

mission, the International Narcotics Control Board, the United Nations Administrative Tribunal and the Human Rights Committee:

	<i>Revised rate of honoraria (US dollars)</i>
Chairmen (Presidents) . . . . .	5 000
Vice-Chairman of the International Narcotics Control Board . . . . .	4 000
Other members . . . . .	3 000
Additional amount payable to members of the International Law Commission, when acting as special rapporteurs, conditional upon the preparation of specific reports of studies between sessions of the Commission	2 500

2. *Requests* the Secretary-General to keep the above rates of honoraria under review and to report thereon to the General Assembly when, in his judgement, their revision by the Assembly might be warranted.

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**35/219. Use of Arabic in the subsidiary organs of the General Assembly, in the Security Council and in the Economic and Social Council: amendments to rules 51, 52, 54 and 56 of the rules of procedure of the Assembly**

#### A

*The General Assembly,*

*Referring* to its resolution 3190 (XXVIII) of 18 December 1973, by which it decided to include Arabic among the official and working languages of the General Assembly and its Main Committees,

*Referring also* to its resolution 34/226 of 20 December 1979, by which the Arabic language establishment was put on a par with the establishments for all the other official and working languages,

*Taking into consideration* the fact that the Arabic language services are prevented from issuing documents with the necessary speed and in the necessary quantity because Arabic, unlike the other official and working languages of the United Nations, is used only in the General Assembly and its Main Committees,

*Affirming* that, in the interest of the full effectiveness of the work of the United Nations, Arabic should be accorded the same status as the other official and working languages,

1. *Decides* to include Arabic among the official and working languages of the subsidiary organs of the General Assembly, no later than 1 January 1982;

2. *Requests* the Security Council to include Arabic among its official and working languages and the Economic and Social Council to include Arabic among its official languages, no later than 1 January 1983;

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General to take the necessary measures to that end and to report to the General Assembly at its thirty-sixth session on the implementation of the present resolution.

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#### B

*The General Assembly*

*Adopts* the following amendments to the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, proposed in a note by the Secretariat of 3 December 1980,<sup>82</sup> on the understanding that the new text will take effect on the date of the implementation of paragraph 1 of resolution A above:

(a) Replace rules 51 and 52 by the following text:

#### “VIII. LANGUAGES

“*Official and working languages*

“*Rule 51*

“Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish shall be both the official and the working languages of the General Assembly, its committees and its subcommittees.

“*Interpretation*

“*Rule 52*

“Speeches made in any of the six languages of the General Assembly shall be interpreted into the other five languages.”

(b) Replace rule 54 by the following text:

“*Languages of verbatim and summary records*

“*Rule 54*

“Verbatim or summary records shall be drawn up as soon as possible in the languages of the General Assembly.”

(c) Replace rule 56 by the following text:

“*Languages of resolutions and other documents*

“*Rule 56*

“All resolutions and other documents shall be published in the languages of the General Assembly.”

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**35/220. Emoluments of and pension scheme for the members of the International Court of Justice**

#### A

#### EMOLUMENTS

*The General Assembly,*

*Recalling* its resolutions 3537 B (XXX) of 17 December 1975 and 31/204 of 22 December 1976 on the emoluments of the members of the International Court of Justice,

*Having considered* the report of the Secretary-General<sup>83</sup> and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,<sup>84</sup>

1. *Decides* that, with effect from 1 January 1981, the annual salary of the members of the International Court of Justice shall be \$70,000;

<sup>82</sup> A/C.5/35/L.30.

<sup>83</sup> A/C.5/35/33.

<sup>84</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 7A (A/35/7/Add.1-32), document A/35/7/Add.10.*

2. *Decides* to continue the system of interim cost-of-living supplements introduced pursuant to paragraph 2 of General Assembly resolution 31/204, subject to rebasing and modifying the index used for this purpose in accordance with the suggestion made by the Secretary-General in paragraph 18 of his report;

3. *Decides further* that the *ad hoc* judges referred to in Article 31 of the Statute of the International Court of Justice shall receive a fee of \$192 for each day on which they exercise their functions and that those *ad hoc* judges who do not normally live at The Hague shall receive an additional daily subsistence payment equal to one three-hundred-and-sixty-fifth of the interim cost-of-living supplement payable at the time to a member of the Court.

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### PENSION SCHEME

*The General Assembly,*

*Recalling* its resolutions 1562 (XV) of 18 December 1960, 1925 (XVIII) of 11 December 1963, 2367 (XXII) of 19 December 1967, 2890 A (XXVI) of 22 December 1971, 3193 A (XXVIII) of 18 December 1973 and 3537 A (XXX) of 17 December 1975, on the pension scheme for members of the International Court of Justice,

*Having considered* the report of the Secretary-General<sup>83</sup> and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,<sup>84</sup>

*Decides* that, with effect from 1 January 1981 and notwithstanding any provision to the contrary contained in the Pension Scheme Regulations for members of the International Court of Justice, the annual value of all pensions in course of payment as at 31 December 1980, including the pensions of any members of the Court who retire on or before that date, shall be increased by 40 per cent, and that the maximum child's benefit payable under article IV, paragraph 1 (a), of the Regulations shall be increased from \$860 to \$1,200 annually.

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### 35/221. Conditions of service and compensation for officials, other than Secretariat officials, serving the General Assembly

*The General Assembly,*

*Having considered* the report of the Secretary-General,<sup>85</sup>

1. *Decides* that, with effect from 1 January 1981, the annual compensation of the two full-time members of the International Civil Service Commission and of the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions shall be \$67,000, with an additional allowance of \$5,000 for the Chairman of the Commission and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee;

<sup>85</sup> A/C.5/35/53.

2. *Decides* that the compensation and other conditions of service of the full-time members of the International Civil Service Commission and of the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions shall next be reviewed at the fortieth session of the General Assembly and thereafter normally every five years;

3. *Decides* that, in between such periodic reviews, the annual compensation shall be adjusted in accordance with the procedure described in paragraph 11 of the report of the Secretary-General.

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### 35/222. United Nations accommodation at Nairobi

*The General Assembly,*

*Having considered* the report of the Secretary-General<sup>86</sup> and that of the Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme,<sup>87</sup>

*Having also considered* the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,<sup>88</sup>

*Recalling* its resolution 32/208 of 21 December 1977, in which it approved the construction of the permanent headquarters facilities for the United Nations Environment Programme at Nairobi,

*Recalling further* section XI of its resolution 34/233 of 20 December 1979, in which it approved additional office space and conference facilities for the United Nations Centre for Human Settlements (Habitat),

*Taking into account* that the United Nations accommodation at Nairobi is the first such accommodation to be established in a developing country,

1. *Expresses its appreciation* to the Secretary-General and the Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme for their efforts to provide the General Assembly with a more economical alternative for the accommodation of the United Nations at Nairobi;

2. *Decides* to approve the proposals contained in the report of the Executive Director and also decides to restore the two major conference rooms as envisaged in the original project, as approved by the General Assembly in 1977, and the necessary adjustment of catering, library and documentation facilities within the total appropriation of 254,944,000 Kenyan shillings approved by the Assembly in 1979;

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General to proceed, without delay, with the construction and to submit a progress report to the General Assembly at its thirty-sixth session and on an annual basis thereafter until the project is completed.

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<sup>86</sup> A/C.5/35/35.

<sup>87</sup> A/C.5/35/35/Add.1.

<sup>88</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-fifth Session, Supplement No. 7A (A/35/7/Add.1-32), document A/35/7/Add.11.*