangements governing the integration of UNDP/OPS in the Department for Development Support and Management Services (A/48/502 and Add.1 and 2);

(xxii) Report of the Secretary-General on costs of staff representation activities (A/C.5/47/59);

(b) To defer consideration of the following document until its forty-ninth session:

Decentralization of activities in the field of natural resources.

48/460. Second performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee: 86/

(a) Approved provisionally the revised estimates of expenditure and income for the biennium 1992-1993 as reflected in the report of the Secretary-General; 87/

(b) Decided to consider in detail the second performance report at its resumed forty-eighth session;

86/ A/48/804, para. 7.

87/ A/C.5/48/48.

(c) Noted that the budget performance report was not in accordance with section XXVI, paragraph 3, of General Assembly resolution 47/219 of 23 December 1992 with respect to timeliness and transparency, and requested the Secretary-General to comply with the above-mentioned resolution;

(d) Reiterated its endorsement of the recommendation of the Board of Auditors contained in paragraphs 193 to 196 of its report 88/ that payments to supernumerary staff should not have been effected without prior approval of the General Assembly;

(e) Noted that such approval had not been requested and that, therefore, such payments were not authorized by the General Assembly;

(f) Requested the Secretary-General to provide all information on all aspects of the use of supernumeraries during the bienniums 1990-1991 and 1992-1993 in a written report to the General Assembly at its resumed forty-eighth session;

(g) Invited the Board of Auditors to include in its audit of the regular budget accounts of the biennium 1992-1993 the question of supernumeraries as well as its findings concerning vacancies in regular budget posts resulting from the deployment of staff to peace-keeping operations and the impact of such vacancies on salaries and common staff costs incurred during the biennium.

48/461. Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 89/ having considered the report of the Secretary-General 90/ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 91/ decided:

(a) To endorse the recommendations of the Advisory Committee contained in paragraphs 8 and 9 of its report;

(b) To authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments not exceeding $5.6 million for the first six months of 1994, pending a final decision by the General Assembly on the mode of financing the Tribunal and

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88/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-seventh Session, Supplement No. 7 (A/47/7), vol. I.

89/ A/48/802, para. 6.

90/ A/C.5/48/44.

91/ A/48/765.

without prejudice to recommendations that the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions may make to the General Assembly and the decisions that the Assembly may take thereon with regard to administrative matters, including the location of the Court, the levels and numbers of staff and the conditions of service of the judges and staff;

(c) To consider at its resumed forty-eighth session the question of the mode of financing of the Tribunal and the conditions of service and allowances of the members of the International Tribunal.

48/462. Personnel questions

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 92/ took note of the note by the Secretary-General on respect for the privileges and immunities of officials of the United Nations and the specialized agencies and related organizations 93/ and of the statement made by the representative of the United Nations Security Coordinator at the 13th meeting of the Committee on 8 November 1993. 94/

48/463. Financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 95/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 96/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 97/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Decided, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 10,720,000 United States dollars gross (10,396,000 dollars net) for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 December 1993 to 31 March 1994;

92/ A/48/805, para. 5.

93/ A/C.5/48/5.

94/ See A/C.5/48/SR.13.

95/ A/48/812, para. 5.

96/ A/C.5/48/40.

97/ A/48/769 and A/48/778.

(b) Decided also that no assessment on Member States would be necessary in the light of the current cash balance in the special account for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force.

48/464. Financing of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 98/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 100/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into commitments up to the amount of 24,000,000 United States dollars gross (23,500,000 dollars net) for the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon for the period from 1 February to 31 March 1994, should the Security Council decide to extend the Force beyond 31 January 1994;

(b) Apportioned at the present time, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount of 22,876,000 dollars gross (22,400,000 dollars net) among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in subparagraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the additional estimated staff assessment income of 476,600 dollars for the period from 1 February to 31 March 1994.

48/465. Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 101/ in accordance with the

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98/ A/48/813, para. 6.

99/ A/C.5/48/40.

100/ A/48/770 and A/48/778.

101/ A/48/814, para. 5.

framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 102/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into commitments up to the amount of 6,800,000 United States dollars gross (6,400,000 dollars net) for the United Nations Angola Verification Mission for the period from 16 December 1993 to 31 March 1994;

(b) Apportioned at the present time, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount of 6,478,800 dollars gross (6,097,700 dollars net) among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 381,100 dollars for the period from 16 December 1993 to 31 March 1994.

48/466. Financing of the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 103/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 104/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Decided, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 8,687,800 United States dollars gross (8 million dollars net), in addition to the pledged voluntary contributions of 23,414,800 dollars for the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission for the period from 1 November 1993 to 28 February 1994;

102/ A/48/771 and A/48/778.

103/ A/48/815, para. 5.

104/ A/48/772 and A/48/778.

(b) Also decided that the amount of 8,687,800 dollars gross (8 million dollars net) referred to in paragraph (a) above shall be offset against the unencumbered balance of appropriations;

(c) Further decided that, in view of the expiration of the commitment authority on 28 February 1994, priority should be given to the cost estimate of this operation in the consideration by the General Assembly of peace-keeping budgets.

48/467. Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 105/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 106/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee, decided, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 9,586,500 United States dollars gross (9,064,500 dollars net) from the unencumbered balance of the appropriation for the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara for the period from 1 January to 31 March 1994.

48/468. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 107/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 108/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into commitments up to the amount of 8,823,500 United States dollars gross (8 million dollars net) for the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador for the period from 1 December 1993 to 28 February 1994;

105/ A/48/816, para. 5.

106/ A/48/773 and A/48/778.

107/ A/48/817, para. 5.

108/ A/48/774 and A/48/778.

(b) Apportioned at the present time, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount of 5,382,300 dollars gross (4,880,000 dollars net) among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 502,300 dollars for the period from 1 December 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(d) Also decided that, in view of the expiration of the commitment authority on 28 February 1994, priority should be given to the cost estimate of this operation in the consideration by the General Assembly of peace-keeping budgets.

48/469. Financing of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 109/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 110/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee, decided:

(a) To authorize the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into commitments up to the amount of 100,000,000 United States dollars gross and net for the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia for the period from 1 September 1993 to 31 March 1994;

(b) To apportion, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount indicated in paragraph (a) above among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993.

109/ A/48/818, para. 5.

110/ A/48/775 and A/48/778.

48/470. Financing of the United Nations Protection Force

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 111/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 112/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into additional commitments up to the amount of 383,408,000 United States dollars gross (380,000,000 dollars net) for the United Nations Protection Force for the period from 1 July 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(b) Apportioned at the present time, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount of 166,479,800 dollars gross (165,000,000 dollars net) among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the additional estimated staff assessment income of 1,479,800 dollars for the period from 1 July 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(d) Also decided that, in view of the expiration of the commitment authority on 28 February 1994, priority should be given to the cost estimate of this operation in the consideration by the General Assembly of peace-keeping budgets.

111/ A/48/819, para. 5.

112/ A/48/776 and A/48/778.

48/471. Financing of the United Nations Operation in Somalia II

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 113/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 114/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into total commitments up to the amount of 302,869,200 United States dollars gross (300 million dollars net), inclusive of the authorization provided under General Assembly resolution 47/41 C of 14 September 1993, for the United Nations Operation in Somalia II for the period from 1 November 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(b) Apportioned at the present time, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount of 126,195,500 dollars gross (125 million dollars net) among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 1,195,500 dollars for the period from 1 November 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(d) Also decided that, in view of the expiration of the commitment authority on 28 February 1994, priority should be given to the cost estimate of this operation in the consideration by the General Assembly of peace-keeping budgets.

113/ A/48/820, para. 5.

114/ A/48/777 and A/48/778.

48/472. Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 115/ decided:

(a) To continue during its current session the mandate of the open-ended working group of the Fifth Committee established pursuant to General Assembly resolution 47/218 of 23 December 1992;

(b) As an ad hoc arrangement, in respect of the apportionment of peace-keeping expenses, that:

(i) Andorra and Monaco should be included in the group of Member States set out in paragraph 3 (b) of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, and that their contributions to the financing of peace-keeping operations should be calculated in accordance with the relevant resolution to be adopted by the Assembly regarding the scale of assessments;

(ii) The former Yugoslavia Republic of Macedonia should be included in the group of Member States set out in paragraph 3 (c) of General Assembly resolution 43/232, and that its contributions to the financing of peace-keeping operations should be calculated in accordance with the relevant resolution to be adopted by the Assembly regarding the scale of assessments;

(iii) Eritrea and Madagascar should be included in the group of Member States set out in paragraph 3 (d) of General Assembly resolution 43/232, and that their contributions to the financing of peace-keeping operations should be calculated in accordance with the relevant resolution to be adopted by the Assembly regarding the scale of assessments;

(c) To consider and decide during its current session the placement of the Czech Republic and Slovakia in the appropriate group as set out in General Assembly resolution 43/232 for the apportionment of peace-keeping expenses;

(d) To consider, as an exceptional measure, any arrears of Belarus and Ukraine arisen in 1992 and 1993 and for 1994 in the financing of peace-keeping operations as being due to conditions beyond their control, and accordingly, that the question of the applicability of Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations related to the loss of voting rights in the General Assembly in this respect would not arise.

115/ A/48/807/Add.1, para. 7.

48/473. Financing of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 116/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 117/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into total commitments up to the amount of 82,308,700 United States dollars gross (80 million dollars net), inclusive of the authorization provided under General Assembly resolution 47/224 C of 14 September 1993, for the United Nations Operation in Mozambique for the period from 1 November 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(b) Apportioned at the present time as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount of 61,731,500 dollars gross (60 million dollars net) among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there should be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 1,731,500 dollars for the period from 1 November 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(d) Also decided that, in view of the expiration of the commitment authority on 28 February 1994, priority should be given to the cost estimate of this operation in the consideration by the General Assembly of peace-keeping budgets.

48/474. Financing of the United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 118/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having

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116/ A/48/821, para. 5.

117/ A/48/778 and A/48/779.

118/ A/48/822, para. 5.

considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 119/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Decided, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 6,365,300 United States dollars gross (6,111,000 dollars net), in addition to the pledged voluntary contributions of 9,375,000 dollars, for the United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus for the period from 15 December 1993 to 31 March 1994;

(b) Also decided that no assessment on Member States would be necessary in the light of the current cash balance in the special account for the United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus.

48/475. Financing of the United Nations Observation Mission in Georgia

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 120/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 121/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into commitments up to the amount of 2,786,600 United States dollars gross (2,680,100 dollars net) for the United Nations Observation Mission in Georgia for the period from 24 August 1993 to 31 March 1994, should the Security Council extend the mandate beyond 31 January 1994, and requested the Secretary-General to establish a special account for the United Nations Observation Mission in Georgia;

(b) Apportioned at the present time, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount of 2,536,200 dollars gross (2,439,300 dollars net) for the period ending 31 January 1994 among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

119/ A/48/778 and A/48/780.

120/ A/48/823, para. 5.

121/ A/48/778 and A/48/781.

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there should be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 96,900 dollars for the period from 24 August 1993 to 31 January 1994.

48/476. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 122/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 123/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Noted that the integration of the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda within the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda is purely administrative in nature and that it would in no way affect the mandate of the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda as set out in Security Council resolution 846 (1993) of 22 June 1993;

(b) Decided that, in view of the commitment authorization provided by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions to the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 46/187 of 20 December 1991, no action was required at the present time, pending consideration of the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda.

48/477. Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 124/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 125/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

122/ A/48/825, para. 5.

123/ A/48/778 and A/48/782.

124/ A/48/826, para. 5.

125/ A/48/783 and A/48/778.

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into commitments up to the amount of 1,383,000 United States dollars gross (1,364,000 dollars net) for the United Nations Mission in Haiti for the period from 23 September 1993 to 22 March 1994, and requested the Secretary-General to establish a special account for the United Nations Mission in Haiti;

(b) Apportioned, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount indicated in paragraph (a) above among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there should be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 19,000 dollars for the period from 23 September 1993 to 22 March 1994.

48/478. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 126/ and in accordance with the framework set out in General Assembly resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 127/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into total commitments up to the amount of 40,318,000 United States dollars gross (39,560,800 dollars net), inclusive of the amount authorized by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions in accordance with General Assembly resolution 46/187 of 20 December 1991, for the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia for the period from 22 September 1993 to 21 April 1994, and requested the Secretary-General to establish a special account for the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia;

(b) Apportioned, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount indicated in paragraph (a) above among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of

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126/ A/48/827, para. 5.

127/ A/48/784 and A/48/778.

21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there should be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 757,200 dollars for the period from 22 September 1993 to 21 April 1994.

48/479. Financing of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 128/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 129/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Noted that the integration of the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda within the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda was purely administrative in nature and that it would in no way affect the mandate of the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda as set out in Security Council resolution 846 (1993) of 22 June 1993;

(b) Decided, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into total commitments up to the amount of 51,120,000 United States dollars gross (50,478,000 dollars net), inclusive of the amount authorized by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions in accordance with General Assembly resolution 46/187 of 20 December 1991, for the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda for the period from 5 October 1993 to 4 April 1994, and requested the Secretary-General to establish a special account for the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda;

(c) Also decided, as an ad hoc arrangement, to apportion the amount indicated in paragraph (a) above among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and

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128/ A/48/828, para. 5.

129/ A/48/788 and A/48/785.

1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(d) Further decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there should be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (c) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 642,000 dollars for the period from 5 October 1993 to 4 April 1994.

48/480. Financing of the United Nations Military Liaison Team in Cambodia

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 130/ in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 99/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 131/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Authorized the Secretary-General, on an exceptional basis, to enter into total commitments up to the amount of 756,500 United States dollars gross (724,200 dollars net), inclusive of the amount authorized by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions in accordance with General Assembly resolution 46/187 of 20 December 1991, for the United Nations Military Liaison Team in Cambodia for the period from 4 November 1993 to 31 March 1994, and requested the Secretary-General to establish a special account for the United Nations Military Liaison Team in Cambodia;

(b) Apportioned, as an ad hoc arrangement, the amount indicated in paragraph (a) above among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in its resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/472 of 23 December 1993;

(c) Decided that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there should be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 32,300 dollars for the period from 4 November 1993 to 31 March 1994.

130/ A/48/829, para.5.

131/ A/48/778 and A/48/786.

48/481. Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 132/ noted the significant increase in the common staff costs of salaries and overtime payments, particularly with respect to security officers, and requested the Board of Auditors in its audit of the 1992-1993 accounts of the United Nations to pay particular attention to this matter.

48/482. Report of the Economic and Social Council

At its 87th plenary meeting, on 23 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, 133/ took note of chapters I, V (sects. A and B) and IX of the report of the Economic and Social Council. 134/

132/ A/48/811, para. 40.

133/ A/48/743, para. 4.

134/ A/48/3, chaps. I, V (sects. A and B) and IX. To be issued in final form as Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-eighth Session, Supplement No. 3 (A/48/3/Rev.1).

6. Decisions adopted on the reports of the Sixth Committee

48/411. Measures to eliminate international terrorism

At its 73rd plenary meeting, on 9 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Sixth Committee, 135/ having considered the agenda item entitled "Measures to eliminate international terrorism":

(a) Requested the Secretary-General to seek the views of Member States on the proposals submitted by Governments contained in his report 136/ or made during the debate on this item at its forty-eighth session in the Sixth Committee or contained in resolution 46/51 of 9 December 1991 on practical measures to eliminate acts of terrorism, on ways and means of enhancing the role of the United Nations and the relevant specialized agencies in combating international terrorism, and on ways to consider this question within the Sixth Committee;

(b) Decided to include in the provisional agenda of its forty-ninth session the item entitled "Measures to eliminate international terrorism", without prejudice to the question of whether the item would thereafter be considered annually or biennially.

48/412. Progressive development of the principles and norms of international law relating to the new international economic order

At its 73rd plenary meeting, on 9 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Sixth Committee, 137/ taking note of the oral report presented at the 35th meeting of the Sixth Committee by the Chairman of the Working Group established under General Assembly resolution 46/52 of 9 December 1991, decided to resume consideration of the legal aspects of international economic relations at its fifty-first session and to include the item entitled "Progressive development of the principles and norms of international law relating to the new international economic order" in the provisional agenda of that session.

48/413. Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property

At its 73rd plenary meeting, on 9 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Sixth Committee: 138/

135/ A/48/609, para. 10.

136/ A/48/267 and Corr.1 and Add.1.

137/ A/48/610, para. 9.

138/ A/48/616, para. 12.

(a) Took note of the report of the Working Group 139/ established by the General Assembly in its resolution 46/55 of 9 December 1991 and reconvened pursuant to General Assembly decision 47/414 of 25 November 1992 to consider:

(i) Issues of substance arising out of the draft articles on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property, adopted by the International Law Commission at its forty-third session; 140/

(ii) The question of the convening of an international conference, to be held in 1994 or subsequently, to conclude a convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property;

(b) Decided that consultations should be held in the framework of the Sixth Committee during one week at the beginning of its forty-ninth session, namely, from 26 to 30 September 1994, to continue consideration of the substantive issues regarding which the identification and attenuation of differences is desirable in order to facilitate the successful conclusion of a convention through general agreement;

(c) Also decided that, at its forty-ninth session, in the light of the progress thus far achieved and of the results of the consultations mentioned above, it would give full consideration to the recommendation of the International Law Commission that an international conference of plenipotentiaries be convened to examine the articles of the jurisdictional immunities of States and their property and to conclude a convention on the subject; 141/

(d) Further decided to include in the provisional agenda of its forty-ninth session the item entitled "Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property".

48/414. Request for an advisory opinion from the International Court of Justice

At its 73rd plenary meeting, on 9 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Sixth Committee, 142/ decided to continue its consideration of the item entitled "Request for an advisory opinion from the International Court of Justice" and to include it in the provisional agenda of its forty-ninth session.

139/ A/C.6/48/L.4 and Corr.2.

140/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-sixth Session, Supplement No. 10 (A/46/10), chap. II, sect. D.

141/ Ibid., sect. B, para. 25.

142/ A/48/617, para. 6.

48/415. Review of the procedure provided for under article 11 of the statute of the Administrative Tribunal of the United Nations

At its 73rd plenary meeting, on 9 December 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Sixth Committee: 143/

(a) Requested the Secretary-General to carry out a review of the procedure provided for under article 11 of the statute of the Administrative Tribunal of the United Nations, taking into account the views expressed during the forty-eighth session of the General Assembly and any further views that States may submit, and to report thereon to the Assembly at its forty-ninth session, either as part of the report requested under resolution 47/226 of 8 April 1993 or separately;

(b) Decided to include in the provisional agenda of its forty-ninth session the item entitled "Review of the procedure provided for under article 11 of the statute of the Administrative Tribunal of the United Nations".

143/ A/48/619, para. 8.