

Decision 2017/259

Report on the flow of financial resources for assisting in the further implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development

At its 42nd plenary meeting, on 7 July 2017, the Economic and Social Council:

(a) Recalling General Assembly resolution [49/128](#) of 19 December 1994, in which the Assembly requested the Secretary-General to prepare periodic reports for the substantive sessions of the Council on the flow of financial resources for assisting in the implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development and to promote the exchange of information on the requirements for international assistance among the members of the donor community,

(b) Recalling also its resolution 1995/55 of 28 July 1995, in which it endorsed the terms of reference proposed by the Commission on Population and Development in the report on its twenty-eighth session ([E/1995/27](#)), which include reviewing on a regular basis the flow of financial resources and the funding mechanisms to achieve the goals and objectives of the Programme of Action,

(c) Recalling further its resolution 2016/25 of 27 July 2016 on the future organization and methods of work of the Commission,

Decided to request the United Nations Population Fund, in consultation with the Secretariat, to provide, in the context of the report on the flow of financial resources to be submitted to the Commission at its fifty-first session in 2018, a minimum of 45 days prior to the commencement of the session, information on a potential revision of the methods, categories and data sources used as the basis for preparing this report, with technical recommendations on, inter alia, the future scope, format and periodicity of the report; and that the Commission should review the technical recommendations at its fifty-first session.