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56/240. Programme budget for the biennium 2000–2001

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FINAL BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE BIENNIUM 2000–2001

The General Assembly

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General on the final appropriation for the biennium $2000-2001^2$ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;³

2. *Requests* the Board of Auditors, when auditing the accounts of the United Nations for the biennium 2000–2001, to pay particular attention to expenditure sections with overexpenditures which were approved in General Assembly resolution 56/240 A of 24 December 2001 as well as sections with large amounts of unliquidated obligations to ensure their validity;

3. *Resolves* that for the biennium 2000–2001, the revised appropriation and commitment authority totalling 2,561,578,000 United States dollars approved in its resolution 56/240 A of shall be decreased by 391,100 dollars as follows, resulting in a final appropriation of 2,561,186,900 dollars:

¹ For resolutions 56/240 A and B, see *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-sixth Session, Supplement No.* 49 (A/56/49), vol. I, sect. VI.

² A/56/866.

³ A/56/868.

		Revised appropriation and the commitment authority approved in General Assembly resolution 56/240 A	Increase/ (decrease)	Final appropriation			
Section		(Unite	d States dollars)				
Part I.	Overall policy-making, direction and coordination						
	1. Overall policy-making direction and coordination	45 469 800	257 500	45 727 300			
	2. General Assembly affairs and conference services	445 868 700	898 800	446 767 500			
	Total, part I	491 338 500	1 156 300	492 494 800			
Part II.	Political affairs						
	3. Political affairs	161 749 000	(3 185 700)	158 563 300			
	4. Disarmament	14 165 900	(378 600)	13 787 300			
	5. Peacekeeping operations	70 816 400	(916 800)	69 899 600			
	6. Peaceful uses of outer space	3 449 900	(79 900)	3 370 000			
	Total, part II	250 181 200	(4 561 000)	245 620 200			
Part III.	International justice and law						
	7. International Court of Justice	22 248 700	(62 300)	22 186 400			
	8. Legal affairs	33 537 400	(234 400)	33 303 000			
	Total, part III	55 786 100	(296 700)	55 489 400			
Part IV.	International cooperation for development						
	9. Economic and social affairs	114 150 400	137 800	114 288 200			
	10. Africa: New Agenda for Development	5 218 600	(145 500)	5 073 100			
	11A. Trade and development	82 499 800	(62 700)	82 437 100			
	11B. International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO	17 256 800	(417 300)	16 839 500			
	12. Environment	8 596 800	(85 200)	8 511 600			
	13. Human settlements	14 905 200	(90 200)	14 815 000			
	14. Crime prevention and criminal justice	4 825 200	(100)	4 825 100			
	15. International drug control	14 027 700	(1 200)	14 026 500			
	Total, part IV	261 480 500	(664 400)	260 816 100			
Part V.	Regional cooperation for development						
	16. Economic and social development in Africa	71 481 500	554 100	72 035 600			
	17. Economic and social development in Asia and the Pacific	53 899 900	(554 200)	53 345 700			
	18. Economic development in Europe	39 163 100	(400)	39 162 700			
	19. Economic and social development in Latin America and the Caribbean	76 872 000	(35 900)	76 836 100			
	20. Economic and social development in Western Asia	45 698 200	31 300	45 729 500			
	21. Regular programme of technical cooperation	41 210 400	(136 700)	41 073 700			
	Total, part V	328 325 100	(141 800)	328 183 300			
Part VI.	Human rights and humanitarian affairs						
	22. Human rights	38 965 300	(908 900)	38 056 400			
	23. Protection of and assistance to refugees	40 385 300	14 600	40 399 900			
	24. Palestine refugees	24 314 700	(335 400)	23 979 300			
	25. Humanitarian assistance	18 394 100	(100)	18 394 000			
	Total, part VI	122 059 400	(1 229 800)	120 829 600			

			Revised appropriation and the commitment authority approved in General Assembly resolution 56/240 A	Increase/ (decrease)	Final appropriation		
Section	(United States dollars)						
Part VII.	Publ	ic information					
	26.	Public information	141 282 100	(145 900)	141 136 200		
		Total, part VII	141 282 100	(145 900)	141 136 200		
Part VIII.	Common support services						
	27.	Management and central support services	437 961 000	1 638 800	439 599 800		
		A. Office of the Under-Secretary-General for Management	11 374 100	125 400	11 499 500		
		B. Office of Programme Planning, Budget and Accounts	22 762 500	(39 000)	22 723 500		
		C. Office of Human Resources Management	49 166 600	(74 500)	49 092 100		
		D. Office of Central Support Services	230 721 500	1 765 700	232 487 200		
		E. Administration, Geneva	84 897 700	(6 900)	84 890 800		
		F. Administration, Vienna	23 851 900	(115 900)	23 736 000		
		G. Administration, Nairobi	15 186 700	(16 000)	15 170 700		
		Total, part VIII	437 961 000	1 638 800	439 599 800		
Part IX.	Internal oversight						
	28.	Internal oversight	18 256 800	218 700	18 475 500		
		Total, part IX	18 256 800	218 700	18 475 500		
Part X.	Join	tly financed administrative activities and special expenses					
	29.	Jointly financed administrative activities	7 605 100	(113 200)	7 491 900		
	30.	Special expenses	53 376 200	896 000	54 272 200		
		Total, part X	60 981 300	782 800	61 764 100		
Part XI.	Capital expenditures						
	31.	Construction, alteration, improvement and major maintenance	49 401 600	(1 533 100)	47 868 500		
		Total, part XI	49 401 600	(1 533 100)	47 868 500		
Part XII.	Staff	assessment					
	32.	Staff assessment	331 459 400	4 385 000	335 844 400		
		Total, part XII	331 459 400	4 385 000	335 844 400		
Part XIII.	Deve	elopment Account					
	33.	Development Account	13 065 000	-	13 065 000		
		Total, part XIII	13 065 000	-	13 065 000		
		Grand total	2 561 578 000	(391 100)	2 561 186 900		

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FINAL INCOME ESTIMATES FOR THE BIENNIUM 2000–2001

The General Assembly

Resolves that, for the biennium 2000–2001:

(*a*) The provisional estimates of income of 379,673,500 United States dollars approved by its resolution 56/240 B of 24 December 2001 shall be increased by 3,741,700 dollars as follows:

		Grand total	379 673 500	3 741 700	383 415 200
		Total, income sections 2 and 3	44 644 400	(1 099 000)	43 545 400
3.	Services to the public		918 700	(1 704 600)	(785 900)
2.	General income		43 725 700	605 600	44 331 300
		Total, income section 1	335 029 100	4 840 700	339 869 800
1.	Income from staff assessment		335 029 100	4 840 700	339 869 800
Income section			(United States dollars)		
			Provisional estimate approved by the General Assembly in its resolution 56/240 B	Increase/ (decrease)	Income estimate

(b) The income from staff assessment shall be credited to the Tax Equalization Fund in accordance with the provisions of General Assembly resolution 973(X) of 15 December 1955;

(c) Direct expenses of the United Nations Postal Administration, services to visitors, catering and related services, garage operations, television services and the sale of publications, not provided for under the budget appropriations, shall be charged against the income derived from those activities.

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FINANCING OF THE FINAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE BIENNIUM 2000-2001

The General Assembly

Decides that for the biennium 2000–2001, the required additional assessment (32,213,600 United States dollars gross, or 25,469,000 dollars net) will be taken into account in the context of determining regular budget assessments for the year 2003 at the fifty-seventh session of the General Assembly, consistent with the provisions of regulation 5.2 (*a*) and (*b*) of the Financial Regulations of the United Nations, and invites the Committee on Contributions to proffer its recommendations on the appropriate scale of assessment to be used, in keeping with the provisions of the Financial Regulations of the United Nations.

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