

responsible for the recruitment of Secretariat staff, at all levels;

(b) The early introduction of an accelerated language instruction programme and of a language bonus for staff in the Professional category subject to geographical distribution who use two working languages, with the understanding that the institution of a language bonus system will not be implemented before 1969, so that the General Assembly at its twenty-third session may consider a full report to be submitted to it by the Secretary-General on practical measures for the implementation of this system, and of such other incentives as he considers feasible to encourage broad linguistic proficiencies;

4. *Requests* the Secretary-General to state in his report to the General Assembly at its twenty-third session what steps have been taken to give effect to the provisions of the present resolution.

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2360 (XXII). Implementation of the recommendations of the *Ad Hoc* Committee of Experts to Examine the Finances of the United Nations and the Specialized Agencies

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The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 2049 (XX) of 13 December 1965 and 2150 (XXI) of 4 November 1966 relating to the work of the *Ad Hoc* Committee of Experts to Examine the Finances of the United Nations and the Specialized Agencies,

Recalling in particular the provisions of resolutions 2150 (XXI) approving the recommendations contained in the second report of the *Ad Hoc* Committee, of 19 July 1966,²⁶ and calling for their earliest possible implementation,

Noting further Economic and Social Council resolutions 1264 (XLIII) of 3 August 1967, 1277 A (XLIII) of 4 August 1967 and 1280 (XLIII) of 4 August 1967, and the pertinent paragraphs of section III of Council resolution 1275 (XLIII) of 4 August 1967,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 2150 (XXI),²⁷ and the observations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions²⁸ on this report,

Having noted the report of the Secretary-General on the Panel of External Auditors of the United Nations and the specialized agencies,²⁹

1. *Notes* that some of the recommendations of the *Ad Hoc* Committee have been implemented by the United Nations and the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency and that numerous other recommendations are under study or review for the purpose of their implementation;

2. *Recognizes* that the Joint Inspection Unit should be brought into operation not later than 1 January 1968 and that the assurances given concerning the

independence, powers and functions of the Unit will be fully observed;

3. *Reaffirms* the continuing concern of the General Assembly that rapid progress should be made by the United Nations, the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency in completing the studies which are to be made and in carrying out the recommendations contained in the *Ad Hoc* Committee's second report;

4. *Invites* the Secretary-General, as chief administrative officer of the United Nations and in his capacity as Chairman of the Administrative Committee on Coordination, to submit to all Members and to the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, at the earliest possible date and in any event not later than 30 April 1968, a report giving fuller information on the implementation by the United Nations, by the individual specialized agencies and by the International Atomic Energy Agency of each of the specific recommendations contained in the *Ad Hoc* Committee's report, indicating not only their positions and the action they have taken to date but also what further action they propose to take and the timing thereof;

5. *Requests* the Economic and Social Council again to give full consideration at its next sessions to the implementation of those recommendations of the *Ad Hoc* Committee which fall within its field of competence and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its twenty-third session;

6. *Decides* that the General Assembly at its twenty-third session, following receipt of an updated report of the Secretary-General and the comments of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions thereon, shall again consider the current state of the implementation of the *Ad Hoc* Committee's recommendations by the United Nations family of organizations.

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The General Assembly

Endorses the conclusions of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as set out in part III of its tenth report to the General Assembly at its twenty-second session.³⁰

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The President of the General Assembly, on the basis of the recommendation of the Ad Hoc Committee of Experts to Examine the Finances of the United Nations and the Specialized Agencies,³¹ as approved by the General Assembly in its resolution 2150 (XXI) of 4 November 1966, designated ARGENTINA to replace MEXICO in the list of States which would nominate candidates for the Joint Inspection Unit.³²

As a result, that list comprises the following Member States: ARGENTINA, FRANCE, INDIA, UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS, UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTH-

²⁶ *Ibid.*, *Twenty-first Session, Annexes*, agenda item 80, document A/6343.

²⁷ *Ibid.*, *Twenty-second Session, Annexes*, agenda item 80 document A/6803.

²⁸ *Ibid.*, document A/6853.

²⁹ *Ibid.*, document A/C.5/L.902.

³⁰ *Ibid.*, document A/6887/Rev.1, paras. 16-20.

³¹ *Ibid.*, *Twenty-first Session, Annexes*, agenda item 80, document A/6343, para. 67, B.

³² See A/6984. See also *Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-second Session, Plenary meetings*, 1619th meeting, paras. 3-6.

ERN IRELAND, UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and YUGOSLAVIA.³³

2361 (XXII). Pattern of conferences

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 2116 (XX) of 21 December 1965 and 2239 (XXI) of 20 December 1966 on the pattern of conferences,

1. Takes note of the report of the Committee on Conferences;³⁴

2. Approves the calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations for 1968 contained in annex II, parts I and II, of the report of the Committee on Conferences;

³³ The composition of the Joint Inspection Unit, as communicated to the members of the General Assembly in the note by the Secretary-General dated 4 January 1968 (A/7034), is as follows: Mr. Maurice Bertrand (France), Mr. Lucio García del Solar (Argentina), Mr. Sreten Ilić (Yugoslavia), Mr. Robert Macy (United States of America), Mr. R. S. Mani (India), Mr. Joseph Adolf Sawe (United Republic of Tanzania), Sir Leonard Scopes (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland) and Mr. Aleksei Fedorovich Sokirkin (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics).

³⁴ Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-second Session, Annexes, agenda item 75, document A/6991/Rev.2.

3. Reaffirms the decision contained in paragraph 4 of its resolution 2116 (XX) that any meeting—other than an emergency meeting, in the sense of a meeting which cannot be deferred without serious detriment to the United Nations—not covered by the basic programme for a given year shall not be held during that year;

4. Endorses resolution 1264 (XLIII) adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its 1505th meeting on 3 August 1967, and, with particular reference to paragraph 3 of that resolution, requests all other organs and subsidiary bodies of the United Nations to take the necessary steps to review their methods of work and calendar of conferences and meetings with a view to reducing the total meeting time;

5. Requests the Committee on Conferences to meet as early as possible in 1968 to begin examination of the schedule of conferences and meetings of the United Nations for 1969 and to examine the schedule for 1970;

6. Requests the Committee on Conferences to review General Assembly resolution 2116 (XX) and to submit to the Assembly at its twenty-third session recommendations relating to the pattern of conferences for the years 1969, 1970 and 1971 and to the definition of the term "major special conference".

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2362 (XXII). Supplementary estimates for the financial year 1967

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BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 1967

The General Assembly

Resolves that for the financial year 1967:

1. The amount of \$US 130,314,230 appropriated by its resolution 2242 A (XXI) of 20 December 1966 shall be increased by \$US 2,769,770 as follows:

Section	Amount appro- priated by resolution 2242 A (XXI)	Increase (or decrease)	Revised amount of appro- priation
	(US dollars)		
<i>Part I. Sessions of the General Assembly, the councils, commissions and committees; special meetings and conferences</i>			
1. Travel and other expenses of representatives and members of commissions, committees and other subsidiary bodies . . .	1,241,750	19,450	1,261,200
2. Special meetings and conferences	1,818,150	(173,880)	1,644,270
TOTAL, PART I	3,059,900	(154,430)	2,905,470
<i>Part II. Staff costs and related expenses</i>			
3. Salaries and wages	57,046,500	239,500	57,286,000
4. Common staff costs	13,572,700	(115,700)	13,457,000
5. Travel of staff	2,011,630	96,000	2,107,630
6. Payments under annex I, paragraphs 2 and 3, of the Staff Regulations; hospitality	121,000	—	121,000
TOTAL, PART II	72,751,830	219,800	72,971,630