

Nations, the contributions to the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon until 18 December 1980 of the Member State referred to in paragraph 1 of the present section shall be treated as miscellaneous income to be set off against the apportionments authorized in section III above.

*89th plenary meeting  
10 December 1980*

## B

### *The General Assembly,*

*Having regard* to the financial position of the Special Account for the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon, as set forth in the report of the Secretary-General,<sup>19</sup> and referring to paragraph 7 of the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,<sup>20</sup>

*Mindful* of the fact that it is essential to provide the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon with the necessary financial resources to enable it to fulfil its responsibilities under the relevant resolutions of the Security Council,

*Concerned* that the Secretary-General is continuing to face growing difficulties in meeting the obligations of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon on a current basis, particularly those due to the Governments of troop-contributing States,

*Recalling* its resolution 34/9 E of 17 December 1979,

*Recognizing* that, in consequence of the withholding of contributions by certain Member States, the surplus balances in the Special Account for the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon have, in effect, been drawn upon to the full extent to supplement the income received from contributions for meeting expenses of the Force,

*Concerned* that the application of the provisions of regulations 5.2 (b), 5.2 (d), 4.3 and 4.4 of the Financial Regulations of the United Nations would aggravate the already difficult financial situation of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon,

*Decides* that the provisions of regulations 5.2 (b), 5.2 (d), 4.3 and 4.4 of the Financial Regulations of the United Nations shall be suspended in respect of the amount of \$2,173,113, which otherwise would have to be surrendered pursuant to those provisions, this amount to be entered in the account referred to in the operative part of General Assembly resolution 34/9 E and held in suspense until a further decision is taken by the Assembly.

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10 December 1980*

### **35/208. Financial reports and accounts, and reports of the Board of Auditors**

#### *The General Assembly,*

*Having considered* the financial reports and accounts for the financial period ended 31 December 1979 of the United Nations,<sup>21</sup> the United Nations Development

<sup>21</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 5 (A/35/5)*, vol. I, sects. I and IV; vol. II; vol. III, sects. I and IV; and vol. IV, sects. I and IV.

Programme,<sup>22</sup> the United Nations Children's Fund,<sup>23</sup> the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East,<sup>24</sup> the United Nations Institute for Training and Research,<sup>25</sup> the voluntary funds administered by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees,<sup>26</sup> the Fund of the United Nations Environment Programme,<sup>27</sup> the United Nations Fund for Population Activities<sup>28</sup> and the United Nations Habitat and Human Settlements Foundation,<sup>29</sup> the audit opinions of the Board of Auditors<sup>30</sup> and the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,<sup>31</sup>

1. *Accepts* the financial reports and accounts and the audit opinions of the Board of Auditors;

2. *Expresses its appreciation* for the observations and comments made by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions in its report;

3. *Requests* the Board of Auditors and the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions to continue to give greater attention to those areas on which they have made observations and comments;

4. *Requests* the executive heads of the organizations and programmes concerned to take such remedial action as may be required by the comments and observations made by the Board of Auditors in its reports.<sup>32</sup>

*99th plenary meeting  
17 December 1980*

### **35/209. Identification of activities that have been completed or are obsolete, of marginal usefulness or ineffective**

#### *The General Assembly,*

*Recalling* its resolutions 3534 (XXX) of 17 December 1975, 31/93 of 14 December 1976, 32/201 of 21 December 1977, 33/204 of 29 January 1979 and 34/225 of 20 December 1979,

*Reaffirming* the importance of identifying activities that have been completed or are obsolete, of marginal usefulness or ineffective in order to redeploy resources to finance new United Nations activities,

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General<sup>33</sup> submitted to the General Assembly at the

<sup>22</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 5A (A/35/5/Add.1), sects. I and IV.

<sup>23</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 5B (A/35/5/Add.2), part one, sects. I and V; and part two, sect. II.

<sup>24</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 5C (A/35/5/Add.3), sects. III-V.

<sup>25</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 5D (A/35/5/Add.4), sects. I and IV.

<sup>26</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 5E (A/35/5/Add.5), sect. III.

<sup>27</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 5F (A/35/5/Add.6), sects. I and IV.

<sup>28</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 5G (A/35/5/Add.7), sects. I and IV.

<sup>29</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 5H (A/35/5/Add.8), sects. I and IV.

<sup>30</sup> *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 5 (A/35/5), vol. I, sect. III; vol. III, sect. III; and vol. IV, sect. III; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5A (A/35/5/Add.1), sect. III; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5B (A/35/5/Add.2), part one, sect. III; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5C (A/35/5/Add.3), sect. II; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5D (A/35/5/Add.4), sect. III; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5E (A/35/5/Add.5), sect. II; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5F (A/35/5/Add.6), sect. III; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5G (A/35/5/Add.7), sect. III; and *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5H (A/35/5/Add.8), sect. III.

<sup>31</sup> A/35/437.

<sup>32</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 5 (A/35/5)*, vol. I, sect. II; vol. III, sect. II; and vol. IV, sect. II; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5A (A/35/5/Add.1), sect. II; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5B (A/35/5/Add.2), part one, sect. II; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5C (A/35/5/Add.3), sect. I; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5D (A/35/5/Add.4), sect. II; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5E (A/35/5/Add.5), sect. I; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5F (A/35/5/Add.6), sect. II; *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5G (A/35/5/Add.7), sect. II; and *ibid.*, Supplement No. 5H (A/35/5/Add.8), sect. II.

<sup>33</sup> A/C.5/35/40 and Add.1.