

cil of 2 March 1949 concerning the assessment of signatories of the Convention of 19 February 1925 relating to narcotic drugs which are not Members of the United Nations for their fair share of the expenses of the Permanent Central Opium Board, and of the Secretary-General's memorandum<sup>17</sup> on this subject,

Requests the Secretary-General:

1. To undertake a thorough study of this general question, regard being had to the total expenses incurred in connexion with the international administration of narcotic drugs and of such other

functions or powers responsibility for which is shared by non-members of the United Nations under existing treaties;

2. To submit the results of this study, together with appropriate recommendations, for the consideration of the General Assembly at its next regular session.

255th plenary meeting,  
24 November 1949.

<sup>17</sup> See *Official Records of the fourth session of the General Assembly, Annex to the Fifth Committee*, document A/C.5/340.

### 354 (IV). Supplementary estimates for the financial year 1949

*The General Assembly*

*Resolves* that for the financial year 1949:

1. The amount of \$US43,487,128 appropriated by resolution 252 (III) A<sup>18</sup> adopted on 11 December 1948, is reduced by \$283,048 as follows:

	<i>Amount appropriated as adjusted under paragraph 4 of resolution 252 (III) A</i>	<i>Supplementary appropriation increase or decrease</i>	<i>Revised amounts of appropriation</i>
		<i>In dollars (US)</i>	
<b>A. UNITED NATIONS</b>			
<i>Section</i>			
<i>Part I. Sessions of the General Assembly, the Councils, Commissions and Committees</i>			
1. The General Assembly and commissions and committees thereof .....	1,722,540	—	1,722,540
2. The Security Council and commissions and committees thereof .....	418,280	—(238,280)	180,000
3. The Economic and Social Council and commissions and committees thereof .....	433,180	—( 68,180)	365,000
(a) Permanent Central Opium Board and Drug Supervisory Body .....	61,370	—( 24,370)	37,000
(b) Regional economic commissions .....	68,110	—( 11,810)	56,300
4. The Trusteeship Council and commissions and committees thereof .....	141,640	—( 83,640)	58,000
<b>TOTAL, PART I</b>	<b>2,845,120</b>	<b>—(426,280)</b>	<b>2,418,840</b>
<i>Part II. Special conferences, investigations and inquiries</i>			
5. Special conferences .....	82,810	—( 19,810)	63,000
6. Investigations and inquiries .....	5,292,243	140,757	5,433,000
<b>TOTAL, PART II</b>	<b>5,375,053</b>	<b>120,947</b>	<b>5,496,000</b>
<i>Part III. Headquarters, New York</i>			
7. Executive Office of the Secretary-General .....	491,600	—( 37,600)	454,000
8. Department of Security Council Affairs .....	797,070	—( 47,070)	750,000
9. Military Staff Committee secretariat .....	196,400	—( 31,400)	165,000
10. Department of Economic Affairs .....	2,475,575	—( 10,575)	2,465,000
11. Department of Social Affairs .....	1,476,755	—( 55,755)	1,421,000
12. Department for Trusteeship and Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories .....	964,240	—( 79,240)	885,000
13. Department of Public Information .....	3,254,760	—(104,760)	3,150,000
(a) Library services .....	452,300	—	452,300
14. Department of Legal Affairs .....	567,110	—( 52,110)	515,000
15. Conference and General Services .....	8,260,800	50,200	8,311,000
16. Administrative and Financial Services .....	1,646,420	—( 85,420)	1,561,000
17. Common staff costs .....	4,502,900	866,100	5,369,000
18. Common services .....	2,181,700	—	2,181,700
19. Permanent equipment .....	505,090	—	505,090
<b>TOTAL, PART III</b>	<b>27,772,720</b>	<b>412,370</b>	<b>28,185,090</b>
<i>Part IV. European Office</i>			
20. European Office .....	4,228,050	—( 60,050)	4,168,000
<b>TOTAL, PART IV</b>	<b>4,228,050</b>	<b>—( 60,050)</b>	<b>4,168,000</b>

<sup>18</sup> See *Official Records of the third session of the General Assembly, Part I, Resolutions*, page 150.

<i>Section</i>	<i>Amount appropriated as adjusted under paragraph 4 of resolution 252 (III) A</i>	<i>Supplementary appropriation increase or decrease</i>	<i>Revised amounts of appropriation</i>
		<i>In dollars (US)</i>	
<i>Part V. Information Centres</i>			
21. Information centres (other than information services, European Office) .....	806,040	—( 46,040)	760,000
TOTAL, PART V	806,040	—( 46,040)	760,000
<i>Part VI. Regional Economic Commissions (other than the Economic Commission for Europe)</i>			
22. Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East .....	647,660	—(122,660)	525,000
23. Economic Commission for Latin America.....	405,550	—	405,550
TOTAL, PART VI	1,053,210	—(122,660)	930,550
<i>Part VII. Hospitality</i>			
24. Hospitality .....	20,000	—	20,000
TOTAL, PART VII	20,000	—	20,000
<i>Part VIII. Advisory social welfare functions</i>			
25. Advisory social welfare functions.....	656,900	—( 20,300)	636,600
TOTAL, PART VIII	656,900	—( 20,300)	636,600
<i>Part IX. Undistributed expenses</i>			
26. Cost of the adoption of Spanish as a working language .....	—	—	—
TOTAL, PART IX	—	—	—
<b>B. THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE</b>			
<i>Part X. The International Court of Justice</i>			
27. Salaries and expenses of members of the Court	375,000	—( 34,000)	341,000
28. Salaries, wages and expenses of the Registry...	205,000	—( 14,000)	191,000
29. Common services .....	60,000	—( 11,000)	49,000
30. Permanent equipment .....	10,000	—( 2,000)	8,000
TOTAL, PART X	650,000	—( 61,000)	589,000
UNITED NATIONS (Supplementary provisions)			
<i>Part XI. Cost of converting salaries and allowances from net to gross and increase in Headquarters cost-of-living allowances</i>			
31. Cost of converting salaries and allowances from net to gross and increase in Headquarters cost-of-living allowances .....	80,035	—( 80,035)	—
TOTAL, PART XI	80,035	—( 80,035)	—
GRAND TOTAL	43,487,128	—(283,048)	43,204,080
32. Global reduction on provisions for contractual printing .....	—	—	—
GRAND TOTAL AFTER REDUCTION	43,487,128	—(283,048)	43,204,080

2. Miscellaneous income to be appropriated in aid of the above expenditures, which was estimated at \$US4,794,550 by paragraph 2 of resolution 252 (III) A, is hereby increased by \$108,890 and estimated at \$4,903,440;

3. Amounts not exceeding the above appropriations shall be available for the payment of obligations in respect of goods supplied and services rendered during the period 1 January 1949 to 31 December 1949.

*274th plenary meeting,  
9 December 1949.*