

Note by the Secretary-General on the comprehensive report on training in peacekeeping⁴⁷

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations⁴⁸

Report on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2007, and note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments thereon⁴⁹

62/547. Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials: members of the International Court of Justice and judges and ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda

At its 91st plenary meeting, on 3 April 2008, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee,⁵⁰ having considered the report of the Secretary-General⁵¹ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions:⁵²

(a) Endorsed the conclusions and recommendations of the Advisory Committee contained in paragraphs 8 and 9 of its report;⁵²

(b) Decided to set, effective 1 April 2008, the annual net base salary of the members of the International Court of Justice and judges and ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda at 158,000 United States dollars, with the corresponding post adjustment per multiplier point equal to 1 per cent of the net base salary, to which would be applied the post adjustment multiplier for the Netherlands or the United Republic of Tanzania, as appropriate, taking into account the adjustment mechanism as proposed by the Secretary-General in paragraph 77 of his report;⁵³

(c) Recalled paragraph 11 of its resolution 61/262 of 4 April 2007 and decided to revert to the issue of the pension scheme during the second part of its resumed sixty-second session.

62/549. Use of 300-series and 100-series appointments

At its 109th plenary meeting, on 20 June 2008, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee:⁵⁴

(a) Decided to continue to suspend the application of the four-year maximum limit for appointments of limited duration until 31 December 2008;

(b) Authorized the Secretary-General, bearing in mind paragraph (a) above, to reappoint, under the 100 series of the Staff Rules, those mission staff whose service under 300-series contracts reached the four-year limit by 31 December 2008, provided that their functions were reviewed and found necessary and their performance was confirmed as fully satisfactory;

(c) Requested the Secretary-General to continue the practice of using 300-series contracts as the primary instrument for the appointment of new staff.

⁴⁷ A/62/676.

⁴⁸ A/62/781.

⁴⁹ A/62/281 (Part II) and Add.1.

⁵⁰ A/62/563/Add.3, para. 9.

⁵¹ A/62/538 and Add.1 and 2.

⁵² A/62/7/Add.36. For the final text, see *Official Records of the General Assembly, Sixty-second Session, Supplement No. 7A*.

⁵³ A/62/538.

⁵⁴ A/62/600/Add.1, para. 14.