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INTRODUCTION

The *Index to Proceedings of the General Assembly* is a bibliographic guide to the proceedings and documentation of the General Assembly. This issue covers the fifty-ninth session of the Assembly including its Main and ad hoc committees. The Index is prepared by the Dag Hammarskjöld Library, Department of Public Information, as one of the products of the United Nations Bibliographic Information System (UNBIS).

ARRANGEMENT OF THE INDEX

Part I consists of the following sections:

Sessional information, listing officers, and providing information on the rules of procedure and on the republication of the resolutions and decisions;

Check-list of meetings, listing the plenary meetings of the Assembly and the meetings of the Main Committees;

Principal organs and subsidiary bodies to which members were elected or appointed during the fifty-ninth session of the General Assembly, listing members and their term of office;

Agenda, listing items considered by and brought before the General Assembly together with the subject headings under which they appear in the Subject index;

Subject index, providing topical access to General Assembly documentation arranged alphabetically by agenda subjects and listing documents submitted under each agenda item, the meetings at which the items were considered and the action taken on each item;

List of documents, listing documents issued in connection with the session and providing information on the republication of provisional documents in the printed *Supplements to Official Records*;

Reports of the Main and procedural committees, providing a listing by subject of the reports on the items discussed in the committees;

Resolutions adopted during the fifty-ninth session, indicating the number and title of each resolution, the meeting number and date, the agenda item number, and the vote where appropriate;

Voting chart of resolutions adopted by recorded or roll-call vote, indicating the vote of each Member State.

Part II (*Index to speeches*) is subdivided into three sections: corporate names/countries, speakers and subjects.

DOCUMENTATION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The symbols of the documents of the General Assembly begin with *A/-*, followed by the session number and an indication of the type of document or Main Committee to which they apply. The number following indicates the number of the document issued in that specific series.

For example: *A/59/62* is the sixty-second in the series of main documents of the fifty-ninth session; *A/INF/59/3* is the third in the information series; *A/C.5/59/L.20* is the twentieth in the series of limited distribution documents of the Fifth Committee.

In the series of main documents of the General Assembly's fifty-ninth session, the symbols *A/59/1* to *A/59/52* are the *Supplements to the Official Records of the General Assembly* for that session.

Meeting records are numbered in a similar way. Thus the verbatim record of the first plenary meeting of the fifty-ninth session of the General Assembly bears the symbol *A/59/PV.1*, while the summary record of the fifteenth meeting of the Third Committee bears the symbol *A/C.3/59/SR.15*.

In accordance with criteria approved by the General Assembly for the provision of meeting records of United Nations bodies, the verbatim records of the plenary meetings and of the First Committee, as well as the summary records of the other Committees are issued in only one form, as *Official Records of the General Assembly*. Corrections are issued after the end of each session in consolidated corrigenda.

Of the other documents, a few appear as printed *Supplements to the Official Records* (this is noted in the index).

Resolutions adopted by the General Assembly, first issued separately, are collected in a printed *Supplement* to the *Official Records* of each session. After their republication in the *Official Records*, these provisional documents are no longer available.

Some double-symbol documents (issued with both *A/-* and *SI-* symbols) are republished only in the *Supplements to the Official Records of the Security Council*.

HOW TO OBTAIN DOCUMENTS

Printed documentation of each session of the General Assembly may be obtained or purchased from authorized sales agents by providing the following information:

Official Records of the General Assembly fifty-ninth session:

Meeting ... (specify plenary or committee meeting number) for verbatim or summary record fascicles.

Supplement No. ... (specify supplement number) for documents issued in this form.

Annexes, Agenda item ... (specify agenda item number) for documents republished in the *Annexes*.

ABBREVIATIONS

ACABQ	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions
Add.	Addendum, addenda
AIDS	Acquired immune deficiency syndrome
Art.	Article
ASEAN	Association of South-East Asian Nations
ch.	chapter(s)
Corr.	Corrigendum; corrigenda
DPI	Department of Public Information
ECA	Economic Commission for Africa
ECE	Economic Commission for Europe
ECLAC	Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean
ECOSOC	Economic and Social Council
EEC	European Economic Community
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
ESCOR	<i>Official Records of the Economic and Social Council</i>
ESCWA	Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia
EURATOM	European Atomic Energy Community
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
Fasc.	Fascicle(s)
FMLN	Frente Farabundo Martí para la Liberación Nacional
GAOR	<i>Official Records of the General Assembly</i>
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
IBRD	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
ICJ	International Court of Justice
ICSC	International Civil Service Commission
ILO	International Labour Organisation
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMO	International Maritime Organization
INSTRAW	International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women

ITU	International Telecommunication Union
JIU	Joint Inspection Unit
MINUGUA	United Nations Verification Mission in Guatemala
MINURSO	United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara
MINUSTAH	United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti
MONUA	United Nations Observer Mission in Angola
MONUC	United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
no.	number(s)
OAS	Organization of American States
OAU	Organization of African Unity
OIC	Organization of the Islamic Conference
ONUB	United Nations Operation in Burundi
OSCE	Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe
PLO	Palestine Liberation Organization
POLISARIO	Frente Popular para la Liberación de Sagula el-Hamra y de Río de Oro
Rev.	Revision
sess.	Session
Suppl.	Supplement
UN	United Nations
UNAMET	United Nations Mission in East Timor
UNAMSIL	United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone
UNAVEM	United Nations Angola Verification Mission
UNCITRAL	United Nations Commission on International Trade Law
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
UNDOF	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNDRO	Office of the United Nations Disaster Relief Coordinator
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
Unesco	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization

UNFICYP	United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNHCR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNIDIR	United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization
UNIFIL	United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon
UNIKOM	United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission
UNITAR	United Nations Institute for Training and Research
United Kingdom	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
United States	United States of America
UNMEE	United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
UNMIBH	United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina
UNMIH	United Nations Mission in Haiti
UNMIK	United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
UNMIS	United Nations Mission in the Sudan
UNMISSET	United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor
UNOCI	United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire
UNOMIG	United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia
UNOMIL	United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia
UNRWA	United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East
vol., vols.	volume(s)
WHO	World Health Organization
WMO	World Meteorological Organization

SESSIONAL INFORMATION

The fifty-ninth session of the General Assembly was held at United Nations Headquarters in New York. The session was declared open on Tuesday, 14 September 2004, by the President, Jean Ping, Chairman of the delegation of Gabon. It was declared closed on Tuesday, 13 September 2005.

A list of members of delegations to the session is contained in documents ST/SG/SER.C/L.613 and Add. 1. (to be published as *List of delegations (GAOR 59th session)*).

OFFICERS

President: Jean Ping (Gabon) was elected by acclamation at the 89th plenary meeting, 58th sess.

Vice-Presidents: Representatives of the following Member States were elected at the 90th plenary meeting, 58th sess.: Algeria, Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belgium, Burkina Faso, China, Djibouti, El Salvador, France, Ghana, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kazakhstan, Nicaragua, Russian Federation, Syrian Arab Republic, United Kingdom, United States, Uzbekistan and Zambia.

Credentials Committee

Chairman: Nana Effah-Apenteng (Ghana) was elected by acclamation at the 1st plenary meeting.

Members: Representatives of the following Member States were elected at the 1st plenary meeting: Benin, Bhutan, China, Ghana, Liechtenstein, Russian Federation, Trinidad and Tobago, United States and Uruguay.

General Committee

Chairman: Jean Ping (Gabon), President of the General Assembly.

Disarmament and International Security Committee (First Committee)

Chairman: Luis Alfonso de Alba (Mexico) was elected by acclamation at the 24th meeting, 58th sess.

Vice-Chairmen: Dziunik Aghajanian (Armenia), Alon Bar (Israel) and Sylvester Ekundayo Rowe (Sierra Leone) were elected by acclamation at the 24th meeting, 58th sess.

Rapporteur: Mohamed Ali Saleh Alnajjar (Yemen) was elected by acclamation at the 24th meeting, 58th sess.

Secretary: Cheryl Stoute.

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

Chairman: Kyaw Tint Swe (Myanmar) was elected by acclamation at the 25th meeting, 58th sess.

Vice-Chairmen: Helfried Carl (Austria), Eduardo Calderon (Ecuador) and Andrej Droba (Slovakia) were elected by acclamation at the 25th meeting, 58th sess.

Rapporteur: Kais Kabtani (Tunisia) was elected by acclamation at the 25th meeting, 58th sess.

Secretary: Saijin Zhang.

Economic and Financial Committee (Second Committee)

Chairman: Marco Balarezo (Peru) was elected by acclamation at the 41st meeting, 58th sess.

Vice-Chairmen: Antonio Bernardini (Italy), Majdi Ramadan (Lebanon) and Ewa Anzorge (Poland) were elected by acclamation at the 41st meeting, 58th sess.

Rapporteur: Azanaw Tadesse Abreha (Ethiopia) was elected by acclamation at the 41st meeting, 58th sess.

Secretary: Nikhil Seth.

Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (Third Committee)

Chairman: Valeri Kuchinski (Ukraine) was elected by acclamation at the 63rd meeting, 58th sess.

Vice-Chairmen: Mavis Esi Kusorgbor (Ghana), Astanah Banu Shri Abdul Aziz (Malaysia), and Rachel Groux (Switzerland) were elected by acclamation at the 63rd meeting, 58th sess.

Rapporteur: Carlos Enrique Garcia Gonzalez (El Salvador) was elected by acclamation at the 63rd meeting, 58th sess.

Secretary: Moncef Khane.

Administrative and Budgetary Committee (Fifth Committee)

Chairman: Don MacKay (New Zealand) was elected by acclamation at the 52nd meeting, 58th sess.

Vice-Chairmen: Karen Lock (South Africa), Mohamed Najib Eljy (Syrian Arab Republic) and Karla Samayoa-Ricari (Guatemala) were elected by acclamation at the 52nd meeting, 58th sess.

Rapporteur: Denisa Hutanova (Slovakia) was elected by acclamation at the 52nd meeting, 58th sess.

Secretary: Movses Abelian.

Legal Committee (Sixth Committee)

Chairman: Mohamed Bennouna (Morocco) was elected by acclamation at the 24th meeting, 58th sess.

Vice-Chairmen: Ram Babu Dhakal (Nepal), Carlos Fernando Diaz Paniagua (Costa Rica) and Csaba Simon (Hungary) were elected by acclamation at the 24th meeting, 58th sess.

Rapporteur: Anna Sotaniemi (Finland) was elected by acclamation at the 24th meeting, 58th sess.

Secretary: Václav Mikulka.

RULES OF PROCEDURE

The rules of procedure of the General Assembly, as amended up to 8 Oct. 1993 (A/520/Rev.15 and Amend. 1-2) and further amended by General Assembly resolution 48/264 of 29 July 1994, were in effect during the fifty-ninth session.

RESOLUTIONS AND DECISIONS

Resolutions and decisions of the fifty-ninth session are collected in document A/59/49 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 49).

Resolutions and decisions are also listed in the Subject index under appropriate headings.

CHECK-LIST OF MEETINGS

Plenary (Symbol: A/59/PV.-)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2005</u>
1	14 Sept.	41	26 Oct.	81	15 Feb.
2	17 Sept.	42	27 Oct.	82	8 Mar.
3	21 Sept.	43	27 Oct.	83	21 Mar.
4	21 Sept.	44	28 Oct.	84	29 Mar.
5	22 Sept.	45	28 Oct.	85	6 Apr.
6	22 Sept.	46	29 Oct.	86	6 Apr.
7	23 Sept.	47	1 Nov.	87	7 Apr.
8	23 Sept.	48	1 Nov.	88	7 Apr.
9	24 Sept.	49	4 Nov.	89	8 Apr.
10	24 Sept.	50	8 Nov.	90	8 Apr.
11	27 Sept.	51	11 Nov.	91	13 Apr.
12	27 Sept.	52	11 Nov.	92	15 Apr.
13	28 Sept.	53	15 Nov.	93	21 Apr.
14	28 Sept.	54	16 Nov.	94	28 Apr.
15	29 Sept.	55	16 Nov.	95	5 May
16	29 Sept.	56	17 Nov.	96	9 May
17	30 Sept.	57	18 Nov.	97	11 May
18	4 Oct.	58	22 Nov.	98	27 May
19	4 Oct.	59	22 Nov.	99	2 June
20	5 Oct.	60	23 Nov.	100	2 June
21	7 Oct.	61	29 Nov.	101	6 June
22	7 Oct.	62	30 Nov.	102	13 June
23	8 Oct.	63	30 Nov.	103	13 June
24	11 Oct.	64	1 Dec.	104	22 June
25	11 Oct.	65	2 Dec.	105	23 June
26	12 Oct.	66	3 Dec.	106	27 June
27	12 Oct.	67	6 Dec.	107	27 June
28	13 Oct.	68	8 Dec.	108	28 June
29	13 Oct.	69	8 Dec.	109	28 June
30	14 Oct.	70	10 Dec.	110	28 June
31	14 Oct.	71	10 Dec.	111	11 July
32	15 Oct.	72	15 Dec.	112	12 July
33	18 Oct.	73	17 Dec.	113	14 July
34	18 Oct.	74	20 Dec.	114	18 July
35	19 Oct.	75	22 Dec.	115	26 July
36	19 Oct.	76	23 Dec.	116	24 Aug.
37	20 Oct.			117	12 Sept.
38	21 Oct.		<u>Date, 2005</u>	118	13 Sept.
39	21 Oct.				
40	22 Oct.	77	18 Jan.		
		78	18 Jan.		
		79	19 Jan.		
		80	20 Jan.		

Credentials Committee

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>
1	10 Dec.

CHECK-LIST OF MEETINGS

General Committee (Symbol: A/BUR/59/SR.-)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>
1	15 Sept.
2	15 Sept.
3	30 Sept.
4	13 Oct.
5	27 Oct.
6	10 Nov.
7	29 Nov.

Disarmament and International Security Committee (First Committee) (Symbol: A/C.1/59/PV.-)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>
1	30 Sept.	9	14 Oct.	17	26 Oct.
2	4 Oct.	10	18 Oct.	18	27 Oct.
3	5 Oct.	11	19 Oct.	19	28 Oct.
4	7 Oct.	12	20 Oct.	20	1 Nov.
5	8 Oct.	13	21 Oct.	21	3 Nov.
6	11 Oct.	14	22 Oct.	22	4 Nov.
7	12 Oct.	15	22 Oct.	23	5 Nov.
8	13 Oct.	16	25 Oct.		
					<u>Date, 2005</u>
				24	13 June

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (Symbol: A/C.4/59/SR.-)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>
1	30 Sept.	9	13 Oct.	18	28 Oct.
2	4 Oct.	10	14 Oct.	19	29 Oct.
3	5 Oct.	11	18 Oct.	20	1 Nov.
4	6 Oct.	12	19 Oct.	21	2 Nov.
5	7 Oct.	13	20 Oct.	22	8 Nov.
6	8 Oct.	14	21 Oct.	23	10 Nov.
7	11 Oct.	15	25 Oct.	24	17 Nov.
8	12 Oct.	16	26 Oct.	25	24 Nov.
		17	27 Oct.		
					<u>Date, 2005</u>
				26	11 Mar.
				27	23 Mar.
				28	18 Apr.
				29	13 June

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Economic and Financial Committee (Second Committee) (Symbol: A/C.2/59/SR.-)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>
1	16 Sept.	14	18 Oct.	28	8 Nov.
2	4 Oct.	15	19 Oct.	29	9 Nov.
3	4 Oct.	16	20 Oct.	30	9 Nov.
4	5 Oct.	17	20 Oct.	31	10 Nov.
5	5 Oct.	18	27 Oct.	32	15 Nov.
6	6 Oct.	19	29 Oct.	33	16 Nov.
7	6 Oct.	20	29 Oct.	34	16 Nov.
8	12 Oct.	21	1 Nov.	35	17 Nov.
9	12 Oct.	22	2 Nov.	36	24 Nov.
10	13 Oct.	23	3 Nov.	37	3 Dec.
11	13 Oct.	24	3 Nov.	38	7 Dec.
12	14 Oct.	25	4 Nov.	39	14 Dec.
13	15 Oct.	26	4 Nov.	40	16 Dec.
		27	5 Nov.	41	17 Dec.
					<u>Date, 2005</u>
				42	1 Apr.
				43	13 June

Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (Third Committee) (Symbol: A/C.3/59/SR.-)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>
1	4 Oct.	19	20 Oct.	37	4 Nov.
2	4 Oct.	20	21 Oct.	38	8 Nov.
3	5 Oct.	21	21 Oct.	39	9 Nov.
4	5 Oct.	22	22 Oct.	40	10 Nov.
5	6 Oct.	23	25 Oct.	41	10 Nov.
6	8 Oct.	24	26 Oct.	42	11 Nov.
7	11 Oct.	25	26 Oct.	43	15 Nov.
8	11 Oct.	26	27 Oct.	44	16 Nov.
9	12 Oct.	27	27 Oct.	45	17 Nov.
10	12 Oct.	28	28 Oct.	46	18 Nov.
11	13 Oct.	29	28 Oct.	47	18 Nov.
12	14 Oct.	30	29 Oct.	48	19 Nov.
13	14 Oct.	31	29 Oct.	49	19 Nov.
14	15 Oct.	32	1 Nov.	50	22 Nov.
15	15 Oct.	33	1 Nov.	51	23 Nov.
16	18 Oct.	34	2 Nov.	52	23 Nov.
17	18 Oct.	35	3 Nov.	53	24 Nov.
18	19 Oct.	36	4 Nov.	54	24 Nov.
					<u>Date, 2005</u>
				55	13 June
				56	11 July

CHECK-LIST OF MEETINGS

Administrative and Budgetary Committee (Fifth Committee) (Symbol: A/C.5/59/SR.-)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2005</u>
1	30 Sept.	23	11 Nov.	42	1 Apr.
2	4 Oct.	24	15 Nov.	43	6 Apr.
3	6 Oct.	25	19 Nov.	44	13 Apr.
4	7 Oct.	26	22 Nov.	45	15 Apr.
5	11 Oct.	27	24 Nov.	46	2 May
6	12 Oct.	28	29 Nov.	47	2 May
7	13 Oct.	29	13 Dec.	48	3 May
8	14 Oct.	30	14 Dec.	49	5 May
9	15 Oct.	31	15 Dec.	50	9 May
10	18 Oct.	32	17 Dec.	51	12 May
11	19 Oct.	33	22 Dec.	52	16 May
12	21 Oct.			53	20 May
13	26 Oct.		<u>Date, 2005</u>	54	23 May
14	27 Oct.			55	25 May
15	28 Oct.	34	7 Mar.	56	1 June
16	28 Oct.	35	8 Mar.	57	8 June
17	29 Oct.	36	9 Mar.	58	13 June
18	1 Nov.	37	16 Mar.	59	29 July
19	3 Nov.	38	17 Mar.	60	9 Sept.
20	4 Nov.	39	22 Mar.		
21	5 Nov.	40	24 Mar.		
22	9 Nov.	41	30 Mar.		

Legal Committee (Sixth Committee) (Symbol: A/C.6/59/SR.-)

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>	<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date, 2004</u>
1	4 Oct.	11	21 Oct.	21	5 Nov.
2	5 Oct.	12	22 Oct.	22	5 Nov.
3	7 Oct.	13	25 Oct.	23	8 Nov.
4	8 Oct.	14	26 Oct.	24	8 Nov.
5	13 Oct.	15	28 Oct.	25	9 Nov.
6	14 Oct.	16	29 Oct.	26	17 Nov.
7	18 Oct.	17	1 Nov.	27	19 Nov.
8	19 Oct.	18	2 Nov.		
9	20 Oct.	19	3 Nov.		<u>Date, 2005</u>
10	20 Oct.	20	3 Nov.		
				28	18 Feb.
				29	13 June

PRINCIPAL ORGANS AND SUBSIDIARY BODIES TO WHICH MEMBERS WERE ELECTED OR APPOINTED DURING THE FIFTY-NINTH SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Abraszewski, Andrzej T. (Poland)	2004-2006
Ahounou, Manlan Narcisse (Côte d'Ivoire)	2004-2006
Elkhuizen, Ronald (Netherlands)	2005-2007
Flores Callejas, Jorge (Honduras)	2005-2007
Hernandez, Homero Luis (Dominican Republic)	2003-2005
Kelapile, Collen V. (Botswana)	2004-2006
Kramer, Jerry (Canada)	2005-2007
Kuznetsov, Vladimir V. (Russian Federation)	2003-2005
Maycock, E. Besley (Barbados)	2004-2006
Mazet, Thomas (Germany)	2003-2005
McLurg, Susan M. (United States)	2003-2005
Saha, Rajat (India)	2005-2007
Sharma, Murari Raj (Nepal)	2004-2006
Sun, Mingjin (China)	2005-2007
Yamazaki, Jun (Japan)	2005-2007
Zahran, Mounir (Egypt)	2003-2005

Committee for Programme and Coordination (continued)

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Jamaica	2005-2007
Japan	2005-2007
Kenya	2005-2007
Mexico	2004-2006
Monaco	2003-2005
Nicaragua	2003-2005
Pakistan	2003-2005
Republic of Korea	2005-2007
Republic of Moldova	2003-2005
Russian Federation	2004-2006
South Africa	2003-2005
Switzerland	2003-2005
Ukraine	2003-2005
United Kingdom	2003-2005
United States	2004-2006
Zimbabwe	2004-2006

Committee on Conferences

Committee for Programme and Coordination

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Algeria	2005-2007
Argentina	2003-2005
Armenia	2003-2005
Bahamas	2004-2006
Benin	2003-2005
Brazil	2003-2005
Canada	2003-2005
Central African Republic	2003-2005
China	2005-2007
Comoros	2004-2006
Cuba	2003-2005
France	2004-2006
Gabon	2003-2005
Germany	2003-2005
Ghana	2005-2007
India	2003-2005
Indonesia	2003-2005
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	2003-2005

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Argentina	2004-2006
Austria	2005-2007
Bolivia	2003-2005
China	2005-2007
Congo	2003-2005
Egypt	2005-2007
France	2003-2005
Germany	2004-2006
India	2003-2005
Jamaica	2005-2007
Japan	2003-2005
Kenya	2005-2007
Mexico	2004-2006
Nepal	2005-2007
Nigeria	2004-2006
Romania	2004-2006
Russian Federation	2003-2005
Senegal	2004-2006
Syrian Arab Republic	2004-2006
United States	2005-2007
Zambia	2003-2005

Committee on Contributions

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Akimoto, Kenshiro (Japan)	2004-2006
Al-Mansour, Meshal (Kuwait)	2004-2006
Dutton, David (Australia)	2005-2007
Dumitriu, Petru (Romania)	2004-2006
Ekorong A Dong, Paul (Cameroon)	2005-2007
Getachew, Haile Selassie (Ethiopia)	2004-2006
Greiver, Bernardo (Uruguay)	2005-2007
Gurgel de Alencar Netto, Alvaro (Brazil)	2003-2005
Hassan, Hassan Mohammed (Nigeria)	2005-2007
Humenny, Ihor V. (Ukraine)	2004-2006
Iglesias, Eduardo (Argentina)	2005-2007
Leis, David A. (United States)	2004-2006
Logutov, Vyacheslav A. (Russian Federation)	2005-2005
Meijerman, Bernard (Netherlands)	2003-2005
Park, Hae-Yun (Republic of Korea)	2003-2005
Ramos, Eduardo Manuel da Fonseca Fernandes (Portugal)	2005-2007
Sessi, Ugo (Italy)	2003-2005
Wu, Gang (China)	2003-2005

Committee on Information

Members
(The term of office is indefinite.)

Algeria	Denmark
Angola	Ecuador
Argentina	Egypt
Armenia	El Salvador
Azerbaijan	Ethiopia
Bangladesh	Finland
Belarus	France
Belgium	Gabon
Belize	Georgia
Benin	Germany
Brazil	Ghana
Bulgaria	Greece
Burkina Faso	Guatemala
Burundi	Guinea
Cape Verde	Guyana
Chile	Hungary
China	Iceland
Colombia	India
Congo	Indonesia
Costa Rica	Iran (Islamic Republic of)
Côte d'Ivoire	Ireland
Croatia	Israel
Cuba	Italy
Cyprus	Jamaica
Czech Republic	Japan
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	Jordan
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Kazakhstan
	Kenya
	Lebanon

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<u>Members</u> (The term of office is indefinite.)	
Liberia	Saudi Arabia
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Senegal
Luxembourg	Singapore
Madagascar	Slovakia
Malta	Solomon Islands
Mexico	Somalia
Monaco	South Africa
Mongolia	Spain
Morocco	Sri Lanka
Mozambique	Sudan
Nepal	Suriname
Netherlands	Switzerland
Niger	Syrian Arab Republic
Nigeria	Togo
Pakistan	Trinidad and Tobago
Peru	Tunisia
Philippines	Turkey
Poland	Ukraine
Portugal	United Kingdom
Qatar	United Republic of Tanzania
Republic of Korea	United States
Republic of Moldova	Uruguay
Romania	Venezuela
Russian Federation	Viet Nam
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	Yemen
	Zimbabwe

Economic and Social Council

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Albania	2005-2007
Armenia	2004-2006
Australia	2005-2007
Azerbaijan	2003-2005
Bangladesh	2004-2006
Belgium	2004-2006
Belize	2004-2006
Benin	2003-2005
Brazil	2005-2007
Canada	2004-2006
Chad	2005-2007
China	2005-2007
Colombia	2004-2006
Congo	2003-2005
Costa Rica	2005-2007
Cuba	2003-2005
Democratic Republic of the Congo	2005-2007
Denmark	2005-2007
Ecuador	2003-2005
France	2003-2005
Germany	2003-2005
Guinea	2005-2007
Iceland	2005-2007
India	2005-2007

Economic and Social Council
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<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Indonesia	2004-2006
Ireland	2003-2005
Italy	2004-2006
Jamaica	2003-2005
Japan	2003-2005
Kenya	2003-2005
Lithuania	2005-2007
Malaysia	2003-2005
Mauritius	2004-2006
Mexico	2005-2007
Mozambique	2003-2005
Namibia	2004-2006
Nicaragua	2003-2005
Nigeria	2004-2006
Pakistan	2005-2007
Panama	2004-2006
Poland	2004-2006
Republic of Korea	2004-2006
Russian Federation	2005-2007
Saudi Arabia	2003-2005
Senegal	2003-2005
South Africa	2005-2007
Spain	2005-2005
Thailand	2005-2007
Tunisia	2004-2006
Turkey	2003-2005
United Arab Emirates	2004-2006
United Kingdom	2005-2007
United Republic of Tanzania	2004-2006
United States	2004-2006

International Civil Service Commission

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Bel Hadj Amor, Mohsen (Tunisia)	2003-2006
Bettati, Mario (France)	2002-2005
Boateng, Daasebre Oti (Ghana)	2003-2006
Bouayad-Agha, Fatih (Algeria)	2005-2008
Chowdhury, Shamsher M. (Bangladesh)	2005-2008
Endo, Minoru (Japan)	2002-2005
Myers, Lucretia (United States)	2002-2005
Paranhos Velloso, Gilberto (Brazil)	18 June 2004-2005
Sanch'z Muñoz, José Ramon (Argentina)	2003-2006
Stephanou, Alexis (Greece)	2002-2005
Szlazak, Anita (Canada)	2003-2006
Titov, Vladimir (Russian Federation)	2005-2008
Wang, Xiaochu (China)	2005-2008
Wyzner, Eugeniusz (Poland)	2003-2006
Zahid, El Hassane (Morocco)	2005-2008

International Court Justice

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (6 Feb.-5 Feb.)
Abraham, Ronny (France)	15 Feb.2005-2009
Al-Khasawneh, Awn Shawkat (Jordan)	2000-2009
Buergenthal, Thomas (United States)	1997-2006
Elaraby, Nabil (Egypt)	12 Oct. 2002-2006
Higgins, Rosalyn (United Kingdom)	2000-2009
Kooijmans, Pieter H. (Netherlands)	1997-2006
Koroma, Abdul G. (Sierra Leone)	2003-2012
Owada, Hisashi (Japan)	2003-2012
Parra-Aranguren, Gonzalo (Venezuela)	2000-2009
Ranjewa, Raymond (Madagascar)	2000-2009
Rezek, Francisco (Brazil)	1997-2006
Shi, Jiuyong (China)	2003-2012
Simma, Bruno (Germany)	2003-2012
Tomka, Peter (Slovakia)	2003-2012
Vereshchetin, Vladlen S. (Russian Federation)	1997-2006

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Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of
International Humanitarian Law Committed in the
Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991**

<u>Judges</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (17 Nov.-16 Nov.)
Agius, Carmel (Malta)	2005-2009
Antonetti, Jean-Claude (France)	2005-2009
Bonony, Iain (United Kingdom)	2005-2009
Kwon, O-gon (Republic of Korea)	2005-2009
Liu, Daqun (China)	2005-2009
Meron, Theodor (United States)	2005-2009
Moloto, Bakone Melema (South Africa)	2005-2009
Orie, Alphonsus Martinus Maria (Netherlands)	2005-2009
Parker, Kevin Horace (Australia)	2005-2009
Pocar, Fausto (Italy)	2005-2009
Robinson, Patrick Lipton (Jamaica)	2005-2009
Schomburg, Wolfgang (Germany)	2005-2009
Shahabuddeen, Mohamed (Guyana)	2005-2009
Wyngaert, Christine van den (Belgium)	2005-2009

<u>Ad Litem Judges</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (24 Aug.-23 Aug.)
Baird, Melville (Trinidad and Tobago)	2005-2009
Bauduin, Frans (Netherlands)	2005-2009
Chowhan, Ali Nawaz (Pakistan)	2005-2009
David, Pedro (Argentina)	2005-2009
Gwaunza, Elizabeth (Zimbabwe)	2005-2009

**International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of
Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of
International Humanitarian Law Committed in the
Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991**
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<u>Ad Litem Judges</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (24 Aug.-23 Aug.)
Hall, Burton (Bahamas)	2005-2009
Harhoff, Frederik (Denmark)	2005-2009
Höpfel, Frank (Austria)	2005-2009
Kamenova, Tsvetana (Bulgaria)	2005-2009
Kinis, Uldis (Latvia)	2005-2009
Lahti, Raimo (Finland)	2005-2009
Lattanzi, Flavia (Italy)	2005-2009
Mindua, Antoine (Democratic Republic of the Congo)	2005-2009
Naboty, Jawdat (Syrian Arab Republic)	2005-2009
Nosworthy, Janet (Jamaica)	2005-2009
Nwosu-Iheme, Chioma Egongdu (Nigeria)	2005-2009
Nyambe, Prisca Matimba (Zambia)	2005-2009
Picard, Michèle (France)	2005-2009
Pollard, Brynmor (Guyana)	2005-2009
Prandler, Árpád (Hungary)	2005-2009
Prost, Kimberly (Canada)	2005-2009
Rasoazanany, Vonimbolana (Madagascar)	2005-2009
Støle, Ole Bjørn (Norway)	2005-2009
Thelin, Krister (Sweden)	2005-2009
Tolksdorf, Klaus (Germany)	2005-2009
Trechsel, Stefan (Switzerland)	2005-2009
Yunus, Tan Sri Dato Lamin Haji Mohd (Malaysia)	2005-2009

Investments Committee

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Bovich, Francine J. (United States)	2003-2005
Chico Pardo, Fernando G. (Mexico)	2004-2006
McDonough, William J. (United States)	2005-2007
Ngqula, Khaya (South Africa)	8 Dec. 2004-2006
Ohta, Takeshi (Japan)	2003-2005
Pillay, J.Y. (Singapore)	2004-2006
Ploix, Hélène (France)	2005-2007
Reimnitz, Jürgen (Germany)	2005-2007
Stormonth-Darling, Peter (United Kingdom)	2003-2005

Joint Inspection Unit

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (28 Apr.-31 Dec.)
Bertrand-Muck, Doris (Austria)	2001-2005
Biraud, Gérard (France)	1 Jan. 2006-2010
Fall, Papa Louis (Senegal)	1 Jan. 2006-2010
Fontaine Ortiz, Even Francisco (Cuba)	2004-2007
Gorita, Ion (Romania)	2001-2005
Inomata, Tadanori (Japan)	2005-2009
Larrabure, Juan Luis (Peru)	2005-2008
Münch, Wolfgang (Germany)	2001-2005
Ouedraogo, Louis-Dominique (Burkina Faso)	2001-2005
Posta, István (Hungary)	1 Jan. 2006-2010
Tang, Guangting (China)	2004-2007
Terzi, Cihan (Turkey)	1 Jan. 2006-2010
Vislykh, Victor (Russian Federation)	2004-2007
Wynes, Deborah (United States)	2004-2007
Yussuf, Muhammad (United Republic of Tanzania)	2004-2007

Security Council

<u>Members</u>	<u>Term of office</u> (1 Jan.-31 Dec.)
Algeria	2004-2005
Argentina	2005-2006
Benin	2004-2005
Brazil	2004-2005
China	Permanent member under Art. 23 of the Charter
Denmark	2005-2006
France	Permanent member under Art. 23 of the Charter
Greece	2005-2006
Japan	2005-2006
Philippines	2004-2005
Romania	2004-2005
Russian Federation	Permanent member under Art. 23 of the Charter
United Republic of Tanzania	2005-2006
United Kingdom	Permanent member under Art. 23 of the Charter
United States	Permanent member under Art. 23 of the Charter

Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples

Members

(The term of office is indefinite.)

Antigua and Barbuda	Iraq
Bolivia	Mali
Chile	Papua New Guinea
China	Russian Federation
Congo	Saint Kitts and Nevis
Côte d'Ivoire	Saint Lucia
Cuba	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Dominica	Sierra Leone
Ethiopia	Syrian Arab Republic
Fiji	Timor-Leste
Grenada	Tunisia
India	United Republic of Tanzania
Indonesia	Venezuela
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	

United Nations Administrative Tribunal

Members

Term of office
(1 Jan.-31 Dec.)

Barboza, Julio (Argentina)	2004-2007
Flogaitis, Spyridon (Greece)	2005-2008
Goh, Joon Seng (Singapore)	2005-2008
Haugh, Kevin (Ireland)	2003-2006
Scott, Jacqueline R. (United States)	2003-2006
Stem, Brigitte (France)	2005-2008
Wijewardane, Dayendra Sena (Sri Lanka)	2004-2007

United Nations Conference on Trade and Development. Secretary-General

Term of office
(1 Sept.-31 Aug.)

Panitchpakdi, Supachai (Thailand)

United Nations Development Programme. Administrator

Term of office
(15 Aug.-14 Aug.)
2005-2009

Dervis, Kermal (Turkey)

United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

Term of office
(15 June-14 June)
2005-2010

Gutierrez, Antônio Manuel de Oliveira (Portugal)

United Nations Staff Pension Committee

Members

Term of office
(1 Jan.-31 Dec.)

Akimoto, Kenshiro (Japan)	2005-2008
Chaudhry, Aizaz Ahmad (Pakistan)	2005-2008
González Posse, Veleria Maria (Argentina)	2005-2008
Kovalenko, Andrei V. (Russian Federation)	2005-2008
Küntzle, Gerhard (Germany)	2005-2008
Mazemo, Lovemore (Zimbabwe)	2005-2008
Owade, Philip Richard Okanda (Kenya)	2005-2008
Repasch, Thomas A. (United States)	2005-2008

United Nations Under-Secretary-General for Oversight Services

Term of office
(15 July-14 July)
2005-2010

Ahlenius, Inga-Britt (Sweden)

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See: UN-HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS
146. International Criminal Court (resolution 58/79).
See: INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT
147. Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization (resolutions 58/80 and 58/248).
See: UN-CHARTER
148. Measures to eliminate international terrorism (resolution 58/81).
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149. Scope of legal protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel (resolution 58/82).
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150. International convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings (decision 58/523).
See: CLONING OF HUMAN BEINGS-TREATIES (PROPOSED)
151. Observer status for the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in the General Assembly (A/59/141).
See: SHANGHAI COOPERATION ORGANIZATION-OBSERVER STATUS
152. Observer status for the Southern African Development community in the General Assembly (A/59/142).
See: SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY-OBSERVER STATUS
153. Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi (resolution 58/312).
See: UN OPERATION IN BURUNDI-FINANCING
154. Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (resolution 58/310).
See: UN OPERATION IN CÔTE D'IVOIRE-FINANCING
155. Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (resolution 58/311).
See: UN OPERATION IN CÔTE D'IVOIRE-FINANCING
156. Multilingualism.
See: MULTILINGUALISM
157. Observer status for the Collective Security Treaty Organization in the General Assembly.
See: COLLECTIVE SECURITY TREATY ORGANIZATION-OBSERVER STATUS
158. Declaration by the United Nations of 8 and 9 May as days of remembrance and reconciliation.
See: DAYS OF REMEMBRANCE AND RECONCILIATION (8 AND 9 MAY)
159. Observer status for the Economic Community of West African States in the General Assembly (A/59/250/Add.1).
See: ECONOMIC COMMUNITY OF WEST AFRICAN STATES-OBSERVER STATUS
160. Observer status for the Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States in the General Assembly (A/59/250/Add.2).
See: ORGANIZATION OF EASTERN CARIBBEAN STATES-OBSERVER STATUS
161. Andean Zone of Peace (A/59/250/Add.3).
See: ZONE OF PEACE-ANDEAN REGION
162. Observer status for the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation in the General Assembly (A/59/250/Add.3).
See: SOUTH ASIAN ASSOCIATION FOR REGIONAL COOPERATION-OBSERVER STATUS
163. Situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan (A/59/250/Add.3).
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164. Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan (A/59/239).
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AD HOC COMMITTEE ON A COMPREHENSIVE AND INTEGRAL INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE PROTECTION AND PROMOTION OF THE RIGHTS AND DIGNITY OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

See: DISABLED PERSONS–HUMAN RIGHTS

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE (Agenda item 120)

Reports

A/58/300 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : outcome of the work of the Joint Appeals Board during 2001 and 2002 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Aug. 2003.

A/59/70 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : outcome of the work of the Joint Appeals Board during 2002 and 2003 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 26 Mar. 2004.

A/59/78 Possibility of the financial independence of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal from the Office of Legal Affairs : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 4 May 2004.

A/59/280 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on Administration of Justice : harmonization of the statutes of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal and the International Labour Organization Administrative Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 19 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/3) prepared by Wolfgang Münch, Victor Vislykh and M. Deborah Wynes.

A/59/280/Corr.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on Administration of Justice : harmonization of the statutes of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal and the International Labour Organization Administrative Tribunal : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 14 Sept. 2004. - Corrects agenda items and text.

A/59/408 Management review of the appeals process at the United Nations : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office for Internal Oversight Services, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 57/307 of 15 Apr. 2003.

A/59/414 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : role of the Panels on Discrimination and Other Grievances : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 5 Oct. 2004.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE (Agenda item 120) (continued)

A/59/449 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Oct. 2004.

A/59/706 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 18 Feb. 2005.

A/59/715 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : interim report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 28 Feb. 2005.

A/59/883 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 27 July 2005.

General documents

A/59/280/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on Administration of Justice : harmonization of the statutes of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal and the International Labour Organization Administrative Tribunal : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.
Contains comments of the Secretary-General on the report of JIU entitled "Administration of justice: harmonization of the statutes of the UN Administrative Tribunal and the International Labour Organization Administrative Tribunal".

A/C.5/58/16 Letter, 18 Nov. 2003, from the President of the UN Administrative Tribunal. Transmits observations and recommendations of the UN Administrative Tribunal on personnel issues of judges of the UN Administrative Tribunal and the Tribunal of the ILO; requests the Secretary-General to take steps to provide remuneration to the members of the UN Administrative Tribunal equivalent to that received by the judges of the ILO Administrative Tribunal, and states that this would be in line with the proposals to close the gap between the two Tribunals.

A/C.5/59/12 Compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials : members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/INF/59/5 United Nations Administrative Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.
Transmits annual note by the UN Administrative Tribunal for 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.46 Administration of justice at the United Nations : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/773 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.27 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.28 (29 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.36 (9 Mar. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.42 (1 Apr. 2005).

**ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE (Agenda item 120)
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A/C.5/59/SR.43 (6 Apr. 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/773 (originally A/C.5/59/L.46) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/283.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/283 Administration of justice at the United Nations.

Decides that the time limits recommended by OIOS will be mandatory within the appeals process once adequate capacity is in place, and no later than 1 Jan. 2006; also decides that measures should be taken to eliminate the appearance of conflict of interest, and towards this end requests the Secretary-General to proceed with the transfer of the responsibility for formulating decisions on appeals from the Department of Management to the Office of the Secretary-General; decides to amend article 3, paragraph 1, of the statute of the Administrative Tribunal, with effect from 1 Jan. 2006, to read: "The Tribunal shall be composed of seven members, no two of whom may be nationals of the same State. Members shall possess judicial experience in the field of administrative law or its equivalent within their national jurisdiction. Only three members shall sit in any particular case."; also decides that the amendment to article 3 will be applied in the election of new members of the Tribunal with effect from 1 Jan. 2006; decides that the Secretary-General shall form a panel of external and independent experts to consider redesigning the system of administration of justice; also decides that the panel shall be composed of a pre-eminent judge or former judge with administrative law experience, an expert in alternative dispute resolution methods, a leading legal academic in international law, a person with senior management and administrative experience in an international organization and a person with UN field experience; decides that the panel shall start its functions no later than 1 Feb. 2006 and shall submit its findings and recommendations by the end of July 2006; decides that activities requested above that would give rise to additional resource requirements during the biennium 2004-2005 should be included in the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007. (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13 Apr. 2005)

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY
COORDINATION–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 111)**

Reports

A/59/315 Budgetary and financial situation of organizations of the United Nations System : note transmitting the statistical report of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the budgetary and financial situation of the organizations of the United Nations System (decision 47/449) / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY
COORDINATION–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 111)
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Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.19 Budgetary and financial situation of the organizations of the United Nations system : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/605 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.29 (13 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.31 (15 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft decision in A/59/605 (originally A/C.5/59/L.19) was adopted without vote: decision 59/548.

ADVISORY BOARD ON DISARMAMENT MATTERS

See: UN. ADVISORY BOARD ON DISARMAMENT MATTERS

**ADVISORY OPINION–ICJ–NUCLEAR WEAPONS
USE**

See: NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–ICJ OPINION

AFGHANISTAN–HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–AFGHANISTAN

**AFGHANISTAN–RECONSTRUCTION (Agenda item
39d)**

Reports

A/59/581 (S/2004/925) The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security : emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 26 Nov. 2004.

A/59/744 (S/2005/183) The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security : emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 18 Mar. 2005.

General documents

A/59/368 (S/2004/747) Letter, 16 Sept. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits joint statement entitled "Central Asia + Japan", signed by the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of Japan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan at a meeting held in Astana, 28 Aug. 2004.

AFGHANISTAN–RECONSTRUCTION (Agenda item 39d) (continued)

A/59/541 (S/2004/873) Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits Declaration of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-building Measures in Asia, adopted at their ministerial meeting, held in Almaty, 22 Oct. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.44 The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security ; strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance : emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Bhutan, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cambodia, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Nauru, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Oman, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Tunisia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay, Uzbekistan, Vanuatu.

A/59/L.44/Add.1 The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security ; strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance : emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan : draft resolution.

Additional sponsors: Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea, Guinea, Haiti, India, Lebanon, Marshall Islands, Nepal, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, Palau, Panama, Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, Trinidad and Tobago, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania, United States, Yemen.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.69 (8 Dec. 2004).

At the 69th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.44, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/112 A and B.

AFGHANISTAN–RECONSTRUCTION (Agenda item 39d) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/112A-B Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan and the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security.

The resolution is divided into 2 parts, A/RES/59/112 A and B; 112 A: AFGHANISTAN SITUATION; 112 B: AFGHANISTAN–RECONSTRUCTION (Adopted at the 69th plenary meeting, 8 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/112[B] Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan.

Urges the Government of Afghanistan and local authorities to take all possible steps to ensure the safety, security and free movement of all UN and humanitarian personnel, as well as their safe and unimpeded access to all affected populations, and to protect the property of the UN and of humanitarian organizations, including non-governmental organizations, and calls upon the international community to continue to support the efforts of the Government of Afghanistan in the area of security in a coordinated manner; calls upon the Government of Afghanistan to continue its efforts to create the conditions for the voluntary, safe, dignified and sustainable return of the remaining Afghan refugees and internally displaced persons; urges the Government of Afghanistan to meet its responsibilities under the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction; urges the international community to channel assistance through the national budget, including by contributing to the Afghanistan Reconstruction Trust Fund and the Law and Order Trust Fund; urges the Government of Afghanistan to continue to effectively reform the public administration sector and to ensure good governance, the rule of law and accountability at all levels, both national and local; requests that existing capacity-building programmes and projects be sufficiently funded in order to strengthen, inter alia, the capacity of Afghanistan to respond to natural disasters, in particular long-term drought. (Adopted without vote, 69th plenary meeting, 8 Dec. 2004)

AFGHANISTAN SITUATION (Agenda item 27)

Reports

A/59/581 (S/2004/925) The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security : emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 26 Nov. 2004.

A/59/744 (S/2005/183) The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security : emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 18 Mar. 2005.

**AFGHANISTAN SITUATION (Agenda item 27)
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General documents

A/59/163 (S/2004/585) Letter, 19 July 2004, from Kyrgyzstan. Transmits the Bishkek Declaration adopted during the high-level international conference on "Afghanistan and Regional Economic Cooperation: Central Asia, Iran and Pakistan", organized by UNDP and held in Bishkek, 10-12 May 2004.

A/59/368 (S/2004/747) Letter, 16 Sept. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits joint statement entitled "Central Asia + Japan", signed by the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of Japan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan at a meeting held in Astana, 28 Aug. 2004.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/541 (S/2004/873) Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits Declaration of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-building Measures in Asia, adopted at their ministerial meeting, held in Almaty, 22 Oct. 2004.

A/59/741 (S/2005/172) Letter, 11 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan. Transmits, as Chair of the meeting of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, joint communiqué of the meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, held in Astana on 25 Feb. 2005; underlines the importance of strengthening the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in order to ensure stability and peace in Central Asia.

A/59/863 (S/2005/427) Letter, 30 June 2005, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement by the heads of State of Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation and Tajikistan, adopted on 23 June 2005 by the Council on Collective Security of the Collective Security Treaty Organization (CSTO) concerning continued efforts to ensure international peace in the area of CSTO responsibility.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

**AFGHANISTAN SITUATION (Agenda item 27)
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Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.44 The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security ; strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance : emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Bhutan, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cambodia, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Nauru, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Oman, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Tunisia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay, Uzbekistan, Vanuatu.

A/59/L.44/Add.1 The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security ; strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance : emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan : draft resolution.

Additional sponsors: Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea, Guinea, Haiti, India, Lebanon, Marshall Islands, Nepal, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, Palau, Panama, Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, Trinidad and Tobago, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania, United States, Yemen.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.69 (8 Dec. 2004).

At the 69th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.44, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/112 A and B.

AFGHANISTAN SITUATION (Agenda item 27)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/112A-B Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan and the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security.

The resolution is divided into 2 parts, A/RES/59/112 A and B; 112 A: AFGHANISTAN SITUATION; 112 B: AFGHANISTAN-RECONSTRUCTION (Adopted at the 69th plenary meeting, 8 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/112[A] The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security.

Stresses the importance of the provision of sufficient security for the holding of credible parliamentary elections; calls upon the Government of Afghanistan, with the assistance of the international community, including through the Operation Enduring Freedom coalition and the Assistance Force, in accordance with their respective designated responsibilities, to continue to address the threat to the security and stability of Afghanistan posed by Al-Qaida operatives, the Taliban and other extremist groups, factional violence among militia forces and criminal violence, in particular violence involving the drug trade; calls upon the Assistance Mission to continue to provide the necessary support to the Government of Afghanistan in order to facilitate timely and inclusive parliamentary and local elections; calls for full respect for human rights and international humanitarian law throughout Afghanistan and, with the assistance of the Assistance Mission, full implementation of the human rights provisions of the new Afghan Constitution; calls for the provision of continued international assistance to the vast number of Afghan refugees and internally displaced persons to facilitate their safe and orderly return and sustainable reintegration into society so as to contribute to the stability of the entire country; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly every 6 months during its 59th session on developments in Afghanistan, including after parliamentary elections, and on the future role of the Assistance Mission, and to report to the Assembly at its 60th session on the progress made in the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 69th plenary meeting, 8 Dec. 2004)

AFRICA

See: AFRICAN UNION–UN

DESERTIFICATION–TREATIES (1996)
PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–AFRICA
REFUGEES

AFRICA–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 38b)

Reports

A/59/285 Implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Secretary-General on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa : progress report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Aug. 2004.

AFRICA–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 38b)
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General documents

A/59/570 Letter, 2 Nov. 2004, from the President of the Economic and Social Council. Refers to Economic and Social Council resolution 2002/1 of 15 July 2002 and concerns the latest reports of the Ad Hoc Advisory Groups on Guinea-Bissau and Burundi and the assessment of the work of the ad hoc advisory groups (E/2004/86), which was submitted to the Economic and Social Council at its substantive session of 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.50 Implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Secretary-General on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/59/L.50/Rev.1 Implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Secretary-General on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/59/L.50/Rev.1/Add.1 Implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Secretary-General on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Portugal, Netherlands, Slovenia, Italy, Turkey, Germany, Ireland.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.33 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.34 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.35 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.36 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.50/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/255.

**AFRICA–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 38b)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/255 Implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Secretary-General on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa.

Takes note of the progress report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the recommendations contained in his report on the causes of conflict and promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa; encourages the international community to continue to support the ongoing efforts of African countries to develop their capacity to undertake peace support operations; recognizes the contribution made by the ad hoc advisory groups on African countries emerging from conflict of the Economic and Social Council and the Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa of the Security Council, in promoting peace and sustainable development; requests the Secretary-General to recommend suitable arrangements and mechanisms through which Member States could more effectively support Africa's efforts to address the causes of conflict in Africa, and to strengthen preventive action as well as post-conflict peacebuilding; decides to monitor the implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Secretary-General on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a progress report on the implementation of the present resolution (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

AFRICA–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 38)

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

AFRICA–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 38) (continued)

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.33 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.35 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.36 (19 Oct. 2004).

**AFRICA–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–
PARTNERSHIP (Agenda item 38a)**

Reports

A/59/206 The New Partnership for Africa's Development : 2nd consolidated report on progress in implementation and international support : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 4 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.33 New partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/59/L.33/Rev.1 New partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support : draft resolution / Canada, France, Italy, Netherlands, Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China] and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

A/59/L.33/Rev.1/Add.1 New partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support : draft resolution : addendum.
Additional sponsors: Luxembourg, Ireland, Slovenia, Portugal, Denmark, Lithuania, Ukraine, Mauritius, Belgium, Turkey, United States, Germany, Austria, Japan, Dominica.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.33 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.34 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.35 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.36 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution **A/59/L.33/Rev.1**, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/254.

AFRICA-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT- PARTNERSHIP (Agenda item 38a) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/254 New Partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support.

Reaffirms its full support for the implementation of the New Partnership for Africa's Development; urges continued attention to the need to continue to take measures to address the challenges of poverty eradication and sustainable development in Africa, including, as appropriate, debt relief, improved market access, support for the private sector and entrepreneurship, enhanced official development assistance and increased flows of foreign direct investment, as well as transfer of technology; requests the UN system to continue to provide assistance to the secretariat of the New Partnership and to African countries in developing projects and programmes within the scope of the priorities of the New Partnership; urges the Commission for Social Development and the Commission on the Status of Women to give prominence to the New Partnership in future priority themes; requests the Secretary-General to continue to take measures to strengthen the Office of the Special Adviser on Africa in order to enable it to effectively fulfil its mandate; also requests the Secretary-General to submit a comprehensive report on the implementation of the present resolution to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the basis of inputs from Governments, organizations of the UN system and other stakeholders in the New Partnership, such as the private sector and civil society. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

AFRICAN INSTITUTE FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRIME AND THE TREATMENT OF OFFENDERS

See: CRIME PREVENTION

AFRICAN UNION-UN (Agenda item 56a)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.54 Cooperation between the United Nations and the African Union : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Austria, Botswana, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Denmark, Djibouti, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Finland, Gabon, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Italy, Kenya, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Malta, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Portugal, Rwanda, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Togo, Tunisia, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America and Zambia.

A/59/L.54/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the African Union : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Belgium, China, Democratic Republic of the Congo, France, Gambia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Slovakia, Slovenia, Uganda and the United Kingdom.

AFRICAN UNION-UN (Agenda item 56a) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.54 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/213.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/213 Cooperation between the United Nations and the African Union.

Welcomes the cooperation between the African Union and the UN and, in this respect, the continuing participation in and constructive contribution of the African Union and its specialized agencies to the work of the UN, and calls upon the 2 organizations to enhance the involvement of the African Union in all UN activities concerning Africa; invites the Secretary-General to request all relevant UN agencies to intensify their cooperation with the African Union in the establishment of its organs and to assist in the effective harmonization of the programmes of the African Union with those of the regional economic communities; invites the Secretary-General to explore, in close consultation with the Chairperson of the Commission of the African Union, new means of cooperation between the UN and the African Union; requests the UN system to cooperate with the African Union and its member States in the implementation of appropriate policies for the promotion of the culture of democracy, good governance, respect for human rights and the rule of law. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

AGEING PERSONS-INTERNATIONAL YEARS (1999) (Agenda item 95)

See also: SOCIAL SITUATION

Reports

A/59/164 Follow-up to the 2nd World Assembly on Ageing : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2004.

General documents

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.14 Follow-up to the 2nd World Assembly on Ageing : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Additional sponsors: Azerbaijan, Belarus, Mexico, Republic of Korea and Russian Federation (A/59/493).

**AGEING PERSONS–INTERNATIONAL YEARS
(1999) (Agenda item 95) (continued)**

A/C.3/59/L.14/Rev.1 Follow-up to the 2nd World Assembly on Ageing : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Mongolia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom and United States (A/59/493).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/493 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.1 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.4 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.5 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.14 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/493 (originally A/C.3/59/L.14/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/150.

**AGEING PERSONS–INTERNATIONAL YEARS
(1999) (Agenda item 95) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/150 Follow-up to the 2nd World Assembly on Ageing.

Calls upon Governments and the agencies and organizations of the UN system, within their mandates, and encourages the non-governmental community, to ensure that the challenges of population ageing and the concerns of older persons are adequately incorporated into their programmes and projects; recommends that the Commission on the Status of Women continue to consider the situation of older women, in particular those who are most vulnerable, including those living in rural areas; requests the organizations and bodies of the UN system to continue to strengthen the capacity of the focal points on ageing and to provide them with adequate resources for the further implementation of the Madrid Plan of Action, in particular through appropriate mainstreaming action; stresses the importance of the collection of data and population statistics disaggregated by age and sex on all aspects of policy formulation by all countries, and encourages the relevant entities of the UN system to support national efforts in capacity-building, especially those of developing countries and countries with economies in transition, takes note in this context of the establishment by the UN of an Internet-accessible database on ageing, and invites States to submit, whenever possible, information for inclusion in the database. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

AGENDA–GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)

See: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–AGENDA

AGENDA 21

See: ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP

AGREEMENT FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE UN CONVENTION ON THE LAW OF THE SEA OF 10 DECEMBER 1982 RELATING TO THE CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT OF STRADDLING FISH STOCKS AND HIGHLY MIGRATORY FISH STOCKS

See: STRADDLING FISH STOCKS

AIDS

See: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (26th SPECIAL SESS. : 2001)–FOLLOW-UP

AMERICAN SAMOA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in **A/59/478** entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/134.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-I] American Samoa.

Notes that the Department of Interior of the United States provides that the Secretary of the Interior has administrative jurisdiction over American Samoa; calls upon the Administering Power to continue to assist the territorial Government in the economic and social development of the Territory, including measures to rebuild financial management capabilities; welcomes the invitation extended to the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the Governor of American Samoa at the Pacific regional seminar held in Madang, Papua New Guinea, 18-20 May 2004, to send a visiting mission to the Territory, calls upon the administering Power to facilitate such a mission and requests the Chairman of the Special Committee to take all the necessary steps to that end. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

ANGOLA

See: UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS IN ANGOLA–FINANCING

ANGOLA-ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–ANGOLA

ANGUILLA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

ANGUILLA QUESTION (Agenda item 20) (continued)

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

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Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-I] Anguilla.

Welcomes the constitutional review process led by the Government of Anguilla in cooperation with the administering Power; recalls the cooperation of the territorial Government of Anguilla and the United Kingdom in holding the 2003 Caribbean regional seminar in Anguilla, and notes that the staging of the seminar in a Non-Self-Governing Territory for the first time, as well as a town hall meeting between the people of Anguilla and the Special Committee during the seminar, contributed to its success. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

ANTI-PERSONNEL LANDMINES

See: CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1980)
DISARMAMENT–GENERAL AND COMPLETE
LANDMINES–TREATIES (1997)
MINE CLEARANCE

ARMED CONFLICTS–PREVENTION (Agenda item 24)

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/533 (S/2004/860) Identical letters, 25 Oct. 2004, from the Democratic People's Republic of Korea addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports joint naval exercise allegedly planned from 26 Oct. 2004 by the United States and Japan in the Tokyo Wan of Japan, which constitutes a breach of the UN Charter and international law and requests urgent action in view of the gravity of the situation.

ARMED CONFLICTS–PREVENTION (Agenda item 24) (continued)

A/59/877 Letter, 24 Mar. 2005, from Burkina Faso, Chad, the Gambia, Malawi, the Marshall Islands, Nauru, Palau, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Solomon Islands, Swaziland and Tuvalu. Requests attention to be paid to the recent escalation of tension in the Taiwan Strait allegedly triggered by the passage of the "Anti-secession law" by the People's Republic of China.

A/59/879 Letter, 25 July 2005, from China. Refers to the letter of 24 Mar. 2005 (A/59/877) from Gambia and others; states China's position on the "Anti-Secession Law" passed by the National People's Congress of the People's Republic of China and on the question on Taiwan.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, the Assembly decided to defer consideration of this item and include it in the draft agenda of its 60th session: decision 59/568.

ARMS LIMITATION (Agenda item 65h)

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

ARMS RACE–OUTER SPACE (Agenda item 64)

See also: OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES–
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

Reports

A/59/20 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/20/Corr.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space : corrigendum.
Issued: 10 Jan. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/20/Corr.2 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space : corrigendum.
Issued: 4 Feb. 2005. - Corrects text.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

ARMS RACE–OUTER SPACE (Agenda item 64) (continued)

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.36 Prevention of an arms race in outer space : draft resolution / Algeria, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominican Republic, Egypt, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Yemen, Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Belarus, Ecuador, El Salvador, India, Mongolia, Russian Federation, Sierra Leone, Syrian Arab Republic and Uruguay (A/59/458).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/458 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.12 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/458 (originally A/C.1/59/L.36) was adopted (178-0-4): resolution 59/65.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/65 Prevention of an arms race in outer space.

Emphasizes the necessity of further measures with appropriate and effective provisions for verification to prevent an arms race in outer space; reiterates that the Conference on Disarmament, as the single multilateral disarmament negotiating forum, has the primary role in the negotiation of a multilateral agreement or agreements, as appropriate, on the prevention of an arms race in outer space in all its aspects; invites the Conference on Disarmament to complete the examination and updating of the mandate contained in its decision of 13 Feb. 1992 and to establish an ad hoc committee as early as possible during its 2005 session; urges States conducting activities in outer space, as well as States interested in conducting such activities, to keep the Conference on Disarmament informed of the progress of bilateral and multilateral negotiations on the matter, if any, so as to facilitate its work. (Adopted 178-0-4, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**ARMS TRANSFERS–LAWS AND REGULATIONS
(Agenda item 65l)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.5 National legislation on transfer of arms, military equipment and dual-use goods and technology : draft resolution / Netherlands.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution I in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59.L.5) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/66.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/66 National legislation on transfer of arms, military equipment and dual-use goods and technology.
Invites Member States that are in a position to do so to enact or improve national legislation, regulations and procedures to exercise effective control over the transfer of arms, military equipment and dual-use goods and technology; encourages Member States to provide, on a voluntary basis, information to the Secretary-General on their national legislation, regulations and procedures on the transfer of arms, military equipment and dual-use goods and technology, as well as the changes therein, and requests the Secretary-General to make this information accessible to Member States; decides to remain attentive to the matter. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

ARMS TRANSFERS–TRANSPARENCY (Agenda item 65w)

Reports

A/59/193 United Nations Register of Conventional Arms : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 30 July 2004.

A/59/193/Add.1 United Nations Register of Conventional Arms : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/193/Add.2 United Nations Register of Conventional Arms : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 24 Mar. 2005.

A/59/193/Corr.1 United Nations Register of Conventional Arms : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 28 Dec. 2004. - Corrects text and replaces a table.

A/59/193/Corr.2 United Nations Register of Conventional Arms : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 28 June 2005. - Corrects text.

ARMS TRANSFERS–TRANSPARENCY (Agenda item 65w) (continued)

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2004).

ASIAN-AFRICAN LEGAL CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 56b)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization : draft resolution / Indonesia.

A/59/L.1/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Australia, Bangladesh, China, Cyprus, Egypt, Ghana, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nigeria, Republic of Korea, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand and Togo.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

At the 40th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/3.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/3 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization.

Recommends that, with a view to promoting close interaction between the Consultative Organization and the 6th Committee, the consideration of the sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization" should be scheduled to coincide with the deliberations of the Committee on the work of the International Law Commission; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on cooperation between UN and the Consultative Organization. (Adopted without vote, 40th plenary meeting, 22 Oct. 2004)

ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH-EAST ASIAN NATIONS–UN (Agenda item 56c)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH-EAST ASIAN NATIONS– UN (Agenda item 56c) (continued)

General documents

A/59/612 Letter, 14 Dec. 2004, from the Lao People's Democratic Republic. Reports, on behalf of the member countries of the Association of South-East Asian Nations (ASEAN), that the 10th ASEAN summit and its related summit meetings were held on 29-30 Nov. 2004 in Vientiane, Lao People's Democratic Republic; transmits the press statement issued by the Chairman of the 10th ASEAN summit and its related summit meetings on 30 Nov. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.6 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of South-East Asian Nations : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Cuba, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, New Zealand, Philippines, Romania, Singapore, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Viet Nam.

A/59/L.6/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of South-East Asian Nations : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Australia, Azerbaijan, Bhutan, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Canada, Chile, China, Cyprus, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominican Republic, Egypt, El Salvador, France, Gabon, Georgia, Guinea, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Japan, Maldives, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Nepal, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Solomon Islands, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Tajikistan, Turkey, United States, Uzbekistan and Yemen.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

At the 40th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.6 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/5.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/5 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations.

Continues to encourage both UN and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations to further increase contacts and strengthen areas of cooperation; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 61st session the sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations". (Adopted without vote, 40th plenary meeting, 22 Oct. 2004)

ATOMIC RADIATION

See: RADIATION EFFECTS

AZERBAIJAN SITUATION (Agenda item 163)

General documents

A/59/568 Letter, 11 Nov. 2004, from Azerbaijan. Transmits letter of the same date from the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Azerbaijan regarding the alleged illegal activities carried out by Armenia in and around Nagorno Karabakh and providing information on the transfer of population into the territories.

A/59/576 (S/2004/913) Letter, 18 Nov. 2004, from Armenia. Transmits information regarding the Nagorno Karabakh situation and the obstacles for negotiation towards a peaceful resolution of the conflict due to alleged Azerbaijani hostilities.

A/59/593 Letter, 3 Dec. 2004, from Armenia. Refers to the concluding observations of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on the 2nd periodic report of Azerbaijan on the implementation of the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (E/C.12/1/Add.104, 26 Nov. 2004) and concerns Azerbaijan's alleged discriminatory policies against ethnic minorities, including alleged illegal occupation of properties belonging to Armenians and other ethnic minorities.

A/59/689 (S/2005/64) Letter, 2 Feb. 2005, from Azerbaijan. Transmits resolution 1416 and recommendation 1690, both entitled "The conflict over the Nagorno-Karabakh region dealt with by the OSCE Minsk Conference", adopted on 25 Jan. 2005 by the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe.

A/59/690 Letter, 2 Feb. 2005 from Azerbaijan. Refers to letter of 3 Dec. 2004 from Armenia (A/59/593), in which reference was made to the concluding observations of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on the 2nd periodic report of Azerbaijan (E/C.12/1/Add.104) and concerned Azerbaijan's alleged discriminatory policies against ethnic minorities, including alleged illegal occupation of properties belonging to Armenians and other ethnic minorities; refutes allegations contained therein.

A/59/713 (S/2005/125) Letter, 24 Feb. 2005, from Azerbaijan. Transmits appeal of refugees of Khojaly to the UN, the Council of Europe and the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe in connection with the 13th anniversary of the incident in Khojaly, Azerbaijan, 26 Feb. 1992, which led to the deaths of civilians.

A/59/720 (S/2005/132) Letter, 28 Feb. 2005, from Azerbaijan. Reports that Armenia continues to conduct an active settlement policy in the territories of Azerbaijan allegedly occupied by Armenia, in violations of laws and customs of war and contrary to the process of peaceful settlement of the conflict.

A/59/720/Corr.1 (S/2005/132/Corr.1) Letter, 28 Feb. 2005, from Azerbaijan : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

**AZERBAIJAN SITUATION (Agenda item 163)
(continued)**

A/59/729 (S/2005/145) Letter, 7 Mar. 2005, from Armenia. Refers to the historical event of the pogroms of Armenians in Sumgait and concerns Azerbaijan's alleged discriminatory policies against ethnic minorities, including alleged illegal occupation of properties belonging to Armenians and other ethnic minorities.

A/59/740 (S/2005/171) Letter, 15 Mar. 2005, from Armenia. Transmits statement issued by the Press Service of the Ministry of Defence of Nagorno Karabakh on 8 Mar. 2005 concerning an incident on the demarcation line of Azerbaijan-Karabakh on 7 Mar. 2005; appeals to the Azerbaijani side to strictly follow the ceasefire regime so as not to destabilize the situation and threaten the peace and security in the region.

A/59/742 (S/2005/182) Letter, 16 Mar. 2005, from Armenia. Transmits statement of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Armenia on the results of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) Minsk Group fact-finding mission to the occupied territories of Azerbaijan surrounding Nagorno-Karabakh, issued on 16 Mar. 2005, as well as the report of the OSCE fact-finding mission and the related letter of the OSCE Minsk Group Co-Chairs.

A/59/743 (S/2005/184) Letter, 8 Mar. 2005, from Armenia. Refers to letter of 24 Feb. 2005 from Azerbaijan (A/59/713-S/2005/125) regarding the events in Khojaly and states that the armed forces of Armenia have never participated in the conflict in and around Nagorno Karabakh; states further that no armed forces of the newly independent Armenia could have participated at the events in Khojaly as those forces had not yet been formed at the time.

A/59/747 (S/2005/187) Letter, 18 Mar. 2005, from Azerbaijan. Refers to letter of 28 Feb. 2005 (A/59/720-S/2005/132) and transmits report of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) fact-finding mission to the occupied territories of Azerbaijan surrounding Nagorno-Karabakh and letter of the OSCE Minsk Group Co-Chairmen to the OSCE Permanent Council on the findings of the fact-finding mission.

A/59/809 (S/2005/338) Letter, 20 May 2005, from Azerbaijan. Transmits statement by the Milli Mejlis (Parliament) of Azerbaijan concerning Nagorno Karabakh conflict and relations between Armenia and Azerbaijan, in connection with the 13th anniversary of the alleged occupation of the city of Shusha, Azerbaijan, by the armed forces of Armenia.

A/59/851 (S/2005/397) Letter, 16 June 2005, from Azerbaijan. Transmits statement by the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Azerbaijan regarding alleged intention of Armenia to hold elections in Nagorno-Karabakh scheduled on 19 June 2005.

**AZERBAIJAN SITUATION (Agenda item 163)
(continued)**

A/59/862 (S/2005/426) Letter, 30 June 2005, from Azerbaijan. Refers to letter of 17 June 2005 from Azerbaijan (A/59/851-S/2005/397) concerning "parliamentary elections" held in Nagorno-Karabakh and transmits statements issued by the Ministries for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation and France, the co-chairing countries of the OSCE Minsk Group, reaffirming their support for the territorial integrity of Azerbaijan.

A/59/901 (S/2005/542) Letter, 4 Aug. 2005, from Azerbaijan. Transmits address of the Central Election Commission of Azerbaijan to the voters in Khankendi Constituency No. 122 of Azerbaijan concerning upcoming elections to the Milli Majlis (Parliament) of Azerbaijan, to be held on 6 Nov. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.32 The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan : draft resolution / Azerbaijan.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.60 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, the Assembly decided to defer consideration of this item and include it in the draft agenda of its 60th session: decision 59/571.

BACTERIOLOGICAL WEAPONS

See: BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS-TREATIES (1972)

BALLISTIC MISSILES (Agenda item 65g)

Reports

A/59/137 Missiles : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 12 July 2004.

A/59/137/Add.1 Missiles : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/278 The issue of missiles in all its aspects : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 18 Aug. 2004.

A/59/278/Corr.1 The issue of missiles in all its aspects : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 13 Sept. 2004. - Corrects text.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.6 Missiles : draft resolution / Egypt, Indonesia and Iran (Islamic Republic of).

A/C.1/59/L.6/Rev.1 Missiles : revised draft resolution / Egypt, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.16 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

BALLISTIC MISSILES (Agenda item 65g)
(continued)

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59.L.6/Rev.1) was adopted (119-4-60): resolution 59/67.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/67 Missiles.

Requests the Secretary-General to prepare a report, with the support of qualified consultants and the UN Institute for Disarmament Research, as appropriate, taking into account the views expressed by Member States, to contribute to UN endeavour to address the issue of missiles in all its aspects, by identifying areas where consensus can be reached, and to submit it to the General Assembly at its 61st session; also requests the Secretary-General, with the assistance of a Panel of Governmental Experts, to be established in 2007 on the basis of equitable geographical distribution, to further explore further ways and means to address within UN the issue of missiles in all its aspects, including identifying areas where consensus can be reached, and to submit a report for consideration by the General Assembly at its 63rd session. (Adopted 119-4-60, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

BEIJING DECLARATION (1995)

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT-CONFERENCES (4TH : 1995 : BEIJING)-FOLLOW-UP

BELARUS-HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS-BELARUS

BERMUDA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/478 entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/134.

BERMUDA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)
(continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-III] Bermuda.

Welcomes the agreement reached in June 2002 between the United States, the United Kingdom and the Territory formally transferring the former military base lands to the territorial Government, and the provision of financial resources to address some of the environmental problems; decides to closely follow the territorial consultations on the future status of Bermuda and to facilitate assistance to the Territory in a public educational programme, if requested, as well as to hold consultations and to make all necessary arrangements to have a visiting mission to the Territory. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY-TREATIES (1992)
(Agenda item 85f)

See also: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Reports

A/59/197 Implementation of United Nations environmental conventions : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 Aug. 2004. - Transmits reports submitted by the secretariats of the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change, the UN Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, particularly in Africa, and the Convention on Biological Diversity, as well as a joint submission on cooperative activities of the 3 secretariats.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.12 Convention on Biological Diversity : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.55 (A/59/483/Add.6).

A/C.2/59/L.55 Convention on Biological Diversity : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.12.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/483/Add.6 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.14 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.15 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.16 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.37 (3 Dec. 2004).

BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY–TREATIES (1992)
(Agenda item 85f) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/483/Add.6 (originally A/C.2/59/L.55) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/236.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/236 Convention on Biological Diversity.

Takes note of the outcome of the 7th meeting of the Conference of Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity and the outcome of the 1st meeting of the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety, and urges all parties to these respective agreements to implement their decisions; reiterates that the effective implementation of the Protocol will require the full support of parties and of relevant international organizations; invites the countries that have not yet done so to ratify or to accede to the Convention on Biological Diversity, the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety and the International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture; urges parties to the Convention to facilitate the transfer of technology for the effective implementation of the Convention; stresses the importance of harmonizing the reporting requirements of the biodiversity-related conventions while respecting their independent legal status; invites the Executive Secretary of the Convention to continue reporting to the General Assembly on the ongoing work regarding the Convention, including its Cartagena Protocol; decides to include this item in the provisional agenda of its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1972)
(Agenda item 72)

See also: DISARMAMENT–GENERAL AND COMPLETE

General documents

A/C.1/59/4 Letter, 12 Oct. 2004, from Ukraine. Transmits statement of 9 Oct. 2004 issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine concerning alleged use of biological weapons or their components to poison one of the candidates for Presidency in Ukraine.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.17 Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction : draft resolution / Hungary.

A/C.1/59/L.17/Rev.1 Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction : draft resolution / Hungary.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/466 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.21 (3 Nov. 2004).

BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1972)
(Agenda item 72) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/466 (originally A/C.1/59/L.17/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/110.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/110 Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction.

Reaffirms the call upon all signatory States that have not yet ratified the Convention to do so without delay, and calls upon those States that have not signed the Convention to become parties thereto at an early date; reiterates its call upon all States parties to the Convention to participate in the exchange of information and data agreed to in the Final Declaration of the 3rd Review Conference of the Parties to the Convention; requests the Secretary-General to continue to render the necessary assistance to the depositary Governments of the Convention and to provide such services as many be required for the implementation of the decisions and recommendations of the Review Conferences. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

BLACK SEA ECONOMIC COOPERATION ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 56d)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.57 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization : draft resolution / Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bulgaria, Georgia, Greece, Italy, Kyrgyzstan, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia and Montenegro, Turkey and Ukraine.

A/59/L.57/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization : draft resolution : addendum.
Additional sponsors: Austria, Germany, Slovakia, Tunisia.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.57 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/259.

**BLACK SEA ECONOMIC COOPERATION
ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 56d)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/259 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization. Welcomes the statement issued in Istanbul on 25 June 2004 on the contribution of the organization to security and stability; takes note of the entry into force of the Additional Protocol to the Agreement among the Governments of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization Participating States in Cooperation in Combating Crime, in Particular in its Organizational Forms, done in Kyiv on 15 Mar. 2002; takes note of the positive contribution of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization, the Business Council, the Black Sea Trade and Development Bank and the International Centre for Black Sea Studies to the strengthening of multifaceted regional cooperation in the Black Sea area; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of the 61st session the sub item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization". (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

BRIBERY–COMMERCIAL TRANSACTIONS

See: CORRUPT PRACTICES

BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/478 entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/134.

BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 20) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-IV] British Virgin Islands.

Welcomes the constitutional review process led by the Government of the British Virgin Islands in cooperation with the administering Power. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

BUDGET–UN

See: UN–BUDGET (2004–2005)

UN–BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS

BURUNDI–HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–BURUNDI

CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2004–2005)–UN

See: UN–CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2004–2005)

CAMBODIA

See: HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT–CAMBODIA

CAPITAL MASTER PLAN (Agenda item 106n)

Reports

A/59/161 Report of the Board of Auditors on the capital master plan for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2004. - Transmits report of the Board of Auditors, submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/292 of 20 Dec. 2002.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.74 Capital master plan : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/448/Add.4 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/448/Add.4 (originally A/C.5/59/L.74) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/295.

**CAPITAL MASTER PLAN (Agenda item 106n)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/295 Capital master plan.

Decides to convert US\$17,802,000 of the existing commitment authority into an appropriation with assessment for the year 2005 and to renew the existing commitment authority for the balance of \$8,198,000 for the year 2006 so as to provide for the continuation of design work and related project management and management of pre-construction services for the baseline scope and scope options of the capital master plan. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

CARIBBEAN COMMUNITY–UN (Agenda item 56e)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.25 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Caribbean Community : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname and Trinidad and Tobago.

A/59/L.25/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Caribbean Community : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Grenada, Thailand.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

**CARIBBEAN COMMUNITY–UN (Agenda item 56e)
(continued)**

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.25, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/138.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/138 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Caribbean Community.

Invites the Secretary-General to continue to promote and expand cooperation and coordination between UN and the Caribbean Community in order to increase the capacity of the 2 organizations to attain their objectives; invites the organizations of the UN system as well as Member States to increase financial and other assistance to the countries of the Caribbean Community to help to implement the priorities of the Caribbean Regional Strategic Plan of Action, which sets out realistic targets for reducing the rate of new infections, raising the quality and coverage of care, treatment and support and building institutional capacity, and to cope with the problems and the burden caused by the HIV/AIDS pandemic; recommends that the 4th general meeting between representatives of the Caribbean Community and its associated institutions and of the UN system be held in the Caribbean in early 2006 in order to review and appraise progress in the implementation of the agreed areas and issues and to hold consultations on such additional measures and procedures as may be required to facilitate and strengthen cooperation between the two organizations; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

CAYMAN ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR. 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.
Issued: 2004.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/478 entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/134.

**CAYMAN ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 20)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-V] Cayman Islands.

Welcomes the continuing constitutional review process led by the Government of the Cayman Islands in cooperation with the administering Power. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

CENTRAL AMERICA SITUATION (Agenda item 26)

Reports

A/59/307 United Nations Verification Mission in Guatemala : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 30 Aug. 2004.

A/59/746 United Nations Verification Mission in Guatemala : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 18 Mar. 2005.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.48 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

CHARTER–UN

See: UN–CHARTER

**CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WARFARE–
TREATIES (1925) (Agenda item 65d)**

General documents

A/59/179 Measures to uphold the authority of the 1925 Geneva Protocol : note / by the Secretary-General.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.12 Measures to uphold the authority of the 1925 Geneva Protocol : draft resolution / Malaysia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement].

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution V in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.12) was adopted (179-0-5): resolution 59/70.

**CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WARFARE–
TREATIES (1925) (Agenda item 65d) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/70 Measures to uphold the authority of the 1925 Geneva Protocol.

Renews its previous call to all States to observe strictly the principles and objectives of the Protocol for the Prohibition of the Use in War of Asphyxiating, Poisonous or Other Gases, and of Bacteriological Methods of Warfare, and reaffirms the vital necessity of upholding its provisions; calls upon those States that continue to maintain reservations to the 1925 Geneva Protocol to withdraw them. (Adopted 179-0-5, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

CHEMICAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1993) (Agenda item 65u)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.16 Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction : draft resolution / Poland.

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution VII in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.16) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/72.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/72 Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction.

Emphasizes that the universality of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction is fundamental to the achievement of its objective and purpose; underlines that the Convention and its implementation contribute to enhancing international peace and security; stresses that full and effective implementation of all provisions of the Convention is in itself important contribution to the efforts of the UN in global fight against terrorism; also stresses importance to the Convention that all possessors of chemical weapons, and its production and development facilities should be among States parties to the Convention; stresses importance of the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons in verifying compliance with the provisions of the Convention; urges all States parties to the Convention to meet in full and on time their obligations under the Convention. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

CLIMATE (Agenda item 85d)

See also: ENVIRONMENT-SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT-CONFERENCES (1992 :
RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)-FOLLOW-UP

Reports

A/59/197 Implementation of United Nations environmental conventions : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 Aug. 2004. - Transmits reports submitted by the secretariats of the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change, the UN Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, particularly in Africa, and the Convention on Biological Diversity, as well as a joint submission on cooperative activities of the 3 secretariats.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.13 Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.30 (A/59/483/Add.4).

A/C.2/59/L.30 Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.13.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/483/Add.4 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.14 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.15 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.16 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/483/Add.4 (originally A/C.2/59/L.30) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/234.

CLIMATE (Agenda item 85d) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/234 Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind.

Calls upon States to work cooperatively towards achieving the ultimate objective of the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change; strongly urges States that have not yet ratified the Convention to do so in a timely manner; takes note of the decisions adopted by the Conference of the Parties at its 9th session, and calls for their implementation; encourages cooperation to promote complementarities among the three secretariats while respecting their independent legal status; invites the Executive Secretary of the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the work of the Conference of the Parties; invites the conferences of the parties to the multilateral environmental conventions, when setting the dates of their meetings, to take into consideration the schedule of meetings of the General Assembly and the Commission on Sustainable Development so as to ensure the adequate representation of developing countries at those meetings; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session the sub-item entitled "Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind". (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

CLONING OF HUMAN BEINGS--TREATIES (PROPOSED) (Agenda item 150)

Reports

A/59/597 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 ; international convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings : programme budget implications arising from the decision of the 6th Committee at its 27th meeting, on 19 November 2004 ; International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 ; rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev. 1 ; revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed sessions of 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 6 Dec. 2004.

A/C.6/59/L.27 Report of the Working Group established pursuant to General Assembly decision 59/547 to finalize the text of a United Nations declaration on human cloning.
Issued: 16 Feb. 2005.

A/C.6/59/L.27/Rev.1 Report of the Working Group established pursuant to General Assembly decision 59/547 to finalize the text of a United Nations declaration on human cloning.
Issued: 23 Feb. 2005. - No action was taken on the draft resolution contained in annex II to document A/C.6/59/L.27/Rev.1 (A/59/516).

**CLONING OF HUMAN BEINGS–TREATIES
(PROPOSED) (Agenda item 150) (continued)**

General documents

A/C.5/59/20 International Convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings : programme budget implications arising from the decision of the Chairman of the 6th Committee at its 27th meeting of 19 November 2004 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.6/59/INF/1 Considerations of the Holy See on human cloning : in view of the debate at the General Assembly of the United Nations on an international convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.21 Draft decisions submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.6/59/L.2 International convention against human cloning : draft resolution / Albania, Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, Benin, Burundi, Chad, Chile, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Fiji, Gambia, Grenada, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Italy, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Marshall Islands, Micronesia, Nauru, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Palau, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Philippines, Portugal, Rwanda, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Sao Tome and Principe, Sierra Leone, Solomon Islands, Suriname, Tajikistan, Timor-Leste, Tuvalu, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Vanuatu and Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Comoros, Georgia, Guyana, Ireland, Kazakhstan, Norway and Uzbekistan. - Angola, Chile and Malawi withdrew as sponsors of the draft resolution (A/59/516).

A/C.6/59/L.8 International convention against reproductive cloning of human beings : draft resolution / Belarus, Belgium, Cambodia, China, Cuba, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Iceland, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Republic of Korea, Singapore, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsor: France (A/59/516).

A/C.6/59/L.26 International convention against reproductive cloning of human beings : draft resolution / Italy.

A/C.6/59/L.27/Add.1 United Nations Declaration on Human Cloning : draft resolution : Chairman's text.

A/C.6/59/L.27/Add.2 United Nations draft Declaration on Human Cloning : informal proposals.

A/C.6/59/L.28 United Nations Declaration on Human Cloning : proposed amendment to A/C.6/59/L.26 / Belgium.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/638 Report of the 5th Committee.

**CLONING OF HUMAN BEINGS–TREATIES
(PROPOSED) (Agenda item 150) (continued)**

A/C.5/59/SR.29 (13 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/516 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/59/516/Add.1 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/59/516/Corr.1 Report of the 6th Committee : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.6/59/SR.11 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.12 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.27 (19 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.28 (18 Feb. 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft decision in A/59/516 entitled "Working Group to finalize the text of a United Nations declaration on human cloning" was adopted without vote: decision 59/547.

A/59/PV.82 (8 Mar. 2005).

At the 82nd meeting, draft resolution in A/59/516/Add.1 entitled "United Nations Declaration on Human Cloning" was adopted (84-34-37): resolution 59/280.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/280 United Nations Declaration on Human Cloning.

Approves the UN Declaration on Human Cloning annexed to the present resolution. (Adopted 84-34-37, 82nd plenary meeting, 8 Mar. 2005)

**COLLECTIVE SECURITY TREATY
ORGANIZATION–OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda
item 157)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.4 Observer status for the Collective Security Treaty Organization in the General Assembly : draft resolution / Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation and Tajikistan.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/519 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.2 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/519 (originally A/C.6/59/L.4) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/50.

**COLLECTIVE SECURITY TREATY
ORGANIZATION—OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda
item 157) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/50 Observer status for the Collective Security Treaty Organization in the General Assembly.

Decides to invite the Collective Security Treaty Organization to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer; requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary action to implement the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

COLONIAL COUNTRIES

See: DECOLONIZATION

COMMODITIES (Agenda item 83d)

Reports

A/59/304 World commodity trends and prospects : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 27 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.26 Commodities : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/C.2/59/L.26/Rev.1 Commodities : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/481 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/481/Add.4 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.22 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.23 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.24 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.31 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.40 (16 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/481/Add.4 (originally A/C.2/59/L.26/Rev.1), as a whole, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/224.

COMMODITIES (Agenda item 83d) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/224 Commodities.

Encourages developing countries, with the necessary support of donor countries and the international community, to formulate specific commodity policies so as to contribute to the facilitation of trade expansion, the reduction of vulnerability and the improvement of livelihood and food security; calls upon developed countries that have not already done so to work towards the objective of providing duty-free and quota-free market access for all least developed country products; reiterates the role of the UN Conference on Trade and Development in addressing commodities issues in a comprehensive way; notes with concern that the real prices of some commodities are still on a declining trend, and requests the UN Conference on Trade and Development and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN, with in their respective mandates, to explore appropriate ways of addressing this problem and identifying best practices for dealing with persistent oversupply situations; calls upon the UN Conference on Trade and Development to continue to work for the effective operation of the International Task Force on Commodities; requests the Secretary-General of the UN, in collaboration with the Secretariat of the UN Conference on Trade and Development, to report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

**COMMUNITY OF PORTUGUESE-SPEAKING
COUNTRIES—UN (Agenda item 56t)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.14 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries : draft resolution / Angola, Brazil, Cape Verde, Guinea-Bissau, Mozambique, Portugal, Sao Tome and Principe and Timor-Leste.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.50 (8 Nov. 2004).

At the 50th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.14 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/21.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/21 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries.

Invites the Secretary-General of the UN to undertake consultations with the Executive Secretary of the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries, with a view to promoting cooperation between the secretariats of the two bodies; requests the specialized agencies and other bodies and programmes of the UN System to cooperate to that end with the Secretary-General and the Executive Secretary; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on the implementation of the present resolution to the General Assembly at its 61st session. (Adopted without vote, 50th plenary meeting, 8 Nov. 2004)

COMOROS–ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–COMOROS

COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR TEST-BAN TREATY (1996)

See: NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS–TREATIES

CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES TO THE UNITED NATIONS FRAME FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE

See: CLIMATE

CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES (Agenda item 65m)

Reports

A/59/127 Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 6 July 2004.

A/59/127/Add.1 Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 6 July 2004.

A/59/127/Corr.1 Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 14 Sept. 2004. – Corrects text.

General documents

A/59/741 (S/2005/172) Letter, 11 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan. Transmits, as Chair of the meeting of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, joint communiqué of the meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, held in Astana on 25 Feb. 2005; underlines the importance of strengthening the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in order to ensure stability and peace in Central Asia.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.45 Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context : draft resolution / Liberia and Pakistan.

A/C.1/59/L.45/Rev.1 Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context : revised draft resolution / Pakistan.

A/C.1/59/L.45/Rev.2 Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context : revised draft resolution / Pakistan.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.16 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.21 (3 Nov. 2004).

CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES (Agenda item 65m) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XXII in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.45/Rev.2) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/87.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/87 Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context.

Calls upon Member States to refrain from use or threat of use of force in accordance with the Charter of the UN; reaffirms the ways and means regarding confidence- and security-building measures set out in the report of the Disarmament Commission on its 1993 session (A/48/42); calls upon Member States to pursue those ways and means through sustained consultations and dialogue while avoiding actions which may hinder or impair such a dialogue; urges States to comply strictly with all bilateral, regional and international agreements to which they are party; emphasizes the objective of confidence-building measures should be to help strengthen international peace and security and be consistent with the principle of undiminished security at the lowest level of armament; encourages promotion of bilateral and regional confidence-building measures. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES–REGIONAL PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 66h)

See also: REGIONAL DISARMAMENT

Reports

A/59/154 (S/2004/576) Letter, 14 July 2004, from Equatorial Guinea. Transmits report of the 21st ministerial meeting of the UN Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa, held in Malabo, Equatorial Guinea, 21-25 June 2004.

A/59/182 Regional confidence-building measures : activities of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 26 July 2004.

A/59/769 (S/2005/212) Letter, 5 Apr. 2005, from the Congo. Transmits report of the 22nd ministerial meeting of the UN Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa, held in Brazzaville, 14-18 Mar. 2005.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES–REGIONAL PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 66h) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.3 Regional confidence-building measures : activities of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa : draft resolution / Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea and Gabon.
Additional sponsor: Rwanda (A/C.1/59/INF/2).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/460 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution I in A/59/460 (originally A/C.1/59/L.3) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/96.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/96 Regional confidence-building measures : activities of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa.

Reaffirms its support for efforts aimed at promoting confidence-building measures at the regional and subregional levels in order to ease tensions and conflicts in Central Africa and to further peace, stability and sustainable development in the subregion; requests the Secretary-General and the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights to continue to provide their full assistance for the proper functioning of the Subregional Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Central Africa; requests the Secretary-General, pursuant to Security Council resolution 1197 (1998), to provide the States members of the Standing Advisory Committee with the necessary support for the implementation and smooth functioning of the Council for Peace and Security in Central Africa and the early warning mechanism; also requests the Secretary-General to support the establishment of a network of parliamentarians with a view to the creation of a subregional parliament in Central Africa. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

CONTROL OF DOCUMENTATION–UN

See: UN–CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2004-2005)

CONVENTION ON BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY (1992)

See: BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY–TREATIES (1992)

CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE (1992)

See: CLIMATE

CONVENTION ON JURISDICTIONAL IMMUNITIES OF STATES AND THEIR PROPERTY (DRAFT)

See: STATE IMMUNITIES

CONVENTION ON PROHIBITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF CERTAIN CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS WHICH MAY BE DEEMED TO BE EXCESSIVELY INJURIOUS OR TO HAVE INDISCRIMINATE EFFECTS (1980)

See: CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1980)

CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN (1979)

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT–CONFERENCES (4TH : 1995 : BEIJING)–FOLLOW-UP

CONVENTION ON THE PROHIBITION OF THE DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION AND STOCKPILING OF BACTERIOLOGICAL (BIOLOGICAL) AND TOXIN WEAPONS AND ON THEIR DESTRUCTION (1972)

See: BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1972)

CONVENTION ON THE PROHIBITION OF THE DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION, STOCKPILING AND USE OF CHEMICAL WEAPONS AND ON THEIR DESTRUCTION (1993)

See: CHEMICAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1993)

CONVENTION ON THE PROHIBITION OF THE USE OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS (DRAFT)

See: NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–TREATIES (DRAFT)

CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (1989)

See: RIGHTS OF THE CHILD

CONVENTIONAL ARMS–REGIONAL PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 65j)

Reports

A/59/118 Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 June 2004. - Includes replies received from Member States.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.46 Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Germany, Liberia, Nepal, Pakistan, Peru, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Ukraine.

Additional sponsors: Belarus, Italy, Papua New Guinea and Spain (A/59/459).

**CONVENTIONAL ARMS–REGIONAL
PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 65j) (continued)**

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XXIII in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.46) was adopted (178-1-1): resolution 59/88.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/88 Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels.

Decides to give urgent consideration to issues involved in conventional arms control at regional and subregional levels; requests the Conference on Disarmament to consider formulation of principles that can serve as framework for regional agreements on conventional arms control; requests the Secretary-General to seek views of Member States on the subject and to submit report to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted 178-1-1, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1980)
(Agenda item 69)**

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

**CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1980)
(Agenda item 69) (continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.54 Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, India, Ireland, Italy, Israel, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mongolia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Ecuador, Kazakhstan, Monaco, Nicaragua, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Republic of Korea, Switzerland, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Venezuela and Uruguay (A/59/463).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/463 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.12 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/463 (originally A/C.1/59/L.54) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/107.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/107 Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects.

Calls upon all States that have not yet done so to become parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects and Protocols thereto; calls upon all States parties to the Convention that have not yet done so to express their consent to be bound by the Protocols to the Convention and the amendment extending the scope of the Convention and the Protocols thereto to include armed conflicts of non-international character; requests the Secretary-General, in his capacity as depositary of the Convention and the Protocols thereto, to continue to inform the General Assembly periodically, by electronic means, of ratifications and acceptances of and accessions to the Convention and the Protocols thereto. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

CORRUPT PRACTICES (Agenda item 87c)

Reports

A/59/203 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of funds of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 30 July 2004.

A/59/203/Add.1 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of funds of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 14 Oct. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.22 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of funds of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.67 (A/59/485/Add.3).

A/C.2/59/L.67 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of funds of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Antonio Bernardini (Italy), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.22.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/485 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/485/Add.3 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.20 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.21 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.22 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.27 (5 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.39 (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/485/Add.3 (originally A/C.2/59/L.67) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/242.

CORRUPT PRACTICES (Agenda item 87c) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/242 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin.
Condemns corruption in all its forms, including bribery, money-laundering and the transfer of assets of illicit origin; calls for further international cooperation to prevent and combat corrupt practices and the transfer of assets of illicit origin; reiterates its request to the international community to provide technical assistance to support national efforts to strengthen human and institutional capacity aimed at preventing and combating corrupt practices and the transfer of assets of illicit origin; urges all Member States to abide by the principles of proper management of public affairs and public property, fairness, responsibility and equality before the law and the need to safeguard integrity and to foster a culture of transparency, accountability and rejection of corruption; calls upon the private sector to remain fully engaged in the fight against corruption; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution and on the impact of corruption in all its forms, including on the scale of transfers of assets of illicit origin and the impact of corruption and such outflows on economic growth and sustainable development. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

COUNCIL OF EUROPE–UN (Agenda item 56f)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/689 (S/2005/64) Letter, 2 Feb. 2005, from Azerbaijan. Transmits resolution 1416 and recommendation 1690, both entitled "The conflict over the Nagorno-Karabakh region dealt with by the OSCE Minsk Conference", adopted on 25 Jan. 2005 by the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.31 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

**COUNCIL OF EUROPE–UN (Agenda item 56f)
(continued)**

A/59/L.31/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe : draft resolution : addendum.
Additional sponsors: Armenia, Croatia, Cyprus, Estonia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Ukraine.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.31 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/139.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/139 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe.

Requests the Secretary-General of the UN to continue exploring, with the Secretary-General of the Council of Europe, possibly by arranging a meeting of representatives of the 2 organizations in the light of the outcome of the 3rd Summit of the Council of Europe, possibilities for further enhancement of cooperation between the organizations; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 61st session the sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe", and requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on cooperation between the UN and the Council of Europe in general and, in particular, the results of the efforts referred to in paragraph 3 above to explore possibilities for further cooperation between the 2 organizations. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 96)

See also: INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT
INTERNATIONAL LAW

Reports

A/59/77 Crime prevention and criminal justice : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 29 Apr. 2004. - Transmits report of the High-Level Political Conference for the Signature of the UN Convention against Corruption, held in Merida, Mexico, 9-11 Dec. 2003.

A/59/123 (E/2004/90) Preparations for the 11th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 July 2004.

A/59/175 African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 29 July 2004.

A/59/187 Strengthening international cooperation and technical assistance in preventing and combating terrorism : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 30 July 2004.

**CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 96)
(continued)**

A/59/203 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of funds of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 July 2004.

A/59/203/Add.1 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of funds of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 14 Oct. 2004.

A/59/204 International cooperation in the fight against transnational organized crime : assistance to States in capacity-building with a view to facilitating the implementation of the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the Protocols thereto : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 30 July 2004.

A/59/205 Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 4 Aug. 2004.

General documents

A/59/383 (S/2004/758) Letter, 22 Sept. 2004, from Costa Rica. Transmits memorandum explaining why Costa Rica is proposing the setting up of a post of UN High Commissioner on Terrorism; describes its possible mandate, resources and procedures for its establishment.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/754 (S/2005/197) Letter, 10 Mar. 2005, from Croatia. Transmits the Zagreb Declaration on International Cooperation on Counter-Terrorism, Corruption and the Fight against Transnational Organized Crime, adopted at the expert workshop on "International cooperation on counter-terrorism, corruption and the fight against transnational organized crime", held on 7-9 Mar. 2005 in Zagreb; includes conclusions of the expert workshop.

A/59/817 Letter, 25 May 2005, from Uzbekistan. Transmits note from the Permanent Mission of Uzbekistan concerning events which occurred on 12-13 May 2005 in the Andijan region, connected with an alleged attempt by extremist forces to destabilize the situation in Uzbekistan and throughout Central Asia; states that an independent parliamentary commission to investigate the circumstances connected with events in Andijan has been set up on 23 May 2005.

**CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 96)
(continued)**

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/59/853 Letter, 15 June 2005, from Burkina Faso. Transmits report of the national seminar on the implementation of the universal instruments to combat terrorism, transnational organized crime and corruption, held 5-7 Jan. 2005.

A/59/882 (S/2005/488) Note verbale, 25 July 2005, from Cape Verde. Transmits action plan adopted by the Regional Expert Workshop on the Ratification and Implementation of the Universal Instruments Against Terrorism, Transnational Organized Crime and Corruption as well as on the Drafting of Reports of the Counter-Terrorism Committee of the UN Security Council, held in Praia, 8-10 Dec. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/59/895 (S/2005/527) Note verbale, 12 Aug. 2005, from Egypt. Transmits recommendations adopted by the National Workshop on Legal Instruments to Combat Terrorism, held in Cairo, 21-22 Dec. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.3 Preparations for the 11th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice : note / by the Secretariat.
Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.4 Assistance to least developed countries to ensure their participation in the sessions of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice and the sessions of conferences of States parties : note / by the Secretariat.
Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.5 Strengthening international cooperation and technical assistance in promoting the implementation of the universal conventions and protocols related to terrorism within the framework of the activities of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime : note / by the Secretariat.
Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

**CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 96)
(continued)**

A/C.3/59/L.6 International cooperation in the prevention, combating and elimination of kidnapping and in providing assistance to victims : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.7 Action against corruption : assistance to States in capacity-building with a view to facilitating the entry into force and subsequent implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.8 Preventing, combating and punishing trafficking in human organs : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.9 International cooperation in the fight against transnational organized crime : assistance to States in capacity-building with a view to facilitating the implementation of the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the Protocols thereto : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.20 International law enforcement assistance network for combating the criminal misuse of information technologies : draft resolution / United States of America.
The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsor (A/59/494).

A/C.3/59/L.21 United Nations African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders : draft resolution / Ethiopia [on behalf of the Group of African States].

A/C.3/59/L.22 Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity : draft resolution / Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Colombia, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
Additional sponsors: Argentina, Belarus, Norway and Peru (A/59/494).

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A/C.3/59/L.22/Rev.1 Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity : revised draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Mexico, Mongolia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Angola, Armenia, Bolivia, Botswana, China, Djibouti, Egypt, Eritrea, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Honduras, Malawi, Mauritius, Namibia, Somalia, Sudan, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay (A/59/494).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/494 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.6 (8 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.7 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.8 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.9 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.13 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.14 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.18 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

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Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions and draft decision in A/59/494 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.3), adopted without vote: resolution 59/151; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/59/L.4), adopted without vote: resolution 59/152; draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/59/L.5), adopted without vote: resolution 59/153; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.3/59/L.6), adopted without vote: resolution 59/154; draft resolution V (originally A/C.3/59/L.7), adopted without vote: resolution 59/155; draft resolution VI (originally A/C.3/59/L.8), adopted without vote: resolution 59/156; draft resolution VII (originally A/C.3/59/L.9), adopted without vote: resolution 59/157; draft resolution VIII (originally A/C.3/59/L.21), adopted without vote: resolution 59/158; draft resolution IX (originally A/C.3/59/L.22/Rev.1), adopted without vote: resolution 59/159; draft decision entitled "Reports considered by the General Assembly in connection with the question of crime prevention and criminal justice", adopted without vote: decision 59/523.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/151 Preparations for the 11th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice.

Requests the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice to begin preparation of a draft declaration at intersessional meetings to be held following its 13th session, for submission to the 11th UN Congress at least one month prior to its commencement, taking into account the recommendations of the regional preparatory meetings; approves the draft programme of work for the 11th UN Congress and the documentation relating thereto; emphasizes the importance of the workshops to be held during the 11th UN Congress; requests the Secretary-General to facilitate the organization of ancillary meetings of non-governmental and professional organizations participating in the 11th UN Congress, in accordance with past practice, as well as meetings of professional and geographical interest groups, and to take appropriate measures to encourage the participation of the academic and research community in the Congress; requests the Secretary-General to prepare an overview of the state of crime and criminal justice worldwide for presentation at the 11th UN Congress, in accordance with past practice. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

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A/RES/59/152 Assistance to least developed countries to ensure their participation in the sessions of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice and the sessions of conferences of States parties.

Calls upon Member States, international organizations and funding institutions to redouble their efforts to increase their voluntary contributions to assist the Secretary-General in covering the cost of travel and daily subsistence allowance for the participation of representatives of least developed countries in the sessions of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice and in the sessions of the Conference of the Parties to the UN Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the Conference of the States Parties to the UN Convention against Corruption, and requests the Executive Director of the UN Office on Drugs and Crime to intensify efforts to ensure the increased participation of representatives of least developed countries in those meetings; requests the Secretary-General to report to the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice at its 14th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/153 Strengthening international cooperation and technical assistance in promoting the implementation of the universal conventions and protocols related to terrorism within the framework of the activities of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.

Calls upon Member States that have not yet done so to become parties to and to implement the universal conventions and protocols related to terrorism as soon as possible and, where appropriate, to request assistance to that end from the UN Office on Drugs and Crime, in coordination with the Counter-Terrorism Committee; invites Member States to examine ways and means to reinforce international cooperation in criminal justice matters pertaining to terrorism prevention during the 11th UN Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice with a view to enhancing global efforts in the fight against terrorism; requests the UN Office on Drugs and Crime to intensify its efforts to provide technical assistance, upon request, in preventing and combating terrorism through the implementation of the universal conventions and protocols related to terrorism; requests the Secretary-General to convene, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, an expert workshop, and open to any Member State wishing to participate as an observer, to examine and analyse problems encountered by criminal justice practitioners in affording mutual legal assistance and granting extradition for terrorist offences; also requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

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A/RES/59/154 International cooperation in the prevention, combating and elimination of kidnapping and in providing assistance to victims.

Vigorously condemns and rejects once again the practice of kidnapping, under any circumstances and for any purpose, especially when it is carried out by organized criminal groups and terrorist groups; encourages Member States to continue to foster international cooperation, especially extradition, mutual legal assistance, collaboration between law enforcement authorities and exchange of information, with a view to preventing, combating and eradicating kidnapping; urges Member States that have not yet done so to pay special attention to the considerable psychological, social and economic damage associated with kidnapping by adopting legislative, administrative or any other measures to provide appropriate support and assistance to victims and their families; requests the UN Office on Drugs and Crime, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, to prepare a handbook, for use by competent authorities, of proven and promising practices in the fight against kidnapping. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/155 Action against corruption : assistance to States in capacity-building with a view to facilitating the entry into force and subsequent implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption.

Urges Member States to consider signing and ratifying the Convention as soon as possible, in order to allow its early entry into force and subsequent implementation; encourages Member States to make adequate voluntary contributions, where appropriate, to the UN Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Fund to provide developing countries and countries with economies in transition with the technical assistance they may require to implement the Convention, including assistance for the preparatory measures required for implementation, taking into account article 62 of the Convention; requests the Secretary-General to provide the UN Office on Drugs and Crime with the resources necessary to enable it to promote, in an effective manner, the entry into force and implementation of the Convention, inter alia, through the provision of assistance to developing countries and countries with economies in transition for building capacity in the areas covered by the Convention. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

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A/RES/59/156 Preventing, combating and punishing trafficking in human organs.

Urges Member States, should they ascertain that such a phenomenon exists in their country, to adopt the necessary measures to prevent, combat and punish the illicit removal of and trafficking in human organs; encourages Member States to exchange experience in and information on preventing, combating and punishing the illicit removal of and trafficking in human organs; requests the 11th UN Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice to pay attention to the issue of the illicit removal of and trafficking in human organs; requests the Secretary-General to prepare a study on the extent of the phenomenon of trafficking in human organs for submission to the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice at its 15th session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/157 International cooperation in the fight against transnational organized crime : assistance to States in capacity-building with a view to facilitating the implementation of the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the Protocols thereto.

Urges all States and relevant regional economic integration organizations that have not done so to consider ratifying or acceding to the Protocol against the Illicit Manufacturing of and Trafficking in Firearms, Their Parts and Components and Ammunition, supplementing the UN Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, as soon as possible; requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide the UN Office on Drugs and Crime with the resources necessary to enable it to promote, in an effective manner, the implementation of the Convention and the Protocols thereto and to discharge its functions as the secretariat of the Conference of the Parties in accordance with its mandate; requests the UN Office on Drugs and Crime to continue to assist States, upon request, with capacity-building in the area of international cooperation in criminal matters, in particular extradition and mutual legal assistance. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

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A/RES/59/158 United Nations African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders.

Reiterates the need to strengthen further the capacity of the Institute to support national mechanisms for crime prevention and criminal justice in African countries; urges the States members of the Institute to make every possible effort to meet their obligations to the Institute; calls upon all Member States and non-governmental organizations to adopt concrete practical measures to support the Institute in the development of the requisite capacity and to implement its programmes and activities aimed at strengthening crime prevention and criminal justice systems in Africa; requests the Secretary-General to intensify efforts to mobilize all relevant entities of the UN system to provide the necessary financial, technical support and core professional staff to the Institute to enable it to fulfil its mandate; calls upon the UN Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme and the UN Office on Drugs and Crime to work closely with the Institute; requests the Secretary-General to enhance the promotion of regional cooperation, coordination and collaboration in the fight against crime, especially in its transnational dimension, which cannot be dealt with adequately by national action alone; also requests the Secretary-General to make concrete proposals, including the provision of additional core professional staff, to strengthen the programmes and activities of the Institute and to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/159 Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity.

Reaffirms the importance of the UN Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme in promoting effective action to strengthen international cooperation in crime prevention and criminal justice; urges States and relevant international organizations to develop national, regional and international strategies and other necessary measures to complement the work of the UN Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme in addressing effectively the significant problems posed by the smuggling of migrants and trafficking in persons and related criminal activities, such as kidnapping; requests the Secretary-General to take all necessary measures to provide adequate support to the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice in performing its activities; urges all States and regional economic organizations that have not yet done so to ratify or accede to the UN Convention against Transnational Organized Crime (Palermo Convention) and the Protocols thereto; requests the Secretary-General to take all necessary measures and provide adequate support to the UN Office on Drugs and Crime so as to enable it to promote the speedy entry into force of the UN Convention against Corruption. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

CRIMINAL COURT

See: INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT

CUBA–UNITED STATES (Agenda item 28)

Reports

A/59/302(Part I) Necessity of ending the economic, commercial and financial embargo imposed by the United States of America against Cuba : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 27 Aug. 2004.

A/59/302(Part II) Necessity of ending the economic, commercial and financial embargo imposed by the United States of America against Cuba : report of the Secretary-General, Part II.
Issued: 5 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/59/348 Letter, 8 Sept. 2004, from Cuba. Transmits Cuba's report on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 58/7 entitled "Necessity of ending the economic, commercial and financial embargo imposed by the United States of America against Cuba".

A/59/443 Letter, 19 Oct. 2004, from Cuba. Transmits declaration of the Cuban non-governmental organizations participating in the 2nd Forum against the Embargo, held on 15 Oct. 2004 in Havana; included also is a list of Cuban non-governmental organizations.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.2 Necessity of ending the economic, commercial and financial embargo imposed by the United States of America against Cuba : draft resolution / Cuba.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.44 (28 Oct. 2004).

At the 44th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.2 was adopted (179-4-1): resolution 59/11.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/11 Necessity of ending the economic, commercial and financial embargo imposed by the United States of America against Cuba.

Reiterates its call upon all States to refrain from promulgating and applying laws and measures of the kind referred to in the preamble to the present resolution in conformity with their obligations under the Charter of the UN and international law, which, inter alia, reaffirm the freedom of trade and navigation; once again urges States that have and continue to apply such laws and measures to take the necessary steps to repeal or invalidate them as soon as possible in accordance with their legal regime; requests the Secretary-General, in consultation with the appropriate organs and agencies of the UN system, to prepare a report on the implementation of the present resolution in the light of the purposes and principles of the Charter and international law and to submit it to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted 179-4-1, 44th plenary meeting, 28 Oct. 2004)

CULTURAL DIVERSITY

See: HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT

CULTURE–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 87d)

Reports

A/59/202 Culture and development : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 3 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the Director-General of Unesco on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 57/249 of 20 Dec. 2002 on culture and development.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/485 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/485/Add.4 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.19 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.20 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.21 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.22 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.39 (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft decision in A/59/485/Add.4 entitled "Document relating to culture and development" was adopted without vote: decision 59/536.

CYPRUS QUESTION (Agenda item 29)

See also: UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS–FINANCING

General documents

A/59/363 (S/2004/738) Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits letter of the same date from Resat Çaglar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to a letter of 12 Aug. 2004 from Cyprus (A/58/869-S/2004/646) and concerns alleged expropriations of Turkish Cypriot properties and land in Cyprus.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/434 (S/2004/815) Letter, 14 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 4 Oct. 2004 from Resat Çaglar of the Turkish Cypriot community conveying a letter of the same date from Ali Talat of the Turkish Cypriot community concerning the statement made by the Cypriot leader, Tassos Papadopoulos, at the 59th session of the General-Assembly; concerns the alleged portrayal of the Cyprus question as a problem of "invasion and occupation" and "plea to Turkey to join" them in seeking a solution to the Cyprus problem.

A/59/564 (S/2004/893) Letter, 9 Nov. 2004 from Cyprus. Reports alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish military aircraft over the period 25 Aug. -3 Nov. 2004.

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A/59/580 (S/2004/926) Letter, 24 Nov. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits letter of the same date from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community concerning the statement made to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) by representative of Cyprus at the 59th session of the General Assembly on the agenda item entitled "Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects"; concerns the reviewed mandate of the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus in light of developments on the ground.

A/59/589 (S/2004/940) Letter, 30 Nov. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits letter of 29 Nov. 2004 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to his letter of 3 Sept. 2004 (A/58/885-S/2004/720) and to letter from Cyprus of 10 Nov. 2004 (A/59/564-S/2004/893); concerns violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish aircraft.

A/59/627 (S/2004/980) Letter, 16 Dec. 2004, from Cyprus. Reports alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish military aircraft over the period 10 Nov. -15 Dec. 2004.

A/59/664 (S/2005/7) Letter, 10 Jan. 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 3 Jan. 2003 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community concerning the statements made by representatives of Cyprus during the meetings of the 59th session of the General Assembly and rejects allegations made at those meetings regarding the 1974 Turkish intervention and the political settlement in Cyprus; invites the Greek Cypriot side to adopt a constructive approach for a negotiated settlement of the Cyprus problem.

A/59/665 (S/2005/8) Letter, 10 Jan. 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter of 4 Jan. 2005 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to his letter of 29 Nov. 2004 (A/59/589-S/2004/940) and to letter from Cyprus of 16 Dec. 2004 (A/59/627-S/2004/980) and concerns alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish aircraft.

A/59/696 (S/2005/75) Letter, 7 Jan. 2005, from Cyprus. Reports alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish military aircraft over the period 16 Dec. 2004-1 Feb. 2005.

A/59/699 (S/2005/85) Letter, 9 Jan. 2005, from Cyprus. Refers to statements made by the Commander of the land forces and the Deputy Chief of Staff of the Turkish army and the spokesman of the Turkish Foreign Ministry regarding the question of withdrawal of Turkish troops from Cyprus; reports illegal construction and property sale by Turkey of Greek Cypriot properties and the influx of Turkish nationals into Cyprus claiming to be seasonal workers; concerns also measures taken by the Government of Cyprus to assist Turkish Cypriots to benefit from the membership of Cyprus in the European Union.

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A/59/731 (S/2005/148) Letter, 3 Mar. 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter of 3 Mar. 2005 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to his letter of 4 Jan. 2005 (A/59/665-S/2005/8) and to letter from Cyprus of 7 Jan. 2005 (A/59/696-S/2005/75) and concerns alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish aircraft.

A/59/755 (S/2005/205) Letter, 24 Mar. 2005, from Cyprus. Reports alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish military aircraft over the period 2 Feb.-23 Mar. 2005.

A/59/760 (S/2005/214) Letter, 29 Mar. 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 28 Mar. 2005 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to letter from the representative of Cyprus (A/59/699-S/2005/85) and rejects allegations regarding the 1974 Turkish intervention and the political settlement in Cyprus; invites the Greek Cypriot side to adopt a constructive approach for a negotiated settlement of the Cyprus problem.

A/59/777 (S/2005/234) Letter, 8 Apr. 2005, from Cyprus. Concerns decision of the European Court of Human Rights as to the Admissibility of Application by Myra Xenides-Arestis against Turkey for the continued violation of her property rights in Famagusta, under the control of Turkish military forces; states that the decision can contribute in a constructive way and serve as guidance in the efforts to reach a just and lasting settlement of the Cyprus issue.

A/59/783 (S/2005/252) Letter, 15 Apr. 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter of the same date from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to his letter of 3 Mar. 2005 (A/59/731-S/2005/148) and to letter from Cyprus of 24 Mar. 2005 (A/59/755-S/2005/205) and concerns alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish aircraft.

A/59/804 (S/2005/319) Letter, 17 May 2005, from Cyprus. Reports alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish military aircraft over the period 30 Mar.-6 May 2005.

A/59/815 (S/2005/349) Letter, 26 May 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter of the same date from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to the letter of 15 Apr. 2005 (A/59/783-S/2005/252) and to letter from Cyprus of 17 May 2005 (A/59/804-S/2005/319) and concerns alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish aircraft.

A/59/820 (S/2005/355) Letter, 31 May 2005, from Turkey. Concerns proposals made on 30 May 2005 by the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs of Turkey for comprehensive solution to the settlement of the Cyprus issue.

CYPRUS QUESTION (Agenda item 29) (continued)

A/59/821 (S/2005/358) Letter, 31 May 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 27 May 2005 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community responding to letter dated 8 Apr. 2005 from Cyprus concerning a decision of the European Court of Human Rights with regard to a lawsuit brought against Turkey by Myra Xenedes-Arestes, a Greek Cypriot, for the alleged violation of her property rights.

A/59/846 (S/2005/387) Letter, 14 June 2005, from Cyprus. Reports alleged attempts by Turkey to reinforce its military presence in the occupied part of Cyprus, 3 Jan.-31 May 2005; states the strong protest and calls on the Turkish government to take heed both of the call of the international community and the will of Turkish Cypriots and Greek Cypriots to build their common future on the basis of mutual trust, security and respect.

A/59/857 (S/2005/422) Letter, 29 June 2005, from Cyprus. Refers to letter dated 31 May 2005 from Turkey (A/59/820-S/2005/355) and concerns the Government's position regarding the Turkish separatist proposals contained therein; calls on Turkey to set aside its position and to demonstrate in practical terms the good will needed to bring the 2 communities closer.

A/59/866 (S/2005/439) Letter, 5 July 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 28 June 2005 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to letter of 14 June 2005 (A/59/846-S/2005/387) and refutes allegations of attempts by Turkey to reinforce its military presence in Cyprus by increasing its number of troops and upgrading its military equipment; states that military activity by Turkey is due to rotation of troops as stated in the report of the Secretary-General covering almost the same period.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/59/892 (S/2005/510) Letter, 2 Aug. 2005, from Cyprus. Reports alleged violations of the flight information region of Nicosia and airspace of Cyprus by Turkish military aircraft over the period 14 May-27 July 2005.

A/59/897 (S/2005/531) Letter, 16 Aug. 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 12 Aug. 2005 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community forwarding letter from Serdar R. Denktaş of the Turkish Cypriot community; concerns report of the Secretary-General on the UN operation in Cyprus (S/2005/353) and the subsequent Security Council resolution 1604 (2005) adopted on 15 June 2005.

A/59/899 (S/2005/537) Letter, 19 Aug. 2005, from Cyprus. Refers to statement made by the Turkish Cypriot leader in an interview with a Turkish newspaper *The New Anatolian* regarding the return of Varosha to its lawful inhabitants.

CYPRUS QUESTION (Agenda item 29) (continued)

A/59/903 (S/2005/547) Letter, 25 Aug. 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 23 Aug. 2005 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to letter of 2 Aug. 2005 from Cyprus (A/59/892-S/2005/510) and refutes allegations of violations of the Cyprus airspace and of the flight information region of Nicosia.

A/59/906 (S/2005/538) Letter, 31 Aug. 2005, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 25 Aug. 2005 from Resat Çağlar of the Turkish Cypriot community referring to letter from the representative of Cyprus (A/59/857-S/2005/422) concerning the resolution of the Cyprus issue; concerns alleged rejection by Greek Cypriot side of the UN plan for a referendum and calls on the international community to act on bringing stability and sustainable resolution to Cyprus by ending all economic, social and political embargoes imposed on the Turkish Cypriot people since 1963.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

DAYS OF REMEMBRANCE AND RECONCILIATION (8 AND 9 MAY) (Agenda item 158)

General documents

A/59/797 Letter, 2 May 2005, from the Russian Federation. Transmits proclamation by the heads of the States members of the Commonwealth of Independent States to the peoples of Commonwealth countries and the international community in connection with the 60th anniversary of the victory in the Great Patriotic War of 1941-1945, dated 16 Sept. 2004, with a reservation made by the President of Azerbaijan at the time of approving the proclamation.

A/59/801 Letter, 9 May 2005, from the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela. Concerns commitment to peace by the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, on the occasion of the commemoration at the UN of the end of the Second World War.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.28 Declaration by the United Nations of 8 and 9 May as days of remembrance and reconciliation : draft resolution / Armenia, Belarus, Cambodia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan and Yemen.

A/59/L.28/Rev.1 Declaration by the United Nations of 8 and 9 May as days of remembrance and reconciliation : revised draft resolution / Armenia, Belarus, Cambodia, Chile, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan and Yemen.

A/59/L.28/Rev.2 Commemoration of the 60th anniversary of the end of the Second World War : revised draft resolution / Armenia, Belarus, Cambodia, Chile, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine and Uzbekistan.

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(8 AND 9 MAY) (Agenda item 158) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.57 (18 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.59 (22 Nov. 2004).

At the 59th meeting, draft resolution
A/59/L.28/Rev.2, as orally revised, was adopted without
vote: resolution 59/26.

A/59/PV.96 (9 May 2005).

Resolutions

A/RES/59/26 Commemoration of the 60th anniversary of
the end of the Second World War.

Declares 8-9 May as a time of remembrance and
reconciliation and, while recognizing that Member States
may have individual days of victory, liberation and
commemoration, invites all Member States, organizations
of the UN system, non-governmental organizations and
individuals to observe annually either one or both of these
days in an appropriate manner to pay tribute to all victims
of the Second World War; requests the President of the
General Assembly to hold a special solemn meeting of the
General Assembly in the 2nd week of May 2005 in
commemoration of all victims of the war; requests the
Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the
attention of all Member States and organizations of the UN
system and to take measures necessary for its
implementation. (Adopted without vote, 59th plenary
meeting, 22 Nov. 2004)

DEATH AND DISABILITY BENEFITS

See: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING

DEBTOR COUNTRIES

See: EXTERNAL DEBT

**DECADE FOR ACTION TO COMBAT RACISM AND
RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (3RD : 1993-2002)**

See: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

**DECADE TO ROLL BACK MALARIA IN
DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY IN
AFRICA (2001-2010)**

See: MALARIA–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (2001-2010)

**DECLARATION OF COMMITMENT ON HIV/AIDS
(2001)**

See: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (26th SPECIAL SESS. :
2001)–FOLLOW-UP

**DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF
INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND
PEOPLES (1960)**

See: DECOLONIZATION

**DECLARATION ON THE RIGHT AND
RESPONSIBILITY OF INDIVIDUALS, GROUPS AND
ORGANS OF SOCIETY TO PROMOTE AND
PROTECT UNIVERSALLY RECOGNIZED HUMAN
RIGHTS AND FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS (1998)**

See: HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT

DECOLONIZATION (Agenda item 20)

See also: AMERICAN SAMOA QUESTION

ANGUILLA QUESTION

BERMUDA QUESTION

BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION

CAYMAN ISLANDS QUESTION

GIBRALTAR QUESTION

GUAM QUESTION

MONTSERRAT QUESTION

NEW CALEDONIA QUESTION

PITCAIRN QUESTION

SAINT HELENA QUESTION

TOKELAU QUESTION

TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS QUESTION

UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS

WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR. 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the
Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the
Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of
Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for
2004.

Issued: 2004.

A/59/64 Implementation of the Declaration on the
Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and
Peoples by the specialized agencies and the
international institutions associated with the United
Nations : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 8 Mar. 2004.

General documents

A/C.4/59/4 Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Dominica.

Requests that the question of admission of Dominica as
a member of the Special Committee of 24 be taken up
by the General Assembly as soon as possible.

A/C.4/59/5 Letter, 7 Oct. 2004, from Timor-Leste.

Requests the inclusion of Timor-Leste as a member of
the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to
the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of
Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/59/L.2 Increase in the membership of the Special
Committee on the Situation with regard to the
Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of
Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples : draft
decision / Papua New Guinea [on behalf of the Special
Committee on the Situation with regard to the
Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of
Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples].

DECOLONIZATION (Agenda item 20) (continued)

A/C.4/59/L.2/Rev.1 Increase in the membership of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples : revised draft decision / Papua New Guinea [on behalf of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples].

A/C.4/59/L.3 Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples : draft resolution / Congo, Cuba, Mali, Papua New Guinea, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia and Syrian Arab Republic.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.4 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.5 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.6 (8 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.10 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.11 (18 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, action on draft resolutions and draft decisions in A/59/478 was as follows: draft resolution IV entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands", adopted without vote: resolution 59/134; draft resolution V entitled "Dissemination of information on decolonization", adopted (170-3-1): resolution 59/135; draft resolution VI (originally A/C.4/59/L.3), adopted (167-2-4): resolution 59/136; draft decision II (originally A/C.4/59/L.2/Rev.1), adopted without vote: decisions 59/414 and 59/520.

DECOLONIZATION (Agenda item 20) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134A-B Questions of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands.

The resolution is divided in 2 parts: A/RES/59/134 A: General and A/RES/59/134 B: Individual Territories; part B is subdivided in I-XI. B I: AMERICAN SAMOA QUESTION; B II: ANGUILLA QUESTION; B III: BERMUDA QUESTION; B IV: BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION; B V: CAYMAN ISLANDS QUESTION; B VI: GUAM QUESTION; B VII: MONTSERRAT QUESTION; B VIII: PITCAIRN QUESTION; B IX: SAINT HELENA QUESTION; B X: TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS QUESTION; B XI: UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION. (Adopted at the 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/134[A] General.

Reaffirms the inalienable right of the peoples of the Territories to self-determination, in conformity with the Charter of the UN and with the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples; requests the Special Committee to continue to follow closely the developments in legislation in the area of international financial services; requests the Territories and the administering Powers to take all necessary measures to protect and conserve the environment of the Territories under their administration against any environmental degradation; urges Member States to contribute to the efforts of the UN to usher in a world free of colonialism within the 2nd International Decade for the Eradication of Colonialism; requests the Special Committee to continue to examine the question of the Non-Self-Governing Territories and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session with recommendations on appropriate ways to assist the peoples of the Territories in exercising their right to self-determination. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

DECOLONIZATION (Agenda item 20) (continued)

A/RES/59/135 Dissemination of information on decolonization.

Considers it important to continue its efforts to ensure the widest possible dissemination of information on decolonization; requests the Department of Political Affairs and the Department of Public Information to take into account the suggestions of the Special Committee and continue their efforts to take measures through all the media available to give publicity to the work of the UN in the field of decolonization and, inter alia: (a) to continue to collect, prepare and disseminate basic material on the issue of self-determination of the peoples of Non-Self-Governing Territories; (b) to seek the full cooperation of the administering Powers in the discharge of the tasks referred to above; (c) to maintain a working relationship with the appropriate regional and intergovernmental organizations, by holding periodic consultations and exchanging information; (d) to encourage the involvement of non-governmental organizations in the dissemination of information on decolonization; (e) to report to the Special Committee on measures taken in the implementation of the present resolution; requests all States to continue to extend their cooperation in the dissemination of information referred to above; requests the Special Committee to follow the implementation of the present resolution and to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted 170-3-1, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/136 Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

Reaffirms its resolution 1514 (XV) and all other resolutions and decisions on decolonization, and calls upon the administering Powers, in accordance with those resolutions, to take all necessary steps to enable the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories concerned to exercise fully as soon as possible their right to self-determination; reaffirms its determination to take all steps necessary to bring about the complete and speedy eradication of colonialism; calls upon the administering Powers to cooperate fully with the Special Committee to finalize before the end of 2005 a constructive programme of work for the Non-Self-Governing Territories to facilitate the implementation of the mandate of the Special Committee and the relevant resolutions on decolonization; requests the Special Committee to continue to seek suitable means for the immediate and full implementation of the Declaration in all Territories that have not yet exercised their right to self-determination; calls upon all States, in particular the administering Powers, and other organizations of the UN system, to give effect to the recommendations of the Special Committee and other relevant resolutions of the UN; urges the administering Powers to take measures to safeguard the inalienable rights of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories to their natural resources. (Adopted 167-2-4, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

DECOLONIZATION–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 81)

Reports

A/59/64 Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 8 Mar. 2004.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/476 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.4 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.5 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.6 (8 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution in A/59/476 entitled "Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations" was adopted (121-0-57); resolution 59/129.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/129 Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations.

Recommends that all States intensify their efforts to ensure the full and effective implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples; requests relevant organizations to examine conditions in each Territory so as to take measures to accelerate progress in the Territories; requests the specialized agencies and other organizations and institutions of the UN system and regional organizations to strengthen existing measures of support and formulate appropriate programmes of assistance to the remaining Non-Self-Governing Territories, within the framework of their respective mandates, in order to accelerate progress in the economic and social sectors of those Territories; requests the administering Powers concerned to facilitate the participation of appointed and elected representatives of Non-Self-Governing Territories in the relevant meetings and conferences of the specialized agencies and other organizations of the UN system; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution; requests the Special Committee to continue to examine the question and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted 121-0-57, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

**DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA–
HUMAN RIGHTS**

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S
REPUBLIC OF KOREA

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

See: DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO–ARMED
AGGRESSION

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–DEMOCRATIC
REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

HUMAN RIGHTS–DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE
CONGO

**DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO–
ARMED AGGRESSION (Agenda item 30)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

**DESERTIFICATION–TREATIES (1996) (Agenda
item 85e)**

Reports

A/59/197 Implementation of United Nations environmental
conventions : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 Aug. 2004. - Transmits reports submitted
by the secretariats of the UN Framework Convention on
Climate Change, the UN Convention to Combat
Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious
Drought and/or Desertification, particularly in Africa, and
the Convention on Biological Diversity, as well as a joint
submission on cooperative activities of the 3 secretariats.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.14 Implementation of the United Nations
Convention to Combat Desertification in Those
Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or
Desertification, particularly in Africa : draft resolution /
Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors
in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.46
(A/59/483/Add.5).

A/C.2/59/L.46 Implementation of the United Nations
Convention to Combat Desertification in Those
Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or
Desertification, particularly in Africa : draft resolution /
submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa
Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations
held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.14.

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/483/Add.5 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.14 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.15 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.16 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

**DESERTIFICATION–TREATIES (1996) (Agenda
item 85e) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in
A/59/483/Add.5 (originally A/C.2/59/L.46) was adopted
without vote: resolution 59/235.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/235 Implementation of the United Nations
Convention to Combat Desertification in Those
Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or
Desertification, Particularly in Africa.

Invites the Secretary-General to give due
consideration to the role and place of the Convention in
ongoing work in the context of the preparations for the
high-level plenary meeting of the General Assembly in
2005, including the report of the Millennium Project; invites
the Global Environment Facility (GEF) to strengthen the
focal area of land degradation, primarily desertification and
deforestation; invites the donor community to increase its
support to the Convention; invites the GEF secretariat and
the secretariat of the Convention to finalize the draft
memorandum of understanding and to submit it for the
consideration of and adoption by the Conference of the
Parties to the Convention and the Council of the GEF;
urges UN funds and programmes, the Bretton Woods
institutions, the donor countries and other development
agencies to integrate actions in support of the Convention
into their strategies to support the achievement of the
internationally agreed development goals; calls upon
Governments to integrate desertification into their plans
and strategies for sustainable development; calls upon
Governments, and invites multilateral financial institutions,
regional development banks, regional economic
integration organizations and all other interested
organizations, as well as non-governmental organizations
and the private sector, to contribute generously to the
General Fund, the Supplementary Fund and the Special
Fund; requests the Secretary-General to report to the
General Assembly at its 60th session on the
implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without
vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

**DEVELOPING ISLAND COUNTRIES–
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

See: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–DEVELOPING
ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES (1994 :
BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP

**DEVELOPMENT EDUCATION–INTERNATIONAL
DECADES (Agenda item 85g)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.9 United Nations Decade of Education for Sustainable Development : draft resolution / Japan.
Additional sponsors: Algeria, Andorra, Cambodia, China, El Salvador, Gabon, Iceland, Indonesia, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Lithuania, Marshall Islands, Mongolia, Republic of Korea, South Africa, Sweden, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Uganda and United States. - The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.24 (A/59/483/Add.7).

A/C.2/59/L.24 United Nations Decade of Education for Sustainable Development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.9.

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/483/Add.7 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.14 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.15 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.16 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.27 (5 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/483/Add.7 (originally A/C.2/59/L.24) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/237.

**DEVELOPMENT EDUCATION–INTERNATIONAL
DECADES (Agenda item 85g) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/237 United Nations Decade of Education for Sustainable Development.

Reaffirms that education for sustainable development is critical for promoting sustainable development; requests UNESCO to promote the UN Decade of Education for Sustainable Development, in coordination with other relevant UN organizations and programmes, while taking into account the special needs of developing countries; requests the Secretary-General to call upon UNESCO to finalize the draft international implementation scheme for the Decade as soon as possible; also requests the Secretary-General to call upon the Director-General of UNESCO to submit the draft international implementation scheme to the governing bodies of UNESCO for their final consideration and adoption; encourages Governments to consider the inclusion, especially upon completion and adoption of the international implementation scheme, of measures to implement the Decade in their respective educational systems and strategies and, where appropriate, national development plans and to promote public awareness of and wider participation in the Decade; requests the Secretary-General to invite the Director-General of UNESCO to prepare a mid-term review of the implementation of the Decade, for submission to the General Assembly at its 65th session under the sub-item entitled "UN Decade of Education for Sustainable Development". (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

DEVELOPMENT FINANCE (Agenda item 83b)

See also: EXTERNAL DEBT

POVERTY–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (1997–2006)

Reports

A/59/218 International financial system and development : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Aug. 2004.

A/59/218/Corr.1 International financial system and development : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 22 Sept. 2004. - Corrects text.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.2 International financial system and development : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.70 (A/59/481/Add.2).

A/C.2/59/L.70 International financial system and development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Majdi Ramadan (Lebanon), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.2.

**DEVELOPMENT FINANCE (Agenda item 83b)
(continued)**

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/481 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/481/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.9 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in
A/59/481/Add.2 (originally **A/C.2/59/L.70**) was adopted
without vote: resolution 59/222.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/222 International financial system and
development.

Stresses the importance of cooperative efforts by all
countries and institutions to cope with the risks of financial
instability and to ensure a strong and steady recovery;
underlines the importance of promoting international
financial stability and sustainable growth; stresses the
importance of strong domestic institutions in promoting
business activities and financial stability for the
achievement of growth and development; stresses the
importance of advancing in respect of the efforts to reform
the international financial architecture; looks forward to
further consideration of the subject of possible innovative
and additional sources of financing for development from
all sources; calls for the continued effort of the multilateral
financial institutions, in providing policy advice, technical
assistance and financial support to member countries;
stresses the need to continuously improve standards of
corporate and public sector governance, including
accounting, auditing and measures to ensure
transparency, noting the disruptive effects of inadequate
policies; requests the Secretary-General to report to the
General Assembly at its 60th session on the
implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without
vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

**DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCES (2002
: MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda
item 84)**

Reports

A/59/92 (E/2004/73) Summary of the special high-level
meeting of the Council with the Bretton Woods
institutions and the World Trade Organization (New York,
26 April 2004) / by the President of the Economic and
Social Council.
Issued: 4 June 2004.

**DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCES (2002
: MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda
item 84) (continued)**

A/59/92/Add.1 (E/2004/73/Add.1) Summary of the
special high-level meeting of the Council with the Bretton
Woods institutions and the World Trade Organization
(New York, 26 Apr. 2004) : addendum : Summary of
informal hearings of civil society on financing for
development (New York, 22 Mar. 2004) / by the
President of the Economic and Social Council.
Issued: 1 June 2004.

A/59/92/Add.2 (E/2004/73/Add.2) Summary of the
special high-level meeting of the Council with the Bretton
Woods institutions and the World Trade Organization
(New York, 26 Apr. 2004) : addendum : Summary of
informal hearings of the business sector on financing for
development (New York, 24 Mar. 2004) / by the
President of the Economic and Social Council.
Issued: 1 June 2004.

A/59/270 Follow-up and implementation of the outcome of
the International Conference on Financing for
Development : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 16 Aug. 2004.

A/59/272 Innovative sources of financing for development
: note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Aug. 2004. - Transmits a policy-focused
summary of the study by the World Institute for
Development Economics Research of the UN University
(UNU-WIDER), prepared under the direction of Anthony B.
Atkinson within the framework of the joint project of UNU-
WIDER and the Department of Economic and Social
Affairs of the UN Secretariat on new funding sources for
financing the achievement of the Millennium Development
Goals.

A/59/800 Strengthening the role of the private sector and
entrepreneurship in financing for development : report of
the Secretary-General.
Issued: 19 May 2005.

A/59/822 The Monterrey Consensus : status of
implementation and tasks ahead : report of the
Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 June 2005.

A/59/823 (E/2005/69) Summary of the special high-level
meeting of the Council with the Bretton Woods
institutions, the World Trade Organization and the United
Nations Conference on Trade and Development (New
York, 18 April 2005) / by the President of the Economic
and Social Council.
Issued: 2 June 2005.

A/59/826 Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus : a
regional perspective : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 7 June 2005. - Transmits report prepared by
5 regional commissions and submitted in compliance with
request in General Assembly resolution 59/293.

DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCES (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 84) (continued)

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

A/59/155 (E/2004/96) Letter, 15 July 2004, from Canada and Mexico. Refers to report entitled "Unleashing entrepreneurship: making business work for the poor" presented to the Secretary-General by the Commission on the Private Sector and Development and transmits an extract from the report of relevance to the work of the UN particularly in the economic and social field.

A/59/398 Identical letters, 20 Sept. 2004, from Brazil, Chile, France and Spain addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the General Assembly. Transmits report entitled "Action against hunger and poverty" prepared by the Technical Group on Innovative Financing Mechanisms deriving from the 2004 Geneva Declaration which was subscribed by the Presidents of Brazil, Chile, France and Spain, with the support of the Secretary-General of the UN.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/719 (E/2005/12) Letter, 23 Feb. 2005, from Brazil, Chile, France, Germany and Spain. Transmit joint statement and a working document adopted by Brazil, Chile, France, Germany and Spain, members of the Technical Group on Innovative Financial Mechanisms, established pursuant to the Geneva Declaration on Action against Hunger and Poverty, Brasília, on 11 Feb. 2005; focuses on proposals on how to finance the Millennium Development Goals and measures to facilitate remittances.

A/59/767 Letter, 28 Mar. 2005, from Jamaica. Transmits Final Communiqué adopted by the 38th Meeting of the Chairmen/Coordinators of the Group of 77 Chapters, held in Geneva, 1-2 Mar. 2005.

A/59/814 Letter, 16 May, 2005, from Chile and Mali. Transmits document entitled "Santiago commitment: cooperating for democracy" adopted at the 3rd Ministerial Conference of the Community of Democracies, Santiago, 28-30 Apr. 2005.

DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCES (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 84) (continued)

A/59/818 Letter, 6 June 2005, from Brazil. Transmits the Brasília Declaration, adopted at the South American and Arab Countries Summit held in Brasília, 10-11 May 2005; establishes a partnership to pursue development, justice and international peace.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/59/850 Proposed organization of work of the High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/855 Summary of the informal interactive hearings on issues relating to financing for development : note / by the Secretariat.

A/59/867 Letter, 6 July 2005, from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Refers to annex in letter dated 25 May 2005 (A/59/814) entitled "Santiago Ministerial Commitment: cooperating for democracy" and expresses Venezuela's reservations to this commitment.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/59/CRP.6 Multi-stakeholder consultations on financing for development : an overview.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.61 Modalities for the High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

A/C.2/59/L.4 Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the International Conference on Financing for Development : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.69 (A/59/482).

A/C.2/59/L.69 Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the International Conference on Financing for Development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Antonio Bernardini (Italy), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.4.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/482 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.10 (13 Oct. 2004).

DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCES (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 84) (continued)

A/C.2/59/SR.11 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.12 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.40 (16 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/482 (originally A/C.2/59/L.69) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/225.

A/59/PV.98 (27 May 2005).

At the 98th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.61 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/293.

A/59/PV.106 (27 June 2005).

A/59/PV.107 (27 June 2005).

A/59/PV.108 (28 June 2005).

A/59/PV.109 (28 June 2005).

A/59/PV.110 (28 June 2005).

Resolutions

A/RES/59/225 Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the International Conference on Financing for Development.

Reiterates the call to implement fully and build further on the commitments made and agreements reached at the International Conference on Financing for Development; requests the Secretary-General to consult with the Director-General of the World Trade Organization in order to expand existing cooperation between the two organizations on issues related to financing for development; decides to give further consideration to the subject of possible innovative and additional sources of financing for development from all sources, public and private, domestic and external, taking into account international efforts, contributions and discussions, within the overall inclusive framework of the follow up to the International Conference on Financing for Development; decides to consider, by the 1st part of 2005, the appropriate modalities for holding the High-Level Dialogue on Financing for Development; decides also to consider in 2005 the timing and modalities for a follow-up conference to review the implementation of the Monterrey Consensus; decides to include this item in the provisional agenda of its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCES (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 84) (continued)

A/RES/59/293 Modalities for the High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development.

Decides that the overall theme of the High-level Dialogue will be "The Monterrey Consensus: status of implementation and tasks ahead" and that it will consist of a series of formal and informal meetings to constitute a policy dialogue and 6 interactive multi-stakeholder round tables; decides further that the central themes of the round tables will be based on sections of one chapter of the Monterrey Consensus; decides that all issues regarding financing for development will be discussed during the informal interactive hearings, to be held on 23 and 24 June 2005; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on the implementation of commitments and agreements reached at the International Conference on Financing for Development; also requests the Secretary-General to prepare a note on the organization of work of the High-level Dialogue and to seek from the regional commissions their inputs on the regional and interregional aspects of the follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development and to report thereon to the High-level Dialogue; requests the Secretary-General to make available at the High-level Dialogue relevant inputs related to financing for development from all stakeholders, including the documents of ECOSOC covering its 2005 special high-level meeting with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and the UN Conference on Trade and Development; decides that the High-level Dialogue will result in a summary by the President of the General Assembly that will provide an input on financing for development to the preparatory process of the High-Level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly of Sept. 2005. (Adopted without vote, 98th plenary meeting, 27 May 2005)

DIAMONDS–FUELLING CONFLICT (Agenda item 21)

General documents

A/59/590 Letter, 24 Nov. 2004, from Canada. Transmits progress report made towards the implementation of the Kimberley Process Certification Scheme for rough diamonds, adopted at the plenary meeting held in Gatineau, Canada on 27-29 Oct. 2004 and submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 58/290.

DIAMONDS–FUELLING CONFLICT (Agenda item 21) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.46 The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict : breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts : draft resolution / Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guyana, Hungary, Israel, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Namibia, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

A/59/L.46/Add.1 The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict : breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Argentina, Botswana, Bulgaria, Central African Republic, Croatia, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Mauritius, Singapore, Spain, Thailand, United Republic of Tanzania.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.72 (15 Dec. 2004).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.46 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/144.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/144 The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict : breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts.

Reaffirms its strong and continuing support for the Kimberley Process Certification Scheme; recognizes that the Kimberley Process Certification Scheme can help to ensure the effective implementation of relevant resolutions of the Security Council containing sanctions on the trade in conflict diamonds, and calls for the full implementation of existing Council measures targeting the illicit trade in rough diamonds that play a role in fuelling conflict; stresses that the widest possible participation in the Kimberley Process Certification Scheme is essential and should be encouraged, and urges all Member States to participate actively in the Certification Scheme by complying with its undertakings; requests the Chair of the Kimberley Process to submit a report on the implementation of the Process to the General Assembly at its 60th session; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session the item entitled "The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict". (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 15 Dec. 2004)

DIPLOMATIC INDEBTEDNESS

See: UN–HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS

DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS–JERUSALEM

See: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

DIPLOMATS' SECURITY (Agenda item 141)

Reports

A/59/125 Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 July 2004. - Includes excerpts from reports received from States pursuant to para. 10 of General Assembly resolution 57/15.

A/59/125/Add.1 Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 21 Sept. 2004. - Includes excerpts from reports received from States pursuant to para. 10 of General Assembly resolution 57/15.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.14 Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Canada, Chile, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Marshall Islands, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: El Salvador and Uganda (A/59/507).

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/507 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.5 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.14 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.16 (29 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/507 (originally A/C.6/59/L.14) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/37.

**DIPLOMATS' SECURITY (Agenda item 141)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/37 Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives.

Strongly condemns acts of violence against diplomatic and consular missions and representatives; urges States to strictly observe, implement and enforce the principles and rules of international law governing diplomatic and consular relations and to ensure their security; also urges States to take all measures to prevent any acts of violence against the missions, representatives and officials and to ensure, with the participation of UN, that such acts are fully investigated; urges States to take all appropriate measures, to prevent any abuse of diplomatic or consular privileges and immunities; recommends that States cooperate closely with the State in whose territory abuses may have occurred; calls upon States to consider becoming parties to the relevant instruments; calls upon States to make use of the means available for peaceful settlement of disputes; requests all States to report to the Secretary-General serious violations of security, the State in which the violation took place and where the alleged offender is present, also on measures taken to bring the offender to justice and measures adopted with a view to preventing a repetition of such violations; requests the Secretary-General to circulate to all States, the reports pursuant to the above, unless the reporting State requests otherwise and to draw attention of the States directly concerned when a serious violation has been reported; further requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report containing the current state of the instruments and a summary of the reports received and views expressed. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

DISABLED PERSONS (Agenda item 94a)

Reports

E/CN.5/2002/4 Monitoring the implementation of the Standard Rules on the Equalization of Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Jan. 2002. - Transmits report of the Special Rapporteur of the Commission for Social Development on monitoring the implementation of the Standard Rules on the Equalization of Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities on his 3rd mandate, 2000-2002.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/492 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.42 (11 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft decision I in A/59/492 entitled "Proposed supplement to the Standard Rules on the Equalization of Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities" was adopted without vote: decision 59/521.

DISABLED PERSONS–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/360 Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Comprehensive and Integral International Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Rights and Dignity of Persons with Disabilities on its 4th session : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 14 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.58 Ad Hoc Committee on a Comprehensive and Integral International Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Rights and Dignity of Persons with Disabilities : draft resolution / Chile, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Canada, Central African Republic, China, Colombia, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Czech Republic, Cyprus, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, Gambia, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Grenada, Guinea, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Latvia, Lebanon, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Morocco, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Ukraine, United Kingdom and Uruguay (A/59/503/Add.2).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.53 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution XVI in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.58) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/198.

DISABLED PERSONS–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/198 Ad Hoc Committee on a Comprehensive and Integral International Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Rights and Dignity of Persons with Disabilities.

Welcomes the report of the Ad Hoc Committee on a Comprehensive and Integral International Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Rights and Dignity of Persons with Disabilities; decides that the Ad Hoc Committee shall hold, within existing resources, prior to the 60th session of the General Assembly, 2 sessions in 2005, of 10 working days each, to be held, respectively, 24 Jan. - 4 Feb. and in July/Aug.; requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide the Ad Hoc Committee with the facilities necessary for the performance of its work, and in this context invites the Secretary-General to reallocate resources to the UN Programme on Disability so as to provide support to the negotiations on a draft convention; requests the Secretary-General to disseminate widely to non-governmental organizations all available information on accreditation procedures, modalities and supportive measures for their participation in the work of the Ad Hoc Committee, as well as the criteria for the financial assistance that is available through the voluntary fund. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

DISAPPEARANCE OF PERSONS (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/341 Question on enforced or involuntary disappearances : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.42 Missing persons : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Georgia, Kyrgyzstan, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Pakistan, Panama, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sudan and Ukraine.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Canada, Cyprus, Egypt, Ethiopia, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Italy, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Liechtenstein, Mauritania, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Peru, Romania, Slovenia, Somalia, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Tunisia and Uzbekistan (A/59/503/Add.2).

DISAPPEARANCE OF PERSONS (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/C.3/59/L.61 Question of enforced or involuntary disappearances : draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Cameroon, Chile, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Albania, Angola, Armenia, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Central African Republic, Congo, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Eritrea, Gabon, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Iraq, Mauritius, New Zealand, Niger, Paraguay, Serbia and Montenegro, South Africa, Timor-Leste, Togo, Turkey and Ukraine (A/59/503/Add.2).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.43 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.47 (28 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/503/Add.2 was as follows: draft resolution VII (originally A/C.3/59/L.42), adopted without vote: resolution 59/189; draft resolution XVIII (originally A/C.3/59/L.61), adopted without vote: resolution 59/200.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/189 Missing persons.

Urges States strictly to observe and respect and ensure respect for the rules of international humanitarian law, as set out in the Geneva Conventions of 12 Aug. 1949 and in the Additional Protocols thereto, of 1977; calls upon States that are parties to an armed conflict to take all appropriate measures to prevent persons from going missing in connection with armed conflict and to account for persons reported missing as a result of such a situation; requests States to pay the utmost attention to cases of children reported missing in connection with armed conflicts and to take appropriate measures to search for and identify those children; requests the Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the attention of all Governments, the competent UN bodies, the specialized agencies, regional intergovernmental organizations and international humanitarian organizations; decides to consider the question at its 61st session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

DISAPPEARANCE OF PERSONS (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/RES/59/200 Question of enforced or involuntary disappearances.

Urges all Governments to take appropriate legislative or other steps to prevent and suppress the practice of enforced disappearances, in keeping with the Declaration, and to take action to that end at the national and regional levels and in cooperation with the UN, including through the provision of technical assistance; once again urges the Governments concerned: (a) to take steps to protect witnesses of enforced disappearances, human rights defenders acting against enforced disappearances, and the lawyers and families of disappeared persons against any intimidation or ill-treatment to which they may be subjected; (b) to continue their efforts to elucidate the fate of disappeared persons; (c) to make provision in their legal systems for machinery for victims of enforced or involuntary disappearances or their families to seek fair and adequate reparation; requests the Secretary-General to keep it informed of the steps he takes to secure the widespread dissemination and promotion of the Declaration; decides to consider the question of enforced disappearances, in particular the implementation of the Declaration, at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

DISARMAMENT—GENERAL AND COMPLETE (Agenda item 65)

See also: ARMS TRANSFERS—LAWS AND REGULATIONS

ARMS TRANSFERS—TRANSPARENCY
BALLISTIC MISSILES
BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS—TREATIES (1972)
CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WARFARE—TREATIES (1925)
CHEMICAL WEAPONS—TREATIES (1993)
CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES
CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES—REGIONAL PROGRAMMES
CONVENTIONAL ARMS—REGIONAL PROGRAMMES
CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS—TREATIES (1980)
DISARMAMENT—UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH SPECIAL SESS. ON DISARMAMENT : #####)

DISARMAMENT—GENERAL AND COMPLETE (Agenda item 65) (continued)

See also: DISARMAMENT—UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (10TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1978)—FOLLOW-UP
DISARMAMENT—UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (12TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1982)—FOLLOW-UP
DISARMAMENT AGREEMENTS—ENVIRONMENT
DISARMAMENT EDUCATION
DISARMAMENT-DEVELOPMENT LINK
LANDMINES—TREATIES (1997)
MULTILATERALISM—DISARMAMENT
NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES—SECURITY
NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT
NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT—CONFERENCES
NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION
NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE—ICJ OPINION
NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES—AGENDA
NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES—CENTRAL ASIA
NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES—MONGOLIA
NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES—SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE
PEACE—CONVENTIONAL DISARMAMENT
REGIONAL DISARMAMENT
SMALL ARMS—ILLCIT TRAFFIC
SMALL ARMS—ILLCIT TRAFFIC—ASSISTANCE
UN. ADVISORY BOARD ON DISARMAMENT MATTERS
UN. CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT—REPORTS (2004)
UN. DISARMAMENT COMMISSION—REPORTS (2004)
UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY. 1ST COMMITTEE—WORK ORGANIZATION
UN INSTITUTE FOR DISARMAMENT RESEARCH
WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION—TERRORISM

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

**DISARMAMENT—GENERAL AND COMPLETE
(Agenda item 65) (continued)**

A/59/541 (S/2004/873) Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits Declaration of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-building Measures in Asia, adopted at their ministerial meeting, held in Almaty, 22 Oct. 2004.

A/59/798 Letter, 6 May 2005, from the Russian Federation. Transmits message dated 3 May 2005 from Russian Federation President V. V. Putin to the participants in the Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons.

A/59/844 Letter, 13 June 2005, from the United Kingdom. Reports that the United Kingdom hosted a meeting of experts on 16 May 2005 with representatives of international and regional organizations from 22 countries to discuss the principle of an arms trade treaty; attaches the Chairman's conclusion of the meeting, reflecting the overall direction and content of discussion but not representing a binding commitment for the participants.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.7 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.8 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

**DISARMAMENT—GENERAL AND COMPLETE
(Agenda item 65) (continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.23 A path to the total elimination of nuclear weapons : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Australia, Bangladesh, Côte d'Ivoire, Fiji, Italy, Japan, Nepal, Switzerland and Ukraine.

Additional sponsors: Belgium, Chile, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Nicaragua, the Niger, Norway, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Spain, Uruguay, Uzbekistan and Zambia (A/59/459).

A/C.1/59/L.34 The Conference on Disarmament decision (CD/1547) of 11 August 1998 to establish, under item 1 of its agenda entitled "Cessation of the nuclear arms race and nuclear disarmament", an ad hoc committee to negotiate, on the basis of the report of the Special Coordinator (CD/1299) and the mandate contained therein, a non-discriminatory, multilateral and internationally and effectively verifiable treaty banning the production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices : draft resolution / Algeria, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Côte d'Ivoire, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Germany, Grenada, Ireland, Kenya, Luxembourg, Morocco, New Zealand, Republic of Korea, San Marino, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland and Turkey.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Cyprus, Ecuador, Finland, Greece, Italy, Kazakhstan, Malaysia, Malta, Mongolia, the Netherlands, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Portugal, Slovakia, Spain and Venezuela (A/59/459).

A/C.1/59/L.48 Problems arising from the accumulation of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus : draft decision / Bulgaria, France and Netherlands.

Additional sponsor: Germany
(A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2).

A/C.1/59/L.49 Prevention of the illicit transfer and unauthorized access to and use of man-portable air defence systems : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Kenya, Thailand and Turkey.

Additional sponsors: Russian Federation
(A/C.1/59/INF/2), Fiji, Greece, Slovakia
(A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4).

A/C.1/59/L.49/Rev.1 Prevention of the illicit transfer and unauthorized access to and use of man-portable air defence systems : revised draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Kenya, Russian Federation, Thailand and Turkey.

Additional sponsors: Bulgaria, Poland, Sierra Leone
(A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3), Nicaragua, Spain
(A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5). Austria, Cyprus, Estonia, Denmark, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Netherlands, Portugal, Serbia and Montenegro, United Kingdom
(A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6).

**DISARMAMENT—GENERAL AND COMPLETE
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A/C.1/59/L.49/Rev.2 Prevention of the illicit transfer and unauthorized access to and use of man-portable air defence systems : revised draft resolution / Angola, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, Djibouti, El Salvador, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malta, Nauru, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Palau, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Russian Federation, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Spain, Sweden, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Tonga, Turkey, Tuvalu, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Brazil, Japan, Liechtenstein, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Samoa and Saint Vincent and the Grenadines (A/59/459).

A/C.1/59/L.50 Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation : draft resolution / Albania, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Bulgaria, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Eritrea, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Morocco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Norway, Palau, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Uruguay, Venezuela, Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Djibouti, Ethiopia, Fiji, Iraq, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malawi, Mongolia, Nigeria, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Uzbekistan and Vanuatu (A/59/459).

**DISARMAMENT—GENERAL AND COMPLETE
(Agenda item 65) (continued)**

A/C.1/59/L.52 Information on confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms : draft resolution / Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Bangladesh, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Kenya, Liberia, Latvia, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malawi, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Venezuela, Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Austria, Bahamas, Barbados, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Cambodia, Fiji, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Indonesia, Italy, Jamaica, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Niger, Nigeria, Palau, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Uganda and United States (A/59/459).

A/C.1/59/L.56 Bilateral strategic nuclear arms reductions and the new strategic framework : draft resolution / Russian Federation and United States of America.

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/59/459/Corr.1 Report of the 1st Committee :
corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.12 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.21 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.22 (4 Nov. 2004).

**DISARMAMENT—GENERAL AND COMPLETE
(Agenda item 65) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, action on draft resolutions and draft decision in A/59/459 was as follows: draft resolution XI (originally A/C.1/59/L.23), adopted (165-3-16): resolution 59/76; draft resolution XVI (originally A/C.1/59/L.34), adopted (179-2-2): resolution 59/81; draft resolution XXV (originally A/C.1/59/L.49/Rev.2), adopted without vote: resolution 59/90; draft resolution XXVI (originally A/C.1/59/L.50), adopted (161-2-15): resolution 59/91; draft resolution XXVII (originally A/C.1/59/L.52), adopted without vote: resolution 59/92; draft resolution XXIX (originally A/C.1/59/L.56), adopted without vote: resolution 59/94; draft decision III (originally A/C.1/59/L.48), adopted without vote: decision 59/515.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/76 A path to the total elimination of nuclear weapons.

Stresses the central importance of practical steps for the systematic and progressive efforts to implement article VI of the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, and paragraphs 3 and 4 (c) of the decision on principles and objectives for nuclear non-proliferation and disarmament of the 1995 Review and Extension Conference of the Parties to the Treaty; calls upon all States to redouble their efforts to prevent and curb the proliferation of nuclear and other weapons of mass destruction, confirming and strengthening, if necessary, their policies not to transfer equipment, materials or technology that could contribute to the proliferation of those weapons, while ensuring that such policies are consistent with the obligations of States under the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons; also calls upon all States to maintain the highest possible standards of security, safe custody, effective control and physical protection of all materials that could contribute to the proliferation of nuclear and other weapons of mass destruction, inter alia, to prevent those materials from falling into the hands of terrorists. (Adopted 165-3-16, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**DISARMAMENT—GENERAL AND COMPLETE
(Agenda item 65) (continued)**

A/RES/59/81 The Conference on Disarmament decision (CD/1547) of 11 August 1998 to establish, under item 1 of its agenda entitled "Cessation of the nuclear arms race and nuclear disarmament", an ad hoc committee to negotiate, on the basis of the report of the Special Coordinator (CD/1299) and the mandate contained therein, a non-discriminatory, multilateral and internationally and effectively verifiable treaty banning the production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices.

Recalls the decision of the Conference on Disarmament to establish, under item 1 of its agenda entitled "Cessation of the nuclear arms race and nuclear disarmament", an ad hoc committee which shall negotiate, on the basis of the report of the Special Coordinator and the mandate contained therein, a non-discriminatory, multilateral and internationally and effectively verifiable treaty banning the production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices; urges the Conference on Disarmament to agree on a programme of work that includes the immediate commencement of negotiations on such a treaty. (Adopted 179-2-2, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/90 Prevention of the illicit transfer and unauthorized access to and use of man-portable air defence systems.

Urges Member States to support current international, regional and national efforts to combat and prevent the illicit transfer of man-portable air defence system and unauthorized access to and use of such weapons; stresses the importance of effective and comprehensive national controls on the production, stockpiling, transfer and brokering of man-portable air defence systems; encourages Member States to enact legislation to exercise control over access to and transfer of such systems; encourages initiatives to exchange information and to mobilize resources and technical expertise to assist States in enhancing national controls and stockpile management practices; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session an item entitled "Prevention of the illicit transfer and unauthorized access to and use of man-portable air defence systems". (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/91 The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation.

Welcomes the adoption of the Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation on 25 Nov. 2002 at the Hague as a practical step against the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery; encourages the exploration of further ways and means to deal effectively with the problem of the proliferation of ballistic missiles capable of delivering weapons of mass destruction. (Adopted 161-2-15, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

DISARMAMENT—GENERAL AND COMPLETE (Agenda item 65) (continued)

A/RES/59/92 Information on confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms.

Encourages Member States to continue to adopt confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms and to provide information in that regard; also encourages Member States to engage in dialogue on confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms; requests the Secretary-General to establish an electronic database containing information provided by the Member States and to assist them in organization of seminars, courses and workshops aimed at enhancing knowledge of new developments in this field. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/94 Bilateral strategic nuclear arms reductions and the new strategic framework.

Supports the continued commitment of the United States and the Russian Federation to cooperative efforts in strategic offensive reductions; supports continued efforts by these States to implement the 1997 Agreement concerning Cooperation regarding Plutonium Production Reactors and the 2000 Agreement concerning the Management and Disposition of Plutonium Designated as No Longer Required for Defence Purposes and Related Cooperation; invites these States to keep other States duly informed of their nuclear reduction activities. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

DISARMAMENT—REGIONAL COOPERATION—UN CENTRES

See: REGIONAL DISARMAMENT

DISARMAMENT—TRAINING PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 66b)

Reports

A/59/177 United Nations disarmament fellowship, training and advisory services : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 July 2004.

A/59/553 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 4 Nov. 2004.

A/59/553/Corr.1 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum. Issued: 15 Nov. 2004. - Corrects text.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

DISARMAMENT—TRAINING PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 66b) (continued)

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.7 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.4 United Nations disarmament fellowship, training and advisory services : draft resolution / Nigeria.

A/C.1/59/L.4/Rev.1 United Nations disarmament fellowship, training and advisory services : revised draft resolution / Nigeria.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Algeria, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Bhutan, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Morocco, Mozambique, Myanmar, Namibia, Nepal, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Niger, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Peru, the Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Sweden, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, United States, Uruguay, Uzbekistan, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Yemen, Zambia and Zimbabwe (A/59/460).

**DISARMAMENT–TRAINING PROGRAMMES
(Agenda item 66b) (continued)**

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/460 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.16 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/460 (originally A/C.1/59/L.4/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/97.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/97 United Nations disarmament fellowship, training and advisory services.

Reaffirms its decisions contained in annex IV to the Concluding Document of the 12th Special Session of the General Assembly and the report of the Secretary-General approved by the Assembly in its resolution 33/71 E of 14 Dec. 1978; expresses its appreciation to all Member States and organizations that have consistently supported the programme throughout the years, thereby contributing to its success; requests the Secretary-General to continue to implement annually the Geneva-based programme within existing resources and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**DISARMAMENT–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH
SPECIAL SESS. ON DISARMAMENT : ####)
(Agenda item 65dd)**

See also: DISARMAMENT–GENERAL AND COMPLETE

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.14 Convening of the 4th special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament : draft resolution / Malaysia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement].

Additional sponsors: Jamaica, Somalia
(A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.16 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

**DISARMAMENT–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH
SPECIAL SESS. ON DISARMAMENT : ####)
(Agenda item 65dd) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution VI in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.14) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/71.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/71 Convening of the 4th special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament.

Decides to establish an open-ended working group, working on the basis of consensus, to consider objectives and agenda, including the possible establishment of preparatory committee, for the 4th special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament; requests the Working Group to hold an organizational session in order to set the dates for its substantive session in 2006 and to submit a report on its work before the end of 60th session of the General Assembly; requests the Secretary-General, within existing resources, to provide the Working Group with necessary assistance and services as may be required to discharge its tasks. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**DISARMAMENT–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (10TH
SPECIAL SESS. : 1978)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda
item 67)**

See also: UN. ADVISORY BOARD ON DISARMAMENT
MATTERS

UN. CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT–
REPORTS (2004)

UN. DISARMAMENT COMMISSION–REPORTS
(2004)

UN INSTITUTE FOR DISARMAMENT
RESEARCH

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/461 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

**DISARMAMENT–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (12TH
SPECIAL SESS. : 1982)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda
item 66)**

See also: CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES–
REGIONAL PROGRAMMES
DISARMAMENT–TRAINING PROGRAMMES
DISARMAMENT INFORMATION–UN
NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–TREATIES (DRAFT)
PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–AFRICA
PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–ASIA AND THE
PACIFIC
PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–LATIN AMERICA
AND THE CARIBBEAN
PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRES

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/460 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

**DISARMAMENT AGREEMENTS–ENVIRONMENT
(Agenda item 65o)**

Reports

A/59/129 Observance of environmental norms in the
drafting and implementation of agreements on
disarmament and arms control : report of the Secretary-
General.

Issued: 6 July 2004. - Includes replies received from
Governments.

A/59/129/Add.1 Observance of environmental norms in
the drafting and implementation of agreements on
disarmament and arms control : report of the Secretary-
General : addendum.

Issued: 27 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft
resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session,
1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.10 Observance of environmental norms in the
drafting and implementation of agreements on
disarmament and arms control : draft resolution /
Malaysia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement].
Additional sponsors: Burkina Faso and Liberia
(A/59/459).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

**DISARMAMENT AGREEMENTS–ENVIRONMENT
(Agenda item 65o) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution III in A/59/459
(originally A/C.1/59/L.10) was adopted (175-2-3):
resolution 59/68.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/68 Observance of environmental norms in the
drafting and implementation of agreements on
disarmament and arms control.

Reaffirms that international disarmament forums
should take fully into account the relevant environmental
norms in negotiating treaties and agreements on
disarmament and arms limitation and that all States should
contribute fully to ensuring compliance with the
aforementioned norms in the implementation of treaties
and conventions to which they are parties; calls upon
States to adopt unilateral, bilateral, regional and
multilateral measures so as to contribute to ensuring the
application of scientific and technological progress within
the framework of international security, disarmament and
other related spheres; invites all Member States to
communicate to the Secretary-General information on the
measures they have adopted to promote the objectives
envisaged in the present resolution. (Adopted 175-2-3,
66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

DISARMAMENT COMMISSION

See: UN. DISARMAMENT COMMISSION–REPORTS
(2004)

DISARMAMENT EDUCATION (Agenda item 65c)

Reports

A/59/178 Disarmament and non-proliferation education :
report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 July 2004.

A/59/178/Add.1 Disarmament and non-proliferation
education : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 16 Sept. 2004.

A/59/178/Add.2 Disarmament and non-proliferation
education : report of the Secretary-General : addendum :
implementation of recommendations by Member States.
Issued: 2 Nov. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft
resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session,
1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft
resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session,
1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4 Additional co-sponsors of draft
resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session,
1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.7 Additional co-sponsors of draft
resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session,
1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

**DISARMAMENT EDUCATION (Agenda item 65c)
(continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.53 United Nations study on disarmament and non-proliferation education : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Egypt, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Mexico, Monaco, New Zealand, Norway, Pakistan, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Senegal, South Africa, Sweden, Ukraine.

Additional sponsors: Canada, Costa Rica, Kazakhstan, Thailand (A/C.1/59/INF/2), France, Papua New Guinea, Sierra Leone (A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3), Estonia (A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4).

A/C.1/59/L.53/Rev.1 United Nations study on disarmament and non-proliferation education : revised draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Egypt, Estonia, France, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakhstan, Malaysia, Mexico, Monaco, New Zealand, Norway, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Senegal, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Sweden, Thailand, Ukraine.
Additional sponsor: Zambia (A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.7).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.22 (4 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XXVIII in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.53/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/93.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/93 United Nations study on disarmament and non-proliferation education.

Requests the Secretary-General to prepare a report reviewing the results of implementation of the recommendations and possible new opportunities for promoting disarmament and non-proliferation education, and to submit it to the General Assembly at its 61st session; also requests the Secretary-General to utilize electronic means to the fullest extent possible in the dissemination, in as many official languages as feasible, of information related to that report and any other information that the Department for Disarmament Affairs gathers on an ongoing basis in regard to the implementation of the recommendations of the UN study. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

DISARMAMENT INFORMATION–UN (Agenda item 66a)

Reports

A/59/171 United Nations Disarmament Information Programme : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 22 July 2004.

DISARMAMENT INFORMATION–UN (Agenda item 66a) (continued)

A/59/553 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 4 Nov. 2004.

A/59/553/Corr.1 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum.
Issued: 15 Nov. 2004. – Corrects text.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.51 United Nations Disarmament Information Programme : draft resolution / Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Guatemala, Indonesia, Liberia, Mexico, Myanmar, New Zealand, Pakistan, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines and South Africa.
Additional sponsors: France, Sierra Leone and Uruguay (A/59/460).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/460 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution VIII in A/59/460 (originally A/C.1/59/L.51) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/103.

DISARMAMENT INFORMATION–UN (Agenda item 66a) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/103 United Nations Disarmament Information Programme.

Stresses the importance of the Programme as a significant instrument in enabling all Member States to participate fully in the deliberations and negotiations on disarmament in the various UN bodies; recommends that the Programme continue to inform, educate and generate public understanding of the importance of multilateral action and support for it, and that it focus its efforts; (a) to continue to publish in all official languages The UN Disarmament Yearbook and to increase its dissemination by posting the 2002 and 2003 English editions on the Internet; (b) to continue to maintain the Disarmament web site; (c) to continue to intensify UN interaction with the public; (d) to continue to organize discussions on topics of interest in the field of arms limitation and disarmament; invites all Member States to make contributions to the Voluntary Trust Fund for the UN Disarmament Information Programme; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report covering both the implementation of the activities of the Programme by the UN system during the 2 previous years and the activities of the Programme contemplated by the system for the following 2 years. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

DISARMAMENT RESEARCH

See: UN. ADVISORY BOARD ON DISARMAMENT MATTERS

UN INSTITUTE FOR DISARMAMENT RESEARCH

DISARMAMENT-DEVELOPMENT LINK (Agenda item 65e)

Reports

A/59/119 The relationship between disarmament and development in the current international context : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 June 2004. - Transmits, in pursuance to General Assembly resolutions 57/65, report of the Group of Governmental Experts on the Reappraisal of the Relationship between Disarmament and Development in the Current International Context.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.28 Relationship between disarmament and development : draft resolution / Malaysia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement].

Additional sponsors: Burkina Faso, Liberia (A/C.1/59/INF/2).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

DISARMAMENT-DEVELOPMENT LINK (Agenda item 65e) (continued)

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XIII in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.28) was adopted (180-2-2): resolution 59/78.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/78 Relationship between disarmament and development.

Stresses the central role of the UN in disarmament-development relationship, and requests the Secretary-General to strengthen further the role of the Organization in this field; urges the international community to devote part of resources made available by implementation of disarmament and arms limitation agreements to economic and social development; encourages international community to achieve the Millennium Development Goals; encourages relevant regional and subregional organizations and institutions, non-governmental organizations and research institutes to incorporate issues related to relationship between disarmament and development in their agendas and to take into account report of the Group of Governmental Experts; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 180-2-2, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

DISASTER PREVENTION (Agenda item 85c)

Reports

A/59/228 Implementation of the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 11 Aug. 2004.

General documents

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.7 International Strategy for Disaster Reduction : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China], Japan, Mexico.

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.31 (A/59/483/Add.3).

**DISASTER PREVENTION (Agenda item 85c)
(continued)**

A/C.2/59/L.8 International cooperation to reduce the impact of El Niño phenomenon : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China] and Mexico.
The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.23 (A/59/483/Add.3).

A/C.2/59/L.11 Natural disasters and vulnerability : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].
The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.45 (A/59/483/Add.3).

A/C.2/59/L.23 International cooperation to reduce the impact of El Niño phenomenon : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.8.

A/C.2/59/L.31 International Strategy for Disaster Reduction : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.7.

A/C.2/59/L.45 Natural disasters and vulnerability : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.11.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/483/Add.3 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.14 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.15 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.16 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.27 (5 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.32 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, action on 3 draft resolutions in A/59/483/Add.3 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/59/L.31), adopted without vote: resolution 59/231; draft resolution II (originally A/C.2/59/L.23), adopted without vote: resolution 59/232; draft resolution III (originally A/C.2/59/L.45), as orally corrected, adopted without vote: resolution 59/233.

**DISASTER PREVENTION (Agenda item 85c)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/231 International Strategy for Disaster Reduction.

Invites Governments and relevant international organizations to consider disaster risk assessment as an integral component of development plans and poverty eradication programmes and to participate actively in the World; calls upon governments to establish national platforms or focal points for disaster reduction and urges the UN system to provide appropriate support for those mechanisms; requests the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs, in his capacity as Chairman of the Inter-Agency Task Force for Disaster Reduction, to continue reviewing annually the work carried out by its working groups in order to ensure their effective contribution to the attainment of the objectives of the Strategy; requests the Secretary-General to allocate adequate financial and administrative resources, within existing resources, for the effective functioning of the inter-agency secretariat for the Strategy; also requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/232 International cooperation to reduce the impact of the El Niño phenomenon.

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction; welcomes the efforts of the Government of Ecuador, the World Meteorological Organization and the inter-agency secretariat for the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction which led to the establishment of the International Centre for the Study of the El Niño Phenomenon at Guayaquil, Ecuador; calls upon the Secretary-General and the relevant UN organs, funds and programmes to adopt, as appropriate, the necessary measures to support the development of the International Centre for the Study of the El Niño Phenomenon, and invites the international community to provide scientific, technical and financial assistance and cooperation for this purpose; underscores the importance of maintaining the El Niño/Southern Oscillation observation system; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 61st session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

**DISASTER PREVENTION (Agenda item 85c)
(continued)**

A/RES/59/233 Natural disasters and vulnerability.

Urges the international community to continue to address ways and means, including through cooperation and technical assistance, to reduce the adverse effects of natural disasters, including those caused by extreme weather events, in particular in vulnerable developing countries, through the implementation of the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction, and encourages the Inter-Agency Task Force for Disaster Reduction to continue its work in this regard; stresses the importance for the World Conference on Disaster Reduction to conclude the review of the Yokohama Strategy for a Safer World: Guidelines for Natural Disaster Prevention, Preparedness and Mitigation and its Plan of Action; encourages Governments to strengthen capacity-building in the most vulnerable regions, to enable them to address the socio-economic factors that increase vulnerability, and to develop measures that will enable them to prepare for and cope with natural disasters; also encourages the Inter-Agency Task Force for Disaster Reduction to continue to enhance the coordination of activities to promote disaster reduction; stresses the importance of close cooperation and coordination among Governments, the UN system, other organizations, regional organizations, NGO's and other partners; encourages the Conference of the Parties to the UN Convention on Climate Change and the parties to the Kyoto Protocol to continue to address the adverse effects of climate change; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

DISASTER RELIEF

See: EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE
HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

DISPLACED PERSONS (Agenda item 105b)

General documents

A/59/389 Internally displaced persons : note / by the Secretary-General.

Reports the appointment of Walter Kälin (Switzerland) as the Secretary General's Representative on the human rights of internally displaced persons.

DOCUMENTS–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)

See: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–DOCUMENTS

DROUGHT

See: DESERTIFICATION–TREATIES (1996)

DRUG ABUSE

See: NARCOTIC DRUGS

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39b)

See also: AFGHANISTAN–RECONSTRUCTION
EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE
HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE
PALESTINIANS–ASSISTANCE
REFUGEES

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/479 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/479/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.2/59/SR.28 (8 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.38 (7 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–ANGOLA (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.37 International assistance for the economic rehabilitation of Angola : draft resolution / Angola, Argentina, Benin, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Congo, Costa Rica, Ethiopia, Gabon, Ghana, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Mozambique, Namibia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Togo, United Republic of Tanzania, Vanuatu and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Andorra, Egypt, Syrian Arab Republic and Zambia (A/59/479).

A/C.2/59/L.37/Rev.1 International assistance for the economic rehabilitation of Angola : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Austria, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Cape Verde, China, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Denmark, Egypt, Ethiopia, Gabon, Ghana, Guinea-Bissau, Italy, Jamaica, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritius, Mexico, Mozambique, Namibia, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Vanuatu and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Barbados, Belarus, Belize, Brazil, Canada, France, Greece, Guyana, India, Ireland, Japan, Lebanon, Nigeria, Philippines, Serbia and Montenegro, Turkmenistan and Zambia (A/59/479).

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–ANGOLA (Agenda item 39b) (continued)

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/479 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/479/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee :
corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.39 (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution III in A/59/479 (originally A/C.2/59/L.37/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/216.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/216 International assistance for the economic rehabilitation of Angola.

Welcomes the adoption by the Government of Angola of the poverty reduction strategy paper; requests all national and international, regional and subregional financial institutions to provide their support to the Government of Angola in its efforts to alleviate poverty, consolidate peace and democracy and contribute to economic stability throughout the country and to implement successfully the economic development programmes and strategies; recognizes the progress towards the adoption of a programme to be monitored by IMF, and encourages the Government and IMF to continue to negotiate actively with a view to reaching an early agreement; requests the Government of Angola and UN, and invites the international financial institutions, to take all necessary steps for the preparation and successful organization of an international donors conference for long-term development and reconstruction, including special economic assistance. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–COMOROS (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (Agenda item 39b) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.29 Special assistance for the economic recovery and reconstruction of the Democratic Republic of the Congo : draft resolution / Angola, Benin, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Mali, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Senegal, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors (A/59/479).

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/479 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/479/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee :
corrigendum.
Corrects text.

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–ETHIOPIA (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.39 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for Ethiopia : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Benin, Burkina Faso, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Egypt, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Kenya, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nigeria, Rwanda, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sudan, Tunisia, United Republic of Tanzania, Yemen and Zimbabwe.
Additional sponsor: Zambia (A/59/479).

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–ETHIOPIA (Agenda item 39b) (continued)

A/C.2/59/L.39/Rev.1 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for Ethiopia : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Argentina, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Benin, Bhutan, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Comoros, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Gambia, Germany, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Liberia, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nepal, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Slovakia, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Sweden, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Togo, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bolivia, Hungary, Lebanon and Spain (A/59/479 and Corr.1).

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/479 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/479/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.37 (3 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/479 (originally A/C.2/59/L.39/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/217.

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–ETHIOPIA (Agenda item 39b) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/217 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for Ethiopia.

Calls upon the international community to respond in a timely manner to the joint 2005 appeal of UN and the Government of Ethiopia for emergency assistance for Ethiopia, covering food and non-food needs; stresses the need to address the underlying causes of food insecurity, and issues of recovery, asset protection and the sustainable development of the affected areas; calls upon all development partners, in cooperation with the Government of Ethiopia, to integrate relief efforts with recovery, asset protection and long-term development, including the structural and productive options needed to stimulate accelerated rural growth, and to address the underlying causes of recurrent drought in Ethiopia in a way that is, inter alia, in line with the poverty reduction strategy paper, including strategies that are aimed at preventing such crises in the future and that improve the resilience of the population; invites the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs of the Secretariat to continue its efforts to coordinate and develop a strategic response to recurrent humanitarian needs in Ethiopia and to consider ways to enhance the mobilization of emergency relief assistance to cover the remaining humanitarian needs in Ethiopia; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–LIBERIA (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.44 Assistance for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of Liberia : draft resolution / Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Ethiopia, Ireland, Liberia, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Niger and Pakistan.

Additional sponsors: Belgium, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Denmark, Egypt, Ethiopia, France, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Italy, Japan, Lesotho, Mali, Nigeria, Norway, Portugal, Sierra Leone, United Kingdom and United States (A/59/479).

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–LIBERIA (Agenda item 39b) (continued)

A/C.2/59/L.44/Rev.1 Assistance for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of Liberia : revised draft resolution / Belgium, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Egypt, Ethiopia, France, Gambia, Germany, Ghana, Guinea, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Lesotho, Liberia, Luxembourg, Mali, Netherlands, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Portugal, Sierra Leone, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Guinea-Bissau, Jamaica, Lebanon, Mozambique, Namibia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan and Sweden (A/59/479).

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/479 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/479/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.37 (3 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution VI in A/59/479 (originally A/C.2/59/L.44/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/219.

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–LIBERIA (Agenda item 39b) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/219 Assistance for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of Liberia.

Calls upon all signatories to the Comprehensive Peace Agreement of 18 Aug. 2003 to uphold the spirit and letter of its provisions, to seek to promote socio-economic development and a culture of sustained peace in the country; invites all States and intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations to provide assistance to Liberia, to facilitate the creation of an enabling environment for the promotion of peace, socio-economic development and regional security; urges the National Transitional Government to create an environment conducive to the promotion of socio-economic development, peace and security in the country; invites the international community to provide financial and technical assistance to the National Transitional Government to facilitate free and fair presidential and general elections in October 2005; urges the National Transitional Government and all States to facilitate and support the return and reintegration of ex-combatants into their home communities, with special attention to children; requests the Secretary-General to continue his efforts to mobilize all possible assistance within the UN system to help in the reconstruction and development of Liberia and in the return and reintegration of refugees, displaced persons and demobilized soldiers; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 61st session on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to consider at its 61st session the question of international assistance for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of Liberia. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–MALAWI (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–MOZAMBIQUE (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/86 (E/2004/69) Assistance to Mozambique : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 May 2004.

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–MOZAMBIQUE (Agenda item 39b) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.33 Assistance to Mozambique : draft resolution / Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cape Verde, Comoros, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Japan, Kenya, Lesotho, Madagascar, Mali, Malawi, Malaysia, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Portugal, Rwanda, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Sao Tome and Principe, Seychelles, Somalia, South Africa, Swaziland, Timor-Leste, Togo, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bolivia, Brazil, Cameroon, Canada, China, Cuba, Denmark, Egypt, France, Germany, India, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Mauritius, Netherlands, Nigeria, Norway, Republic of Korea, Senegal, Spain, Sudan, Tunisia, Uganda and United Kingdom (A/59/479).

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/479 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/479/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.37 (3 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution I in A/59/479 (originally A/C.2/59/L.33) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/214.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/214 Assistance to Mozambique.

Takes note of the reports of the Secretary-General and the recommendations contained therein (A/59/86-E/2004/69 and A/59/293); commends the Government of Mozambique for its efforts in the maintenance of peace, stability, economic growth and encourages it to continue its efforts to fight HIV/AIDS, malaria and tuberculosis and to implement the Action Plan for the Reduction of Absolute Poverty (2001-2005) and national development plans; stresses the importance of international assistance for the development programmes in Mozambique, and expresses its gratitude to the development partners that have supported the Government of Mozambique; requests the Secretary-General to make all necessary arrangements to continue to mobilize and coordinate, with a view to supporting the efforts of the Government of Mozambique: (a) humanitarian assistance from the specialized agencies, organizations and bodies of the UN system; (b) international assistance for the national reconstruction and development of Mozambique; also requests the Secretary-General to report to it at its 61st session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.36 Humanitarian assistance to Serbia and Montenegro : draft resolution / Argentina, Armenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation and Ukraine.

Additional sponsors: Bulgaria, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (A/59/479).

A/C.2/59/L.36/Rev.1 Humanitarian and special economic assistance to Serbia and Montenegro : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Georgia, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Nicaragua, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Angola, Azerbaijan, Costa Rica, Estonia, Morocco, Netherlands, Poland and Switzerland (A/59/479).

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/479 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/479/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.38 (7 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/479 (originally A/C.2/59/L.36/Rev.1), as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/215.

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO (Agenda item 39b) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/215 Humanitarian and special economic assistance to Serbia and Montenegro.

Calls upon all States, regional organizations, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and other relevant bodies to continue to provide assistance to alleviate the needs of refugees and internally displaced persons in Serbia and Montenegro; urges the relevant government authorities in Serbia and Montenegro to develop, with the assistance of the UN system, national policies for comprehensive durable solutions for internally displaced persons; calls upon the Secretary-General, as well as development agencies, to continue to mobilize the timely provision of international development assistance to Serbia and Montenegro; urges development partners to assist in capacity-building, institution-building and local employment generation in their programmes and to train and employ local staff to the maximum extent possible; also urges Serbia and Montenegro and its development partners to support and strengthen initiatives that contribute to the enhancement of social capital in areas such as health and education; requests the UN and the specialized agencies to continue their efforts to assess needs, in cooperation with the Council of Ministers of Serbia and Montenegro, relevant international and regional organizations and bodies and interested States, with a view to ensuring an effective and smooth transition from relief to longer-term development assistance to Serbia and Montenegro; requests the Secretary-General, bearing in mind the recommendation contained in his report, to submit to it at its 61st session, a final report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–SOMALIA (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.40 Assistance for humanitarian relief and the economic and social rehabilitation of Somalia : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Bahrain, Cameroon, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kenya, Kuwait, Madagascar, Morocco, Mozambique, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

Additional sponsor: Syrian Arab Republic (A/59/479).

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–SOMALIA (Agenda item 39b) (continued)

A/C.2/59/L.40/Rev.1 Assistance for humanitarian relief and the economic and social rehabilitation of Somalia : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Cameroon, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Kenya, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mali, Morocco, Mozambique, Portugal, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Burkina Faso, China, Colombia, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, France, Germany, Greece, India, Netherlands, Niger, Sweden, Turkey and Uganda (A/59/479).

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/479 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/479/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.38 (7 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution V in A/59/479 (originally A/C.2/59/L.40/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/218.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/218 Assistance for humanitarian relief and the economic and social rehabilitation of Somalia.

Calls upon the Secretary-General to continue to mobilize international humanitarian, rehabilitation and reconstruction assistance for Somalia; calls upon all Somali parties to respect the security and safety of the personnel of UN, the specialized agencies and non-governmental organizations and to guarantee their complete freedom of movement and safe access throughout Somalia; urges the international community to provide: (a) political support to the new Transitional Federal Government; (b) significant financial and technical support for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of Somalia; (c) full support to the need for peacebuilding measures and the speedy implementation of programmes for the disarmament, demobilization and reintegration of militias throughout Somalia in order to stabilize the entire country and thereby ensure the effectiveness of the new Transitional Federal Government; commends the Secretary-General for the establishment of the Trust Fund for Peacebuilding in Somalia, welcomes the contributions made thus far to the Fund, and appeals to Member States to contribute to it; requests the Secretary-General, in view of the critical situation in Somalia, to take all necessary and practicable measures for the implementation of the present resolution and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–TAJIKISTAN (Agenda item 39b)

Reports

A/59/293 Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

ECONOMIC COMMUNITY OF CENTRAL AFRICAN STATES–UN (Agenda item 56g)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.16 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Community of Central African States : draft resolution / Congo.

A/59/L.16/Rev.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Community of Central African States : draft resolution / Angola, Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Congo, Democratic Republic of Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Rwanda and Sao Tome and Principe.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.113 (14 July 2005).

At the 113th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.16/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/310.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/310 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Community of Central African States.
Invites the States Members of UN and UN organs, organizations and agencies which have not yet established contact or relations with the Economic Community of Central African States to consider doing so in order to help the Community to strengthen its capacities in the area of the maintenance of peace and security and reconstruction; emphasizes the importance of close cooperation between the UN system, including the Bretton Woods institutions, and the Economic Community of Central African States; declares itself convinced of the importance to conflict resolution of the implementation of global, integrated and concerted strategies on questions relating to peace, security and development; requests the Secretary-General to continue to enhance contacts with the Economic Community of Central African States with a view to strengthening cooperation between the UN system and the Community. (Adopted without vote, 113th plenary meeting, 14 July 2005)

ECONOMIC COMMUNITY OF WEST AFRICAN STATES–OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 159)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.6 Observer status for the Economic Community of West African States in the General Assembly : draft resolution / Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, the Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Mali, Niger, Senegal, Sierra Leone and Togo.
Additional sponsors: Benin, Côte d'Ivoire, Nigeria and United Kingdom (A/59/520).

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/520 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.2 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/520 (originally A/C.6/59/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/51.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/51 Observer status for the Economic Community of West African States in the General Assembly.

Decides to invite the Economic Community of West African States to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer; requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary action to implement the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

ECONOMIC COOPERATION ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 56h)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.3 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, Tajikistan, Turkey, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan.

A/59/L.3/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization : draft resolution : addendum.
Additional sponsor: Lao People's Democratic Republic.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

ECONOMIC COOPERATION ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 56h) (continued)

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

At the 40th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.3 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/4.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/4 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization.

Stresses the importance of cooperation between the UN system and the Economic Cooperation Organization with regard to the provision of financial and technical cooperation, consultancy services, information on drug control, training courses on trade and investment in the ongoing and future activities of the Economic Cooperation Organization; welcomes the initiative of the Economic Cooperation Organization to establish institutional cooperation among its members States and relevant international organizations; welcomes the signing of the memorandum of understanding on cooperation in the field of environment with UNEP; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 61st session the sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization". (Adopted without vote, 40th plenary meeting, 22 Oct. 2004)

ECONOMIC EMBARGO–CUBA

See: CUBA–UNITED STATES

ECONOMIC GROWTH–DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

ECONOMIC SANCTIONS–INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (Agenda item 48)

Reports

A/59/266 Elimination of unilateral extraterritorial coercive economic measures as a means of political and economic compulsion : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 16 Aug. 2004.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

ECONOMIC SANCTIONS–INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (Agenda item 48) (continued)

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.10 Elimination of unilateral extraterritorial coercive economic measures as a means of political and economic compulsion : draft resolution / Libyan Arab Jamahiriya.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

ECONOMIES IN TRANSITION (Agenda item 87e)

Reports

A/59/301 Integration of the economies in transition into the world economy : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 26 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.19 Integration of the economies in transition into the world economy : draft resolution / Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Lithuania, Poland, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine and Uzbekistan.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Chile, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Luxembourg, Malta, Mongolia, the Netherlands, Norway, Peru, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, United Kingdom and United States. - The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.59 (A/59/485/Add.5).

A/C.2/59/L.59 Integration of the economies in transition into the world economy : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Antonio Bernardini (Italy), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.19.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/485 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/485/Add.5 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.20 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.21 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.22 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.23 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.38 (7 Dec. 2004).

ECONOMIES IN TRANSITION (Agenda item 87e) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in
A/59/485/Add.5 (originally A/C.2/59/L.59) was adopted
without vote: resolution 59/243.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/243 Integration of the economies in transition
into the world economy.

Calls upon the organizations of the UN system,
including the regional commissions, and invites the Bretton
Woods institutions, in collaboration with relevant non-UN
multilateral and regional institutions, to continue to conduct
analytical activities and provide policy advice and targeted
and substantial technical assistance to the Governments of
the countries with economies in transition aimed at
strengthening the social, legal and political framework for
completing market-oriented reforms, supporting national
development priorities with a view to sustaining the
positive trends and reversing any declines in the economic
and social development of those countries; emphasizes in
this regard the importance of the further integration of the
countries with economies in transition into the world
economy; stresses the need to focus international
assistance to countries with economies in transition on
those facing particular difficulties in socio-economic
development, implementing market-oriented reforms and
meeting internationally agreed development; requests the
Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its
61st session a report on the implementation of the present
resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting,
22 Dec. 2004)

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39a)

See also: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE
HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

Reports

A/59/93 (E/2004/74) Strengthening the coordination of
emergency humanitarian assistance of the United
Nations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 11 June 2004.

A/59/374 International cooperation on humanitarian
assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to
development : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits,
in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for
Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and
Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in
Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which
was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-
Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held
in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39a) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.26 International cooperation on humanitarian
assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to
development : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the
Group of 77 and China].

A/59/L.26/Rev.1 International cooperation on
humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters,
from relief to development : revised draft resolution /
Denmark, Greece, Japan, Mexico, Netherlands, Norway,
Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China], Russian
Federation, Slovakia and Turkey.

A/59/L.26/Rev.1/Add.1 International cooperation on
humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters,
from relief to development : revised draft resolution :
addendum.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Austria, Cyprus,
Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, Hungary, Ireland,
Luxembourg, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova,
Romania, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovenia, Sweden,
United Kingdom and United States.

A/59/L.45 Assistance to survivors of the 1994 genocide in
Rwanda, particularly orphans, widows and victims of
sexual abuse : draft resolution / Algeria, Armenia,
Belgium, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cape Verde, China,
Egypt, Ethiopia, Ghana, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Malawi,
Mozambique, Netherlands, Nigeria, Rwanda, Somalia,
South Africa, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia.

A/59/L.45/Add.1 Assistance to survivors of the 1994
genocide in Rwanda, particularly orphans, widows and
victims of sexual abuse : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Canada, Cuba,
Denmark, Eritrea, Ireland, Luxembourg, Norway, Romania,
Singapore, Sudan, Sweden, Tajikistan, United Kingdom,
United Republic of Tanzania, United States.

A/59/L.49 Strengthening of the coordination of emergency
humanitarian assistance of the United Nations : draft
resolution / Albania, Argentina, Australia, Austria,
Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech
Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, France,
Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy,
Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Mexico, Monaco,
Morocco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland,
Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden,
Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain
and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

A/59/L.49/Add.1 Strengthening of the coordination of
emergency humanitarian assistance of the United
Nations : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Belarus, Cape Verde,
Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Republic of Korea, Republic of
Moldova, Serbia and Montenegro, South Africa, Ukraine.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.51 (11 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.52 (11 Nov. 2004).

**EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39a)
(continued)**

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.45 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/137.

A/59/PV.72 (15 Dec. 2004).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.49 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/141.

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.26/Rev.1, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/212.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/137 Assistance to survivors of the 1994 genocide in Rwanda, particularly orphans, widows and victims of sexual violence.

Requests the Secretary-General to encourage the relevant agencies, funds and programmes of the UN system to continue to work with the Government of Rwanda in developing and implementing programmes aimed at supporting vulnerable groups that continue to suffer from the effects of the 1994 genocide, in alleviating poverty, disease and suffering and in promoting development in Rwanda; invites the relevant agencies, funds and programmes of the UN system to continue to develop and implement those programmes; invites agencies, funds and programmes of the UN system to ensure that assistance is provided in the specific areas identified as priorities by the Government of Rwanda; encourages all Member States to seriously consider promoting the implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the independent inquiry into the actions of the UN during the 1994 genocide in Rwanda; expresses its appreciation for development assistance and support for the reconstruction and rehabilitation of Rwanda after the 1994 genocide; requests the Secretary-General, to take all necessary and practicable measures for the implementation of the present resolution, and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

**EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39a)
(continued)**

A/RES/59/141 Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations.

Encourages the Emergency Relief Coordinator to continue his efforts to strengthen the coordination of humanitarian assistance, and calls upon relevant UN organizations as well as other humanitarian and development actors to work with the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs of the Secretariat in enhancing the coordination, effectiveness and efficiency of humanitarian assistance; strongly encourages the UN to address more systematically protection of civilians and other humanitarian issues with regional organizations; decides to raise the maximum limit of an emergency cash grant to US\$100,000 per country in the case of any one disaster, within existing resources available from the regular budget of the UN; strongly condemns all acts of violence committed against civilian populations in situations of humanitarian crisis and reiterates that such acts can constitute serious violations or grave breaches of international humanitarian law and constitute, in defined circumstances, a crime against humanity and/or a war crime; calls upon relevant UN organizations to continue to improve transparency and reliability of humanitarian needs assessments; encourages the Secretary-General to continue to improve his reporting on emergency humanitarian assistance, including with respect to natural disasters. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 15 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/212 International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development.

Calls upon all States to adopt, where required, and to continue to implement effectively necessary legislative and other appropriate measures to mitigate the effects of natural disasters and integrate disaster risk reduction strategies into development planning, inter alia, by disaster prevention, including appropriate land-use and building regulations, as well as disaster preparedness and capacity-building in disaster response and mitigation, and requests the international community to continue to assist developing countries as well as countries with economies in transition, bearing in mind their vulnerability to natural hazards, in this regard; calls upon States, the UN and other relevant actors, as appropriate, to assist in addressing knowledge gaps in disaster management and risk reduction by identifying ways of improving systems and networks for the collection and analysis of information on disasters, vulnerability and risk to facilitate informed decision-making; urges Member States, with the support of relevant bodies of the UN system, to strengthen efforts to identify practical ways to channel resources to and strengthen support for national disaster management capacities in disaster-prone countries; requests the Secretary-General to examine ways to further improve the assessment of needs and responses and to enhance the availability of data regarding funding in response to natural disasters and to consider concrete recommendations to improve the international response to natural disasters. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

ENVIRONMENT

Reports

A/59/25 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 25) United Nations Environment Programme : report of the Governing Council, 8th special session, 29-31 March 2004.
Issued: 2004.

ENVIRONMENT–DISARMAMENT AGREEMENTS

See: DISARMAMENT AGREEMENTS–ENVIRONMENT

ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT– CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 85a)

See also: CLIMATE

DESERTIFICATION–TREATIES (1996)
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Reports

A/59/220 Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.6 Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Algeria, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bolivia, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Chile, China, Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Marshall Islands, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Myanmar, Namibia, Nepal, Netherlands, Niger, Nigeria, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Samoa, San Marino, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Timor-Leste, Togo, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom and United States. - The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.57 (A/59/483/Add.1).

A/C.2/59/L.15 Activities undertaken during the International Year of Freshwater, 2003, and further efforts to achieve the sustainable development of water resources : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.52 (A/59/483/Add.1).

ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT– CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 85a) (continued)

A/C.2/59/L.52 Activities undertaken during the International Year of Freshwater, 2003, preparations for the International Decade for Action, "Water for Life", 2005-2015, and further efforts to achieve the sustainable development of water resources : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.15.

A/C.2/59/L.57 Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairperson of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.6.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/483/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.14 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.15 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.16 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.37 (3 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, action on 2 draft resolutions in A/59/483/Add.1 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/59/L.57), adopted without vote: resolution 59/227; draft resolution II (originally A/C.2/59/L.52), adopted without vote: resolution 59/228.

**ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–
CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO,
BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 85a)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/227 Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development.

Reiterates that sustainable development is a key element of the overarching framework for UN activities; calls upon Governments and all relevant international organizations, in accordance with their respective mandates, to take action to ensure the effective implementation of and follow-up to the commitments, programmes and time-bound targets adopted at the World Summit on Sustainable Development, and encourages them to report on concrete progress in that regard; requests the Secretary-General to submit thematic reports on each of the three issues contained in the thematic cluster of issues on water, sanitation and human settlements and requests the Commission to examine those cross-cutting issues; requests the Secretary-General to continue his efforts to strengthen system-wide inter-agency cooperation and in this regard to report on such inter-agency cooperation and coordination activities and their terms of reference to the ECOSOC in 2005; requests the Commission to contribute through the Council to the high-level plenary meeting of the General Assembly in 2005; requests the secretariat of the Commission to make arrangements to facilitate the balanced representation of major groups from developed and developing countries in the sessions of the Commission; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session the item entitled "Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development", and requests the Secretary-General, at that session, to submit a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

**ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–
CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO,
BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 85a)
(continued)**

A/RES/59/228 Activities undertaken during the International Year of Freshwater, 2003, preparations for the International Decade for Action, "Water for Life", 2005-2015, and further efforts to achieve the sustainable development of water resources.

Encourages Member States, the Secretariat, organizations of the UN system and major groups to continue their efforts to achieve the internationally agreed water-related goals contained in Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21, the UN Millennium Declaration and the Johannesburg Plan of Implementation; invites the Secretary-General to take appropriate actions in organizing the activities of the International Decade for Action, "Water for Life", 2005-2015; calls upon the relevant UN bodies, the specialized agencies, regional commissions and other organizations of the UN system to step up their efforts to deliver a coordinated response in order to make the Decade a decade of delivering promises through the use of existing resources and voluntary funds; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to consider, at its 60th session, the future arrangements for the review of the implementation of the Decade, including the possibility of a review on a biennial or triennial basis or a mid-term review. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

ETHIOPIA–ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–ETHIOPIA

EXTERNAL DEBT (Agenda item 83c)

Reports

A/59/219 External debt crisis and development : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 13 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.3 External debt crisis and development : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.53 (A/59/481/Add.3).

A/C.2/59/L.53 External debt crisis and development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Majdi Ramadan (Lebanon), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.3.

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/481 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/481/Add.3 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

EXTERNAL DEBT (Agenda item 83c) (continued)

A/C.2/59/SR.9 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.38 (7 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/481/Add.3 (originally A/C.2/59/L.53) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/223.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/223 External debt crisis and development.

Emphasizes that creditors and debtors must share responsibility for preventing and resolving unsustainable debt situations in a timely and efficient manner; stresses that debt relief can play a key role in liberating resources that should be directed towards activities consistent with poverty eradication, sustained economic growth and sustainable development; stresses the need for the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund to keep the overall implications of the framework for low-income countries under review; reaffirms the need to pursue, where appropriate, debt relief measures vigorously and expeditiously, by all creditors, including within the Paris and London Clubs and other relevant forums; reiterates the call upon developed countries, as expressed in the Millennium Declaration, to complete the enhanced programme of debt relief for the Heavily Indebted Poor Countries Initiative and to ensure that it is fully financed; stresses the importance of continued flexibility with regard to the eligibility criteria for the enhanced Heavily Indebted Poor Countries Initiative; also stresses the need to find a solution for the debt problems of heavily indebted low- and middle-income developing countries that are not eligible for debt relief under the Heavily Indebted Poor Countries Initiative; calls upon all Member States as well as the UN system, and invites the Bretton Woods institutions as well as the private sector to take appropriate measures and actions for the implementation of the commitments, agreements and decisions of the major UN conferences and summits; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

EXTRADITION

See: CRIME PREVENTION

FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) QUESTION (Agenda item 31)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) QUESTION (Agenda item 31) (continued)

General documents

A/59/406 Letter, 30 Sept. 2004, from the United Kingdom. Transmits statement of the United Kingdom delegation in exercise of the right of reply to the remarks made by the President of the Argentine on 21 Sept. 2004 in the General Assembly concerning the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) question.

A/59/662 Letter, 3 Jan. 2005, from Argentina. Transmits statement issued on the same day by the Government of Argentina on the occasion of another anniversary of the alleged illegitimate British occupation of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas).

A/59/687 Letter, 31 Jan. 2005, from the United Kingdom. Refers to the letter of 3 Jan. 2005 from Argentina transmitting press release on the question of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) (A/59/662); rejects claim by Argentina to sovereignty over the Falkland Islands (Malvinas), South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands and the surrounding maritime areas and that the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) are under illegal occupation by the United Kingdom.

A/59/843 Letter, 7 June 2005, from the United Kingdom. Refers to the note of 6 May 2005 from Argentina and rejects the protest to the inclusion of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas), South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands, and the British Antarctic Territory in the Treaty establishing a Constitution for Europe.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

FAMILY (Agenda item 94a)

Reports

A/59/176 Preparations for and observance of the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family in 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 July 2004.

General documents

A/59/592 Letter, 2 Dec. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits the Doha Declaration of the International Conference for the Observance of the 10th Anniversary of the International Year of the Family, issued on 30 Nov. 2004.

A/59/599 Letter, 7 Dec. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits final report of the Doha International Conference for the Family, Doha, 20-30 Nov. 2004.

A/59/628 Letter, 17 Dec. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits texts of speeches delivered by the President of the Supreme Council for Family Affairs and the First Deputy Prime Minister for Foreign Affairs of Qatar at the session of the Doha International Conference for the Family, Doha, 29-30 Nov. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.29 Celebrating the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

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FAMILY (Agenda item 94a) (continued)

A/59/L.29/Add.1 Celebrating the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Russian Federation and United States.

A/C.3/59/L.2 Celebration of the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family and beyond : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/492 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.13 (14 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.67 (6 Dec. 2004).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.29, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/111.

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution and draft decision in A/59/492 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.2), adopted without vote: resolution 59/147; draft decision II in A/59/492 entitled "Report of the Secretary-General on the preparations for the International Year of the Family in 2004", adopted without vote: decision 59/522.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/111 Celebrating the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family.

Welcomes the celebration of the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family on 6 Dec. 2004 at Headquarters; commends the important contributions made by Governments at the international, national, regional and local levels to observe the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family; welcomes the hosting of the Regional Conference on the Family in Africa on 27 and 28 July 2004 by the Government of Benin, and also welcomes the hosting of the Doha International Conference for the Family on 29 and 30 Nov. 2004 by the State of Qatar; encourages Governments to make every possible effort to realize the objectives of the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family and to integrate a family perspective in the planning process; recommends that all relevant agencies of the UN system, civil society organizations, the media, religious and community-based organizations as well as the private sector contribute to developing strategies and programmes aimed at strengthening the livelihood of families; decides to celebrate the anniversary of the International Year of the Family on a 10-year basis. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 6 Dec. 2004)

FAMILY (Agenda item 94a) (continued)

A/RES/59/147 Celebration of the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family and beyond.

Urges Governments to continue to take sustained action at all levels concerning family issues, including applied studies and research, in order to promote the role of families in development and develop concrete measures and approaches to address national priorities in dealing with family issues; requests the Secretary-General: (a) to give appropriate consideration to the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family by preparing for the observance of the International Day of Families on 15 May 2004 and by taking appropriate steps for the celebration of the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family; (b) to continue to utilize the UN Trust Fund on Family Activities to provide financial assistance for activities specific to the family and for projects of direct benefit to it, with special focus on least developed and developing countries; also requests the Secretary-General to report on the implementation of the present resolution to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

FIELD ASSETS CONTROL–SYSTEM

See: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING

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See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

FINANCIAL SITUATION–UN

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FISHERY CONSERVATION

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INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER YUGOSLAVIA–MEMBERS

INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER YUGOSLAVIA–REPORTS

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FOURTH SPECIAL SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DEVOTED TO DISARMAMENT

See: DISARMAMENT–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH SPECIAL SESS. ON DISARMAMENT : #####)

FOURTH WORLD CONFERENCE ON WOMEN (1995 : BEIJING)

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT–CONFERENCES (4TH : 1995 : BEIJING)–FOLLOW-UP

**FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT–FAMILY
REUNIFICATION (Agenda item 105b)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.65 Respect for the right to universal freedom of travel and the vital importance of family reunification : draft resolution / Cuba, Ecuador and El Salvador.
Additional sponsors: Jamaica, Nigeria and Sudan
(A/59/503/Add.2).

**Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and
Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)**

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution XXI in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.65) was adopted (122-3-61): resolution 59/203.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/203 Respect for the right to universal freedom of travel and the vital importance of family reunification.
Once again calls upon all States to guarantee the universally recognized freedom of travel to all foreign nationals legally residing in their territory; reaffirms that all Governments, in particular those of receiving countries, must recognize the vital importance of family reunification and promote its incorporation into national legislation in order to ensure protection of the unity of families of documented migrants; calls upon all States to refrain from enacting, and to repeal if it already exists, legislation intended as a coercive measure that discriminates against individuals or groups of legal migrants by adversely affecting family reunification and the right to send financial remittances to relatives in the country of origin. (Adopted 122-3-61, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

GEORGIA SITUATION

See: UN OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA–FINANCING

GIBRALTAR QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.
Issued: 2004.

Hearings requested

A/C.4/59/2 Letter, 3 Sept. 2004, from J.J. Bossano, leader of the Opposition. Requests a hearing on the question of Gibraltar.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/59/L.6 Question of Gibraltar : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.

**GIBRALTAR QUESTION (Agenda item 20)
(continued)**

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.4 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft decision I in A/59/478 (originally A/C.4/59/L.6) was adopted without vote: decision 59/519.

GIRL CHILDREN–DISCRIMINATION

See: RIGHTS OF THE CHILD

GLOBAL FINANCIAL INTEGRATION

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

GLOBAL HUMAN ORDER–UN (Agenda item 41)

General documents

A/59/283 Letter, 18 Aug. 2004, from Guyana. Submits Guyana's response to operative para. 3 of General Assembly resolution 57/12 on the role of the UN in promoting a New Global Human Order.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.41 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, the Assembly decided to defer consideration of this item to the 61st session of the General Assembly: decision 59/543.

GLOBALIZATION (Agenda item 87a)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.20 Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.68 (A/59/485/Add.1).

GLOBALIZATION (Agenda item 87a) (continued)

A/C.2/59/L.68 Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Antonio Bernardini (Italy), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.20.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/485 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/485/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.20 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.21 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.22 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.27 (5 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.40 (16 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/485/Add.1 (originally A/C.2/59/L.68) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/240.

GLOBALIZATION (Agenda item 87a) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/240 Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence.

Reaffirms that the UN has a central role in promoting international cooperation for development and in promoting policy coherence on global development issues, including in the context of globalization and interdependence; reaffirms also that each country has primary responsibility for its own economic and social development and that the role of national policies and development strategies cannot be overemphasized; stresses that, in the common pursuit of growth, poverty eradication and sustainable development, a critical challenge is to ensure the necessary internal conditions for mobilizing domestic savings, both public and private, sustaining adequate levels of productive investment and increasing human development; stresses that development strategies have to be formulated with a view to minimizing the negative social impact of globalization and maximizing its positive impact; reaffirms that education, employment creation and improvement of working conditions, which are some of the indispensable elements of poverty eradication, social integration, gender equality and overall development, should be at the centre of development strategies and international cooperation; urges all Governments to ensure women's equal rights with men and their full and equal access to education, training, employment, technology and economic and financial resources; stresses the importance of migration as a phenomenon accompanying increased globalization, including its impact on economies; recognizes the special needs of the least developed countries, the small island developing States and the landlocked developing countries within a new global framework for transit transport cooperation for landlocked and transit developing countries, and reaffirms continued support and assistance for their endeavours; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on globalization and interdependence. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

GLOBALIZATION–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/320 Globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of all human rights : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

GLOBALIZATION–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.35 Globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of all human rights : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Burkina Faso, China, Congo, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Egypt, Eritrea, Ghana, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mauritius, Morocco, Namibia, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Togo, Uganda, United Arab Emirates and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Cameroon, Grenada, Guyana, Kenya, Mauritania, Myanmar, Philippines, Somalia, Suriname, Tunisia and Viet Nam (A/59/503/Add.2).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.48 (19 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.35) was adopted (129-53-4): resolution 59/184.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/184 Globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of all human rights.

Recognizes that, while globalization, by its impact on, inter alia, the role of the State, may affect human rights, the promotion and protection of all human rights is first and foremost the responsibility of the State; underlines the urgent need to establish an equitable, transparent and democratic international system in which poor people and countries have a more effective voice; affirms that globalization is a complex process of structural transformation, with numerous interdisciplinary aspects, which has an impact on the enjoyment of civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights, including the right to development; affirms also that the international community should strive to respond to the challenges and opportunities posed by globalization in a manner that ensures respect for the cultural diversity of all. (Adopted 129-53-4, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

GLOBALIZATION–INTERDEPENDENCE (Agenda item 87)

Reports

A/59/138 Industrial development cooperation : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 13 July 2004. - Transmits, in pursuance to General Assembly resolution 57/243, report of the Director-General of UNIDO on industrial development cooperation to which is annexed an information note on the Global Biotechnology Forum.

GLOBALIZATION–INTERDEPENDENCE (Agenda item 87) (continued)

A/59/312 Globalization and interdependence : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 31 Aug. 2004.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

A/59/155 (E/2004/96) Letter, 15 July 2004, from Canada and Mexico. Refers to report entitled "Unleashing entrepreneurship: making business work for the poor" presented to the Secretary-General by the Commission on the Private Sector and Development and transmits an extract from the report of relevance to the work of the UN particularly in the economic and social field.

A/59/158 Letter, 15 July 2004, from the Lao People's Democratic Republic. Concerns ministerial communiqué of the Group of Landlocked Developing Countries, adopted on 13 June 2004, on the sideline of UNCTAD XI, held in São Paulo, Brazil (document TD/409) and requests its circulation in the General Assembly.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/767 Letter, 28 Mar. 2005, from Jamaica. Transmits Final Communiqué adopted by the 38th Meeting of the Chairmen/Coordinators of the Group of 77 Chapters, held in Geneva, 1-2 Mar. 2005.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/485 Report of the 2nd Committee.

GLOBALIZATION–INTERDEPENDENCE (Agenda item 87) (continued)

A/C.2/59/SR.27 (5 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/59/485): decision 59/535.

GOLAN HEIGHTS

See: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–NATURAL RESOURCES

GRATIS PERSONNEL

See: UN–ADMINISTRATION

UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

GROUP OF LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. MINISTERIAL MEETING (2004 : SÃO PAULO, BRAZIL)

See: LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

GUAM QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/478 entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/134.

GUAM QUESTION (Agenda item 20) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-VI] Guam.

Calls upon the administering Power to take into consideration the expressed will of the Chamorro people as supported by Guam voters in the plebiscite of 1987 and as provided for in Guam law, encourages the administering Power and the territorial Government of Guam to enter into negotiations on the matter; requests the administering Power to continue to assist the elected territorial Government in achieving its political, economic and social goals; also requests the administering Power to continue to transfer land to the original landowners of the Territory; further requests the administering Power to continue to recognize and respect the political rights and the cultural and ethnic identity of the Chamorro people of Guam; requests the administering Power to cooperate in establishing programmes specifically intended to promote the sustainable development of economic activities and enterprises; also requests the administering Power to continue to support appropriate measures by the territorial Government aimed at promoting growth in commercial fishing and agricultural and other viable activities. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

GUATEMALA SITUATION

See: CENTRAL AMERICA SITUATION

HABITAT II

See: HUMAN SETTLEMENTS–CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP

HAITI–POLITICAL CONDITIONS (Agenda item 42)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

HIGHLY MIGRATORY FISH STOCKS

See: STRADDLING FISH STOCKS

HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS–UN

See: UN–HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS

HOUSING

See: HUMAN SETTLEMENTS–CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP

HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT–UN

See: UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 105)

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS–PROGRAMMES OF ACTION
(1993)

HUMAN RIGHTS–TREATIES–IMPLEMENTATION
HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT
POVERTY–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (1997-
2006)
RACIAL DISCRIMINATION
RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

Reports

A/59/40(Vol.I) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 40) Report of the Human Rights Committee. Volume 1, 79th session (20 October-7 November 2003); 80th session (15 March-2 April 2004); 81st session (5-30 July 2004).
Issued: 2004.

A/59/40(Vol.II) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 40) Report of the Human Rights Committee. Volume 2, 79th session (20 October-7 November 2003); 80th session (15 March-2 April 2004); 81st session (5-30 July 2004).
Issued: 2004.

General documents

A/59/225 Letter, 10 Aug. 2004, from the Russian Federation. Transmits decision of the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation in connection with the judgement of the European Court of Human Rights on the Ilascu case; states that the judgement concerns events that took place prior to the accession of the Russian Federation to the Convention on the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms and the demand of the Court to release the applicants is without foundation as the applicants are in prison in the Republic of Moldova.

A/59/371 Letter, 21 Sept. 2004, from Cuba. Transmits letter concerning the reprieve granted by the former President of Panama to 4 Cubans who were tried and sentenced in Panama for the alleged attempted assassination of Fidel Castro in Nov. 2000; states that Cuba has decided to indefinitely sever its diplomatic relations with Panama.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/598 Note verbale, 8 Dec. 2004, from Chile. Transmits, in its capacity as Chair of the Convening Group of the Community of Democracies, statement issued on the occasion of Human Rights Day.

HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 105) (continued)

A/59/660 Letter, 28 Dec. 2004, from Uzbekistan. Transmits statement by the international observers of the Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS) on the results of observation of election of the Lower (Legislative) Chamber of Oliy Majlis (Parliament) of Uzbekistan, held on 26 Dec. 2004; states that the observers believe that the elections were conducted by the Central Electoral Commission of Uzbekistan and the electoral commissions in accordance with the provisions of the electoral legislation of the Republic of Uzbekistan, and that they recognize elections as legitimate, free and transparent.

A/59/680 Letter, 24 Jan. 2005 from Cuba. Transmits statement by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on the alleged abuse and violations committed against detainees on the naval base in Guantánamo, issued on 20 Jan. 2005.

A/59/694 Letter, 20 Jan. 2005, from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Concerns convening of the special meeting to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the liberation of the Nazi concentration camps in Europe in the General Assembly on 24 Jan. 2005.

A/59/725 Letter, 4 Mar. 2005, from Georgia and Moldova. Transmits the Chisinau declarations, entitled "On the supremacy of democratic values and principles" and "Against the 'Black Holes' in Europe", which were signed on 2 Mar. 2005 in Chisinau, Moldova by the Presidents of Moldova and Georgia.

A/59/738 Letter, 15 Mar. 2005, from Cuba. Transmits statement concerning denial of visas by the United States authorities to Olga Salarueva and Adriana Pérez, spouses of René González and Gerardo Hernández.

A/59/741 (S/2005/172) Letter, 11 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan. Transmits, as Chair of the meeting of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, joint communiqué of the meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, held in Astana on 25 Feb. 2005; underlines the importance of strengthening the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in order to ensure stability and peace in Central Asia.

A/59/807 Letter, 6 May 2005, from Ukraine. Transmits statement made by the representative of Ukraine at a meeting of the Permanent Council of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe held on 5 May 2005; concerns alleged administrative punishment of Ukrainian citizens who participated in a humanitarian action on the theme "Chernobyl's Road", in Minsk, on 26 Apr. 2005.

A/59/814 Letter, 16 May, 2005, from Chile and Mali. Transmits document entitled "Santiago commitment: cooperating for democracy" adopted at the 3rd Ministerial Conference of the Community of Democracies, Santiago, 28-30 Apr. 2005.

HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 105) (continued)

A/59/844 Letter, 13 June 2005, from the United Kingdom. Reports that the United Kingdom hosted a meeting of experts on 16 May 2005 with representatives of international and regional organizations from 22 countries to discuss the principle of an arms trade treaty; attaches the Chairman's conclusion of the meeting, reflecting the overall direction and content of discussion but not representing a binding commitment for the participants.

A/59/867 Letter, 6 July 2005, from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Refers to annex in letter dated 25 May 2005 (A/59/814) entitled "Santiago Ministerial Commitment: cooperating for democracy" and expresses Venezuela's reservations to this commitment.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/59/890 Letter, 2 Aug. 2005, from Uzbekistan. Transmits decree of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan on abolition of the death penalty.

A/C.3/59/4 Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Italy. Transmits letter addressed to the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance by the Permanent Representative of Italy to the International Organizations in Geneva, on 25 Oct. 2004; refers to the study by the Special Rapporteur (A/59/330) and states that Italian Government has made the fight against racism, xenophobia, Islamophobia and anti-Semitism a priority of its political action.

A/C.3/59/6 Letter, 1 Nov. 2004, from Belarus. Transmits note concerning the cooperation between Belarus and the Working Group on Arbitrary Detention of the Commission on Human Rights in which the Working Group visited Belarus 16-26 Aug. 2004 at the invitation of the Government of Belarus.

A/C.3/59/7 Letter, 1 Nov. 2004, from Belarus. Transmits note concerning the results of the recent parliamentary elections and referendum in Belarus; states that the large number of international observers invited was a clear indication of the transparency of the electoral process in Belarus.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503 Report of the 3rd Committee.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft decision in A/59/503 entitled "Reports considered by the General Assembly in connection with human rights questions" was adopted without vote: decision 59/528.

HUMAN RIGHTS–AFGHANISTAN (Agenda item 105c)

Reports

A/59/370 Report of the independent expert of the Commission on Human Rights on the situation of human rights in Afghanistan : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the Independent Expert, M. Cherif Bassiouni, on the current human rights situation in Afghanistan.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/C.3/59/SR.28 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.54 (24 Nov. 2004).

HUMAN RIGHTS–BELARUS (Agenda item 105c)

General documents

A/C.3/59/6 Letter, 1 Nov. 2004, from Belarus. Transmits note concerning the cooperation between Belarus and the Working Group on Arbitrary Detention of the Commission on Human Rights in which the Working Group visited Belarus 16-26 Aug. 2004 at the invitation of the Government of Belarus.

A/C.3/59/7 Letter, 1 Nov. 2004, from Belarus. Transmits note concerning the results of the recent parliamentary elections and referendum in Belarus; states that the large number of international observers invited was a clear indication of the transparency of the electoral process in Belarus.

A/C.3/59/8 Letter, 1 Nov. 2004, from Belarus. Transmits note on the situation of human rights in Belarus; states that the Constitution of the Republic of Belarus proclaims the individual, the individual's rights and freedoms and guarantees of their realization as the highest aim of society and State.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.55 Situation of human rights in Belarus : draft resolution / Austria, Belgium, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Australia, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Hungary, Iceland, Malta, Marshall Islands, Spain, Switzerland and Turkey. - No action was taken on the draft resolution by the 3rd Committee (A/59/503/Add.3).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.47 (28 Nov. 2004).

HUMAN RIGHTS–BURUNDI (Agenda item 105c)

General documents

A/59/352 Situation of human rights in Burundi : note / by the Secretariat.

States that Akich Okola, an independent expert on the situation of human rights in Burundi will report orally to the General Assembly, owing to his late appointment.

HUMAN RIGHTS–DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA (Agenda item 105c)

Reports

A/59/316 Situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea : note / by the Secretariat.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004. - Reports that, owing to time constraints resulting from his late appointment, Viti Muntarhorn, the Special Rapporteur on the Situation of the Human Rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea will report on his initial observation under his mandate through oral statement to the General Assembly.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/C.3/59/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2004).

HUMAN RIGHTS–DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (Agenda item 105c)

General documents

A/59/367 Situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo : note / by the Secretariat.

Refers to General Assembly resolution 58/196 and states that the joint mission of the Special Rapporteur on the Situation of Human Rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the member of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances has not been able to proceed due to the Commission on Human Rights decision 2004/225 which terminated the mandate of the Special Rapporteur.

A/59/378 Situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo : note / by the Secretariat.

Refers to the Economic and Social Council decision 2004/225 and states that owing to his late appointment, Titinga Frédéric Pacéré, an independent expert on the situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, will not be in a position to submit a report to the General Assembly and will report orally on his initial observations with respect to his mandate.

HUMAN RIGHTS–DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (Agenda item 105c) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.54 Situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo : draft resolution / Andorra, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Albania and Liechtenstein. - Republic of Moldova withdrew as a sponsor of the draft resolution (A/59/503/Add.3).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.30 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.52 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.54 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/503/Add.3 (originally A/C.3/59/L.54), as a whole, was adopted (76-2-100): resolution 59/207.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/207 Situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

Welcomes the nomination of the independent expert on the situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo in July 2004, as well as his visit to the Democratic Republic of the Congo in Aug. 2004; condemns the continuing violations of human rights and international humanitarian law in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, while remaining concerned about the prevalence of grave violations and the rise in ethnic tensions throughout the Democratic Republic of the Congo and, in particular, in Ituri, North and South Kivu and other areas in the eastern part of the country; encourages the international community to continue to support the transition in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and its institutions and, in particular, to provide assistance in the reform of national judicial institutions; decides to continue to examine the situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, and requests the independent expert on the situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted 76-2-100, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS–INFORMATION (Agenda item 105b)

General documents

A/59/525 Draft plan of action for the 1st phase (2005-2007) of the proposed world programme for human rights education : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits a draft plan of action for the 1st phase (2005-2007) of the proposed world programme for human rights education, focusing on the primary and secondary school systems, prepared by the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights in cooperation with UNESCO and other governmental and non-governmental actors in accordance with Commission of Human Rights resolution 2004/71.

A/59/525/Rev.1 Revised draft plan of action for the 1st phase (2005-2007) of the World Programme for Human Rights Education : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits revised draft plan of action for the 1st phase (2005-2007) of the World Programme for Human Rights Education, proclaimed by the General Assembly on 10 Dec. 2004; includes components of human rights education in primary and secondary school system and comments by States in accordance with General Assembly resolution 59/113.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.43 World Programme for Human Rights Education : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Bulgaria, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Greece, Japan, Liechtenstein, New Zealand, Poland, Portugal, San Marino, Slovakia, Thailand, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

A/59/L.43/Add.1 World Programme for Human Rights Education : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belarus, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Ecuador, Finland, France, Germany, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, India, Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Morocco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovenia, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Tunisia, Turkey, Uruguay.

A/59/L.65 World programme for human rights education : draft resolution / Australia and Costa Rica.

HUMAN RIGHTS–INFORMATION (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/59/L.65/Add.1 World programme for human rights education : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay.

A/C.3/59/L.41 World Programme for Human Rights Education : draft resolution / Australia and Costa Rica.
The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors (A/59/503/Add.2).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.70 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.43 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/113 A.

A/59/PV.113 (14 July 2005).

At the 113th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.65 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/113 B.

A/59/PV.113/Corr.1 (14 July 2005).
Corrects text.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/113A World Programme for Human Rights Education.

Takes note of the views expressed in the report of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights on the achievements and shortcomings of the UN Decade for Human Rights Education, 1995-2004; proclaims the World Programme for Human Rights Education, structured in consecutive phases, scheduled to begin on 1 Jan. 2005, in order to advance the implementation of human rights education programmes in all sectors; notes with appreciation the draft plan of action for the first phase (2005-2007) of the World Programme for Human Rights Education, prepared jointly by the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights and UNESCO, as contained in the note by the Secretary-General. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 14 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS–INFORMATION (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/RES/59/113B World Programme for Human Rights Education.

Adopts the revised draft plan of action for the first phase (2005-2007) of the World Programme for Human Rights Education, which focuses on primary and secondary school systems; requests the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, in close cooperation with Unesco to promote the national implementation of the plan of action, provide relevant technical assistance when requested and coordinate related international efforts; appeals to relevant organs, bodies or agencies of the UN system, as well as all other international and regional intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, within their respective mandates, to promote and technically assist, when requested, the national implementation of the plan of action; requests the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights and Unesco to widely disseminate the plan of action among States and intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations. (Adopted without vote, 113th plenary meeting, 14 July 2005)

HUMAN RIGHTS–IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF) (Agenda item 105c)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.50 Situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran : draft resolution / Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Bulgaria, Liechtenstein, Palau, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Tuvalu (A/59/503/Add.3).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/503/Add.3 (originally A/C.3/59/L.50) was adopted (71-54-55): resolution 59/205.

HUMAN RIGHTS–IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF) (Agenda item 105c) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/205 Situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran.

Expresses its serious concern at: the continuing violations of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran; encourages the thematic mechanisms of the Commission on Human Rights, including the Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions, the Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment, the Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers, the Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief and the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights defenders to visit the Islamic Republic of Iran, and encourages the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran to cooperate with these special mechanisms and to respond fully to their subsequent recommendations; decides to continue its examination of the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran at its 60th session, under the agenda item entitled "Human rights questions", in the light of additional elements provided by the Commission on Human Rights. (Adopted 71-54-55, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS–MYANMAR (Agenda item 105c)

Reports

A/59/269 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 16 Aug. 2004.

A/59/311 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 Aug. 2004. - Transmits interim report of the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on the situation of human rights in Myanmar, Paulo Sérgio Pinheiro, submitted in accordance with Commission resolution 2004/61 and Economic and Social Council decision 2004/266.

A/59/597 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 ; international convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings : programme budget implications arising from the decision of the 6th Committee at its 27th meeting, on 19 November 2004 ; International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 ; rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev. 1 ; revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed sessions of 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 6 Dec. 2004.

**HUMAN RIGHTS–MYANMAR (Agenda item 105c)
(continued)**

General documents

A/C.3/59/5 Letter, 29 Oct. 2004, from Myanmar. Transmits memorandum on the situation of human rights in Myanmar; concerns developments that have occurred in Myanmar in the past year including the reconvening of the National Convention, the 1st of the 7-step political programme for a transition to a peaceful, prosperous and modern democratic State.

A/C.3/59/L.76 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/19 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.49 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : draft resolution / Andorra, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: France, Monaco, Republic of Korea and Switzerland (A/59/503/Add.3).

A/C.5/59/L.21 Draft decisions submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/640 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.29 (13 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution I in A/59/503/Add.3 (originally A/C.3/59/L.49) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/263.

**HUMAN RIGHTS–MYANMAR (Agenda item 105c)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/263 Situation of human rights in Myanmar.

Expresses its grave concern at: (a) the ongoing systematic violation of the human rights, including civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights, of the people of Myanmar; (b) the events of 30 May 2003 and the continuing detention and house arrest of Daw Aung San Suu Kyi and members of the National League for Democracy; (c) the fact that the Myanmar authorities have yet to implement recommendations contained in the aforementioned resolutions adopted by the General Assembly and the Commission on Human Rights; (d) the fact that the Myanmar authorities have not permitted the Special Envoy of the Secretary-General for Myanmar to visit for over 6 months, or the Special Rapporteur to visit for almost 12 months, despite repeated requests; requests the Secretary-General: (a) to continue to provide his good offices and to pursue his discussions on the situation of human rights and the restoration of democracy with the Government and people of Myanmar, including all relevant parties to the national reconciliation process in Myanmar; (b) to give all necessary assistance to enable his Special Envoy and the Special Rapporteur to discharge their mandate fully and effectively; (c) to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session and to the Commission on Human Rights at its 61st session on the progress made in the implementation of the present resolution; decides to continue the consideration of this question at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

**HUMAN RIGHTS–PROGRAMMES OF ACTION
(1993) (Agenda item 105d)**

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/59/503/Add.4 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.24 (26 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 3rd Committee (A/59/503/Add.4): decision 59/529.

HUMAN RIGHTS–REPORTS (Agenda item 105c)

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS–AFGHANISTAN

HUMAN RIGHTS–BELARUS

HUMAN RIGHTS–BURUNDI

HUMAN RIGHTS–DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S
REPUBLIC OF KOREA

HUMAN RIGHTS–DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF
THE CONGO

HUMAN RIGHTS–IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC
OF)

HUMAN RIGHTS–MYANMAR

HUMAN RIGHTS–SIERRA LEONE

HUMAN RIGHTS–SUDAN

HUMAN RIGHTS–TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY
ISRAEL

HUMAN RIGHTS–TURKMENISTAN

HUMAN RIGHTS–UNITED STATES

HUMAN RIGHTS–ZIMBABWE

General documents

A/C.3/59/4 Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Italy. Transmits letter addressed to the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance by the Permanent Representative of Italy to the International Organizations in Geneva, on 25 Oct. 2004; refers to the study by the Special Rapporteur (A/59/330) and states that Italian Government has made the fight against racism, xenophobia, Islamophobia and anti-Semitism a priority of its political action.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/59/503/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.24 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.25 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.30 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.31 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.32 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.33 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.42 (11 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.51 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.52 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.54 (24 Nov. 2004).

HUMAN RIGHTS–SIERRA LEONE (Agenda item 105c)

Reports

A/59/340 Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights on assistance to Sierra Leone in the field of human rights : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, submitted pursuant to Commission on Human Rights resolution 2004/86.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/C.3/59/SR.54 (24 Nov. 2004).

HUMAN RIGHTS–SUDAN (Agenda item 105c)

General documents

A/59/413 Situation of human rights in the Sudan : note / by the Secretariat.

States that due to the late appointment of Emmanuel Akwei Addo (Ghana) as independent expert on the situation of human rights in the Sudan, he will not be in a position to submit a report to the General Assembly but will instead report orally to the Assembly on his initial observations with respect to his mandate.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.48 Situation of human rights in the Sudan : draft resolution / Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Japan, Monaco and Liechtenstein. - Republic of Moldova withdrew as a sponsors of the draft resolution. - No action was taken on the draft resolution (A/59/503/Add.3).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.30 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.51 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.54 (24 Nov. 2004).

HUMAN RIGHTS–TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL (Agenda item 105c)

Reports

A/59/256 Questions of the violation of human rights in the occupied Arab territories, including Palestine : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 12 Aug. 2004. - Transmits interim report on violations of international humanitarian law and human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967, submitted by John Dugard, Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights, pursuant to Commission on Human Rights resolution 1993/2, section A, and 2004/10.

General documents

A/C.3/59/3 Letter, 25 Oct. 2004, from Israel. Transmits response of Israel to the report submitted by John Dugard, Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights, pursuant to Commission resolution 1993/2A (A/59/256).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/C.3/59/SR.28 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.54 (24 Nov. 2004).

HUMAN RIGHTS–TERRORISM (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/404 Protecting human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Oct. 2004.

A/59/428 Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism : study of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights.
Issued: 8 Oct. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.44 Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism : draft resolution / Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland, Timor-Leste, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Armenia, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Costa Rica, Croatia, Egypt, Grenada, Honduras, Iceland, Japan, Jordan, Madagascar, Malawi, Monaco, New Zealand, Republic of Moldova, Paraguay, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Spain, Sudan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/59/503/Add.2).

HUMAN RIGHTS–TERRORISM (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/C.3/59/L.52 Human rights and terrorism : draft resolution / Algeria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bhutan, Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, China, Colombia, Congo, Cuba, Ethiopia, Fiji, Guinea-Bissau, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Madagascar, Nigeria, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Senegal, Swaziland, Switzerland, Tunisia, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela, Viet Nam and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Eritrea, Kyrgyzstan, Peru, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Tajikistan, Togo, Turkey, Ukraine and Uzbekistan (A/59/503/Add.2).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.42 (11 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.53 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/503/Add.2 was as follows: draft resolution IX (originally A/C.3/59/L.44), adopted without vote: resolution 59/191; draft resolution XIII (originally A/C.3/59/L.52), adopted (127-50-8): resolution 59/195.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/191 Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism.

Welcomes the ongoing dialogue established in the context of the fight against terrorism between the Security Council and its Counter-Terrorism Committee and the relevant bodies for the promotion and protection of human rights, and encourages the Security Council and its Counter-Terrorism Committee to strengthen the links and to continue to develop cooperation with relevant human rights bodies, in particular with the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, giving due regard to the promotion and protection of human rights in the ongoing work pursuant to relevant Security Council resolutions relating to terrorism; requests the independent expert to take into account the debate held during the 59th regular session of the General Assembly in finalizing the report mandated by the Commission on Human Rights in its resolution 2004/87, to be presented through the High Commissioner to the Commission on Human Rights at its 61st session; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on the implementation of the present resolution to the Commission on Human Rights at its 61st session and to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS–TERRORISM (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/RES/59/195 Human rights and terrorism.

Strongly condemns the violations of the right to life, liberty and security; rejects the identification of terrorism with any religion, nationality or culture; profoundly deplores the increasing number of innocent persons, including women, children and the elderly, killed, massacred and maimed by terrorists in indiscriminate and random acts of violence and terror, which cannot be justified in any circumstances; expresses its solidarity with the victims of terrorism; requests the Secretary-General to continue to seek the views of Member States on the implications of terrorism in all its forms and manifestations for the full enjoyment of all human rights and fundamental freedoms and on the possible establishment of a voluntary fund for the victims of terrorism, as well as on ways and means to rehabilitate the victims of terrorism and to reintegrate them into society, with a view to incorporating his findings in his report to the General Assembly. (Adopted 127-50-8, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS–TREATIES–IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 105a)

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS–TREATIES (1966)

MIGRANT WORKERS

RIGHTS OF THE CHILD

TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL TREATMENT

UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE–ACTIVITIES

Reports

A/59/254 Effective implementation of international instruments on human rights, including reporting obligations under international instruments on human rights : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the chairpersons of the human rights treaty bodies on their 16th meeting, held at Geneva 23-25 June 2004, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/202 of 18 Dec. 2002.

A/59/308 Effective implementation of international instruments on human rights, including reporting obligations under international instruments on human rights : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 Aug. 2004.

A/59/309 Status of the United Nations Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 Aug. 2004.

General documents

A/C.3/59/4 Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Italy. Transmits letter addressed to the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance by the Permanent Representative of Italy to the International Organizations in Geneva, on 25 Oct. 2004; refers to the study by the Special Rapporteur (A/59/330) and states that Italian Government has made the fight against racism, xenophobia, Islamophobia and anti-Semitism a priority of its political action.

HUMAN RIGHTS–TREATIES–IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 105a) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.32 Equitable geographical distribution in the membership of the human rights treaty bodies : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Bangladesh, Belarus, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Eritrea, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Mauritania, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Syrian Arab Republic and Viet Nam.

Additional sponsors: Azerbaijan, Benin, Botswana, Cameroon, China, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominican Republic, Egypt, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Guinea-Bissau, India, Indonesia, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mozambique, Myanmar, Namibia, Nepal, Niger, Pakistan, Qatar, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Suriname, Togo, Tunisia, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Zambia and Zimbabwe (A/59/503/Add.1).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/59/503/Add.1 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.23 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.24 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.26 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.47 (28 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/503/Add.1 (originally A/C.3/59/L.32) was adopted (128-52-4): resolution 59/181.

HUMAN RIGHTS–TREATIES–IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 105a) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/181 Equitable geographical distribution in the membership of the human rights treaty bodies.
Encourages the States parties to the UN human rights instruments to adopt concrete actions, inter alia, the possible establishment of quota distribution systems by geographical region for the election of the members of the treaty bodies, thereby ensuring the paramount objective of equitable geographical distribution in the membership of those human rights bodies; requests the chairpersons of the human rights treaty bodies to consider at their next meeting the content of the present resolution and to submit, through the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, specific recommendations for the achievement of the goal of equitable geographical distribution in the membership of the human rights treaty bodies; requests the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights to submit concrete recommendations on the implementation of the present resolution to the General Assembly at its 60th session; decides to continue its consideration of this question at its 60th session under the sub-item entitled "Implementation of human rights instruments". (Adopted 128-52-4, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS–TURKMENISTAN (Agenda item 105c)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.53 Situation of human rights in Turkmenistan : draft resolution / Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.
Additional sponsors: Andorra and Liechtenstein (A/59/503/Add.3).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution III in A/59/503/Add.3 (originally A/C.3/59/L.53) was adopted (69-47-63): resolution 59/206.

HUMAN RIGHTS–TURKMENISTAN (Agenda item 105c) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/206 Situation of human rights in Turkmenistan.
Regrets the decision of the Government of Turkmenistan not to renew the accreditation for the Head of the Centre of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe at Ashgabat, but hopes that the Turkmen authorities will cooperate fully with her successor; calls upon the Government of Turkmenistan: (a) to ensure full respect for all human rights and fundamental freedoms; (b) to work closely with the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights with regard to the areas of concern and to cooperate fully with all the mechanisms of the Commission on Human Rights and all the relevant UN treaty bodies; (c) to implement fully the recommendations outlined in the report of the Rapporteur of the Moscow Mechanism of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe and to work constructively with the various institutions of the Organization; (d) to release immediately and unconditionally all prisoners of conscience; (e) to give real substance to the May 2004 offer of the Government of Turkmenistan for interested representatives of the international community to visit Turkmen prisons by providing appropriate independent bodies; (f) to ensure that the forthcoming parliamentary elections will be held consistent with the commitments of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe and other international standards for democratic elections; (g) to remove the remaining restrictions on the activities of public associations, including non-governmental organizations. (Adopted 69-47-63, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS–UNITED STATES (Agenda item 105c)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.60 Situation of democracy and human rights in the United States of America : draft resolution / Belarus.
Additional sponsors: The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsor (A/59/503/Add.3).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.42 (11 Nov. 2004).

HUMAN RIGHTS–ZIMBABWE (Agenda item 105c)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.46 Situation of human rights in Zimbabwe : draft resolution / Andorra, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Iceland and Turkey. - No action was taken on the draft resolution (A/59/503/Add.3).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.51 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.54 (24 Nov. 2004).

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 105b)

See also: DISABLED PERSONS–HUMAN RIGHTS
DISAPPEARANCE OF PERSONS
DISPLACED PERSONS
FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT–FAMILY
REUNIFICATION
GLOBALIZATION–HUMAN RIGHTS
HUMAN RIGHTS–INFORMATION
HUMAN RIGHTS–TERRORISM
HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT–CAMBODIA
MIGRANTS–PROTECTION
POVERTY–HUMAN RIGHTS
RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE
RIGHT TO DEVELOPMENT
RIGHT TO FOOD
RIGHT TO HEALTH
RULE OF LAW–HUMAN RIGHTS
ADVANCEMENT
SANCTIONS–INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
SUMMARY EXECUTIONS

Reports

A/59/327 Strengthening United Nations action in the field of human rights through the promotion of international cooperation and the importance of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 3 Sept. 2004.

A/59/401 Human rights defenders : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report submitted by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Human Rights Defenders, Hina Jilani, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 58/178 of 22 Dec. 2003.

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/59/403 Subregional Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Central Africa : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/C.3/59/9 Letter, 11 Nov. 2004, from Armenia. Refers to the Secretary-General's report to the General Assembly entitled "Human rights and unilateral coercive measures" (A/59/436) and states that the information on Nagorno-Karabakh situation provided by Azerbaijan is misleading.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.34 Subregional Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Central Africa : draft resolution / Angola, Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Rwanda and Sao Tome and Principe. Additional sponsors: Algeria, Belgium, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Côte d'Ivoire, France, Gambia, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Mali, Morocco, South Africa, Togo, Tunisia and United States (A/59/503/Add.2).

A/C.3/59/L.39 Enhancement of international cooperation in the field of human rights : draft resolution / Malaysia [on behalf of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries].

A/C.3/59/L.43 Strengthening United Nations action in the field of human rights through the promotion of international cooperation and the importance of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity : draft resolution / Algeria, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ghana, Guinea-Bissau, Myanmar, Qatar and Viet Nam. Additional sponsors: Angola, Bangladesh, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cameroon, China, Colombia, Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Grenada, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Nigeria, Pakistan, Russian Federation, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Togo, Tunisia, Turkmenistan, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Zambia and Zimbabwe (A/59/503/Add.2).

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/C.3/59/L.45 Declaration on the Right and Responsibility of Individuals, Groups and Organs of Society to Promote and Protect Universally Recognized Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms : draft resolution / Andorra, Australia, Austria, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Ireland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Republic of Korea, Romania, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Timor-Leste.

A/C.3/59/L.45/Rev.1 Declaration on the Right and Responsibility of Individuals, Groups and Organs of Society to Promote and Protect Universally Recognized Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Estonia, Georgia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Italy, Madagascar, Mauritius, Morocco, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nicaragua, Nigeria, Republic of Moldova and Senegal (A/59/503/Add.2).

A/C.3/59/L.47 Promotion of a democratic and equitable international order : draft resolution / Algeria, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Congo, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Ecuador, El Salvador, Islamic Republic of Iran, Kenya, Mauritania, Namibia, Nigeria, Russian Federation, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Viet Nam and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Belarus, Benin, Burundi, Cape Verde, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Dominican Republic, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gambia, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Jamaica, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Mali, Malaysia, Myanmar, Pakistan, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Sudan, Suriname, United Republic of Tanzania and Zambia (A/59/503/Add.2).

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/C.3/59/L.56 Regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights : draft resolution / Austria, Belgium, Cameroon, Chile, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, New Zealand, Poland, Portugal, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Thailand, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Gambia, Georgia, Guatemala, Japan, Liechtenstein, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Nauru, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Serbia and Montenegro, South Africa, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania and United States (A/59/503/Add.2).

A/C.3/59/L.62 Enhancing the role of regional, subregional and other organizations and arrangements in promoting and consolidating democracy : draft resolution / Peru, Romania, Timor-Leste and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, India, Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mongolia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Rwanda, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom and Uruguay (A/59/503/Add.2).

A/C.3/59/L.66 Respect for the purposes and principles contained in the Charter of the United Nations to achieve international cooperation in promoting and encouraging respect for human rights and for fundamental freedoms and in solving international problems of a humanitarian character : draft resolution / Algeria, China, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Guinea-Bissau and Viet Nam.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Belarus, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Cameroon, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Grenada, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malawi, Myanmar, Nigeria, Pakistan, Saint Lucia, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Zimbabwe (A/59/503/Add.2).

A/C.3/59/L.77 Enhancing the role of regional, subregional and other organizations and arrangements in promoting and consolidating democracy : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.62 / Cuba.

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.24 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.25 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.26 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.30 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.31 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.32 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.33 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.42 (11 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.47 (28 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.48 (19 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.49 (19 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.50 (22 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.52 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.53 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/503/Add.2 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.34), adopted without vote: resolution 59/183; draft resolution V (originally A/C.3/59/L.39), adopted without vote: resolution 59/187; draft resolution VIII (originally A/C.3/59/L.43), adopted without vote: resolution 59/190; draft resolution X (originally A/C.3/59/L.45/Rev.1), adopted without vote: resolution 59/192; draft resolution XI (originally A/C.3/59/L.47), adopted (125-55-6): resolution 59/193; draft resolution XIV (originally A/C.3/59/L.56), adopted without vote: resolution 59/196; draft resolution XIX (originally A/C.3/59/L.62), adopted (172-0-15): resolution 59/201; draft resolution XXII (originally A/C.3/59/L.66), adopted (118-55-13): resolution 59/204.

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/183 Subregional Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Central Africa.

Welcomes the activities of the Subregional Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Central Africa at Yaoundé; notes with satisfaction the support provided for the establishment of the Centre by the host country; requests the Secretary-General and the UN Commissioner for Human Rights to provide adequate assistance for the proper functioning of the Centre; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/187 Enhancement of international cooperation in the field of human rights.

Urges all actors on the international scene to build an international order based on inclusion, justice, equality and equity, human dignity, mutual understanding and promotion of and respect for cultural diversity and universal human rights, and to reject all doctrines of exclusion based on racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance; reaffirms that the promotion, protection and full realization of all human rights and fundamental freedoms should be guided by the principles of universality, non-selectivity, objectivity and transparency, in a manner consistent with the purposes and principles set out in the Charter; invites States and relevant UN human rights mechanisms and procedures to continue to pay attention to the importance of mutual cooperation, understanding and dialogue in ensuring the promotion and protection of all human rights; decides to continue its consideration of the question at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/190 Strengthening United Nations action in the field of human rights through the promotion of international cooperation and the importance of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity.

Expresses its conviction that an unbiased and fair approach to human rights issues contributes to the promotion of international cooperation as well as to the effective promotion, protection and realization of human rights and fundamental freedoms; requests the Commission on Human Rights to take duly into account the present resolution and to consider further proposals for the strengthening of UN action in the field of human rights through the promotion of international cooperation and the importance of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity; requests the Secretary-General to invite Member States and intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations to present further practical proposals and ideas that would contribute to the strengthening of UN action in the field of human rights through the promotion of international cooperation based on the principles of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity, and to submit a comprehensive report on the question to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/RES/59/192 Declaration on the Right and Responsibility of Individuals, Groups and Organs of Society to Promote and Protect Universally Recognized Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms.

Condemns all human rights violations committed against persons engaged in promoting and defending human rights and fundamental freedoms around the world, and urges States to take all appropriate action, consistent with the Declaration and all other relevant human rights instruments, to eliminate such human rights violations; urges States to ensure that complaints from human rights defenders are investigated and addressed in a transparent, independent and accountable manner; requests the Secretary-General to provide the Special Representative with all necessary human, material and financial resources in order to enable her to continue to carry out her mandate effectively, including through country visits; requests the Special Representative to continue to report on her activities to the General Assembly and to the Commission on Human Rights in accordance with her mandate; decides to consider the question at its 60th session under the item entitled "Human rights questions". (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/193 Promotion of a democratic and equitable international order.

Urges all actors on the international scene to build an international order based on inclusion, justice, equality and equity, human dignity, mutual understanding and promotion of and respect for cultural diversity and universal human rights, and to reject all doctrines of exclusion based on racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance; urges States to continue their efforts, through enhanced international cooperation, towards the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order; requests the Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the attention of Member States, UN organs, bodies and components, intergovernmental organizations, in particular the Bretton Woods institutions, and non-governmental organizations, and to disseminate it on the widest possible basis; decides to continue consideration of the matter at its 61st session under the item entitled "Human rights questions". (Adopted 125-55-6, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/RES/59/196 Regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights.

Welcomes the continuing cooperation and assistance of the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights in the further strengthening of the existing regional arrangements and regional machinery for the promotion and protection of human rights, in particular through technical cooperation aimed at national capacity-building, public information and education, with a view to exchanging information and experience in the field of human rights; stresses the importance of the programme of technical cooperation in the field of human rights, renews its appeal to all Governments to consider making use of the possibilities offered by the UN under this programme of organizing information or training courses at the national level for government personnel on the application of international human rights standards and the experience of relevant international bodies, and notes with satisfaction, in that respect, the establishment of technical cooperation projects with Governments of all regions; requests the Secretary-General, as foreseen in programme 19, Human rights, of the revised medium-term plan for the period 2002-2005, to continue to strengthen exchanges between the UN and regional intergovernmental organizations dealing with human rights and to make available adequate resources from within the regular budget of technical cooperation to the activities of the Office of the High Commissioner to promote regional arrangements. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/201 Enhancing the role of regional, subregional and other organizations and arrangements in promoting and consolidating democracy.

Declares that the essential elements of democracy include respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms, inter alia, freedom of association and peaceful assembly and of expression and opinion, and the right to take part in the conduct of public affairs, directly or through freely chosen representatives, to vote and to be elected at genuine periodic free elections by universal and equal suffrage and by secret ballot guaranteeing the free expression of the will of the people, as well as a pluralistic system of political parties and organizations, respect for the rule of law, the separation of powers, the independence of the judiciary, transparency and accountability in public administration, and free, independent and pluralistic media; urges the continuation and expansion of activities carried out by the UN system, intergovernmental organizations and Member States to promote and consolidate democracy within the framework of international cooperation; requests the Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the attention of Member States. (Adopted 172-0-15, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/RES/59/204 Respect for the purposes and principles contained in the Charter of the United Nations to achieve international cooperation in promoting and encouraging respect for human rights and for fundamental freedoms and in solving international problems of a humanitarian character.

Reiterates the solemn commitment of all States to enhance international cooperation in the field of human rights and in the solution to international problems of a humanitarian character in full compliance with the Charter of the UN, inter alia, by the strict observance of all the purposes and principles set forth in Articles 1 and 2 thereof; requests the Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the attention of Member States, organs, bodies and other components of the UN system and intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, and to disseminate it as widely as possible; decides to consider the question at its 61st session under the item entitled "Human rights questions". (Adopted 118-55-13, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT–CAMBODIA (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/432 Report of the Secretary-General on Khmer Rouge trials.
Issued: 12 Oct. 2004.

A/59/432/Add.1 Report of the Secretary-General on Khmer Rouge trials : addendum.
Issued: 29 Nov. 2004.

HUMAN RIGHTS IN ARMED CONFLICTS (Agenda item 140)

Reports

A/59/321 Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

A/59/321/Add.1 Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 23 Nov. 2004.

HUMAN RIGHTS IN ARMED CONFLICTS (Agenda item 140) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.13 Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Convention of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Canada, Chile, China, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Ethiopia, Fiji, Finland, France, Gabon, Gambia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Jordan, Kenya, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Mozambique, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Palau, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sudan, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay, and Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Nigeria and United Republic of Tanzania (A/59/506).

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/506 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.5 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.16 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.23 (8 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/506 (originally A/C.6/59/L.13) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/36.

HUMAN RIGHTS IN ARMED CONFLICTS (Agenda item 140) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/36 Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts.

Calls upon all States parties to the Geneva Conventions to consider becoming parties to the Additional Protocols; calls upon all States to consider becoming parties to the Convention for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict and the two Protocols thereto; calls upon all States parties to the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions to ensure their wide dissemination and full implementation; affirms the necessity of making the implementation of international humanitarian law more effective; welcomes the increasing number of national commissions or committees for the implementation of international humanitarian law and for promoting the incorporation of treaties on international humanitarian law into national law and disseminating the rules of international humanitarian law; calls upon States to consider becoming parties to the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the involvement of children in armed conflict; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on the status of the Additional Protocols, as well as on measures taken to strengthen the existing body of international humanitarian law. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

**HUMAN SETTLEMENTS–CONFERENCES–
FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 86)**

Reports

A/59/198 Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and the strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 3 Aug. 2003.

A/59/382 Coordinated implementation of the Habitat Agenda : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 24 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report on the coordinated implementation of the Habitat Agenda (E/2004/70), pursuant to Economic and Social Council decision 2004/300.

E/2004/70 Coordinated implementation of the Habitat Agenda : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 May 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.5 Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and of the 25th special session of the General Assembly : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.38 (A/59/484).

**HUMAN SETTLEMENTS–CONFERENCES–
FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 86) (continued)**

A/C.2/59/L.38 Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat) : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.5.

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/484 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.12 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.13 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/484 (originally A/C.2/59/L.38) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/239.

HUMAN SETTLEMENTS–CONFERENCES– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 86) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/239 Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat).
Calls for continued financial support to UN-Habitat through increased voluntary contributions to the UN Habitat and Human Settlements Foundation; also calls for increased, non-earmarked contributions to the Foundation; requests the Executive Director to continue to work with the World Bank Group, regional development banks, other development banks, the private sector and other relevant partners to field-test approaches through pilot projects and to develop longer-term programmes to mobilize resources to increase the supply of affordable credit for slum upgrading and other pro-poor human settlements development in developing countries as well as countries with economies in transition; calls upon UN-Habitat to continue to work closely with the other organizations of the UN system, integrating UN-Habitat staff as appropriate into existing UN country offices; requests the Secretary-General to keep the resource needs of UN-Habitat and the UN Office at Nairobi under review so as to permit the delivery, in an effective manner, of necessary services to UN-Habitat and the other UN organs and organizations in Nairobi; urges the donor community to support the efforts of developing countries to make pro-poor investments in services and infrastructure in order to improve living environments, in particular in slums and informal settlements; requests UN-Habitat to continue to support the efforts of countries affected by natural disasters and complex emergencies to develop prevention, rehabilitation and reconstruction; calls upon UN-Habitat and the Division for Sustainable Development of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of the Secretariat to work together closely in the preparations for the 13th session of the Commission on Sustainable; request the Secretary-General to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39)

See also: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE
MINE CLEARANCE

Reports

A/59/332 Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 3 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/163 (S/2004/585) Letter, 19 July 2004, from Kyrgyzstan. Transmits the Bishkek Declaration adopted during the high-level international conference on "Afghanistan and Regional Economic Cooperation: Central Asia, Iran and Pakistan", organized by UNDP and held in Bishkek, 10-12 May 2004.

HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39) (continued)

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/669 Letter, 11 Jan. 2005, from Indonesia. Refers to a special meeting of Association of South-East Asian Nations leaders in the aftermath of the earthquake and tsunami, held in Jakarta, 6 Jan. 2005, and transmits Declaration on Action to Strengthen Emergency Relief, Rehabilitation, Reconstruction and Prevention in the Aftermath of the Earthquake and Tsunami Disaster of 26 December 2005.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.51 Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bolivia, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

A/59/L.51/Add.1 Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Brazil, Estonia, Malawi, Mali, New Zealand, Serbia and Montenegro and Ukraine.

A/59/L.52 Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel : amendments to draft resolution A/59/L.51 / United States of America.

**HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39)
(continued)**

A/59/L.58 Strengthening emergency relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction and prevention in the aftermath of the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster : draft resolution / Andorra, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Canada, China, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Greece, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Maldives, Mauritius, Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Myanmar, Netherlands, New Zealand, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Singapore, Slovenia, Somalia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor-Leste, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uzbekistan, Viet Nam.

A/59/L.58/Add.1 Strengthening emergency relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction and prevention in the aftermath of the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Argentina, Armenia, Bangladesh, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chile, Croatia, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Finland, Madagascar, Gabon, Gambia, Germany, Ghana, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea, Guyana, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, India, Israel, Kenya, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lesotho, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Mozambique, Namibia, Nauru, Nepal, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Samoa, Saudi Arabia, Slovakia, South Africa, Spain, Sudan, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, United States of America, Uruguay, Vanuatu, Yemen

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.51 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/211.

A/59/PV.77 (18 Jan. 2005).

A/59/PV.78 (18 Jan. 2005).

A/59/PV.79 (19 Jan. 2005).

At the 79th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.58, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/279.

**HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/211 Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations Personnel.

Strongly urges all States to take the necessary measures to ensure the safety and security of humanitarian personnel and UN and its associated personnel and to respect and ensure respect for the inviolability of UN premises; strongly condemns all threats and acts of violence against humanitarian personnel and UN and its associated personnel, affirms the need to hold accountable those responsible for such acts; requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary measures, falling within his responsibilities, to promote and enhance the security consciousness and measures within the organizational culture of the UN system, agencies, funds and programmes; stresses the importance of ensuring that humanitarian personnel and UN and associated personnel remain sensitive to national and local customs and traditions in their countries of assignment and communicate clearly their purpose and objectives to local populations. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/279 Strengthening emergency relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction and prevention in the aftermath of the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster.

Expresses its deep concern at the number and scale of natural disasters and their increasing impact, in particular in developing countries; emphasizes the need for the international community to maintain its focus beyond the present emergency relief; requests the Secretary-General to appoint a special representative in order to, inter alia, sustain the political will of the international community to support medium- and long-term rehabilitation, reconstruction and risk reduction efforts led by the Governments of affected countries at all levels; also requests the Secretary-General to explore ways to further strengthen the rapid response capacities for immediate humanitarian relief efforts of the international community; emphasizes the urgent need for the establishment of a regional early warning system, particularly for tsunamis, in the Indian Ocean and Southeast Asian regions; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution and to report to the Economic and Social Council at its substantive session in 2005. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 19 Jan. 2005)

IAEA-REPORTS (2003) (Agenda item 14)

Reports

A/59/295 Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 24 Aug. 2003. - Transmits the 48th report of the International Atomic Energy Agency for the calendar year 2003 (GC(48)/3).

**IAEA-REPORTS (2003) (Agenda item 14)
(continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.18 Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Chile, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, India, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

A/59/L.18/Add.1 Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency : draft resolution : addendum.
Additional sponsors: Andorra, Armenia, Belarus, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, Guatemala, Haiti, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Latvia, Mexico, Nicaragua, Norway, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, South Africa, Thailand, Ukraine, United States and Venezuela.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.47 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.48 (1 Nov. 2004).

At the 48th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.18 was adopted (123-1-0): resolution 59/18.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/18 Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency.
Takes note with appreciation of the report of the International Atomic Energy Agency (GC(48)/3); affirms its support for the indispensable role of the Agency in encouraging and assisting the development and practical application of atomic energy for peaceful uses, in technology transfer to developing countries and in nuclear safety, verification and security; appeals to Member States to continue to support the activities of the Agency; requests the Secretary-General to transmit to the Director General of the Agency the records of the 59th session of the General Assembly relating to the activities of the Agency. (Adopted 123-1-0, 48th plenary meeting, 1 Nov. 2004)

**ICJ-ADVISORY OPINION-NUCLEAR WEAPONS
USE**

See: NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-ICJ OPINION

ICJ-MEMBERS (Agenda item 15c)

General documents

A/59/682 (S/2005/50) Submission of a nomination by national groups : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/683 (S/2005/51) Election of a member of the International Court of Justice : memorandum / by the Secretary-General.

ICJ-MEMBERS (Agenda item 15c) (continued)

A/59/684 (S/2005/52) Election of a member of the International Court of Justice : curriculum vitae of the candidate nominated by national groups : note / by the Secretary-General.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.81 (15 Feb. 2005).

At the 81st meeting, Ronny Abraham, having received the required majority of the votes in the Security Council and the General Assembly, was elected as a member of the ICJ commencing 15 Feb. 2005 and ending on 5 Feb. 2009: decision 59/415.

ICJ-REPORTS (2003-2004) (Agenda item 13)

Reports

A/59/4 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 4) Report of the International Court of Justice, 1 August 2003-31 July 2004.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/372 Secretary-General's Trust Fund to Assist States in the Settlement of Disputes through the International Court of Justice : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Sept. 2004.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.49 (4 Nov. 2004).

At the 49th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the International Court of Justice: decision 59/508.

INDIGENOUS PEOPLES (Agenda item 102)

Reports

A/59/257 Status of the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 12 Aug. 2004.

A/59/258 The situation of human rights and fundamental freedoms of indigenous people : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 12 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the Special Rapporteur on the Situation of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms of Indigenous People, pursuant to para. 14 of Commission on Human Rights resolution 62/2004.

A/59/277 Implementation of the programme of activities for the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 17 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, submitted in accordance with General Assembly resolution 58/158 of 22 Dec. 2003.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.13 Proposal for a 2nd international decade of the world's indigenous people : note / by the Secretariat.

INDIGENOUS PEOPLES (Agenda item 102)
(continued)

A/C.3/59/L.30 Second International Decade of the World's Indigenous People : draft resolution / Argentina, Belize, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Guyana, Jamaica, Mexico, Peru, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bolivia, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Canada, China, Cyprus, Fiji, France, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Honduras, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Italy, Nigeria, Paraguay, Russian Federation and Uruguay (A/59/500).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/500 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.21 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.22 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.33 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolution and draft decision in A/59/500 was as follows: draft resolution (originally A/C.3/59/L.30), adopted without vote: resolution 59/174; draft decision entitled "Reports considered by the General Assembly in connection with the question of the Programme of activities for the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People", adopted without vote: decision 59/526.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/174 Second International Decade of the World's Indigenous People.

Proclaims the 2nd International Decade of the World's Indigenous People, commencing on 1 Jan. 2005; authorizes the Secretary-General to accept and administer voluntary contributions from Governments, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, indigenous organizations and private institutions and individuals for the purpose of funding projects and programmes during the 2nd Decade; decides to continue observing in New York, Geneva and other offices of the UN every year during the 2nd Decade the International Day of Indigenous People, to request the Secretary-General to support the observance of the Day from within existing resources, and to encourage Governments to observe the Day at the national level; requests the Secretary-General to give all the assistance necessary to ensure the success of the 2nd Decade. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT–INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item 89c)

Reports

A/59/138 Industrial development cooperation : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 13 July 2004. - Transmits, in pursuance to General Assembly resolution 57/243, report of the Director-General of UNIDO on industrial development cooperation to which is annexed an information note on the Global Biotechnology Forum.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.47 Industrial development cooperation : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.66 (A/59/487/Add.3).

A/C.2/59/L.66 Industrial development cooperation : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Majdi Ramadan (Lebanon), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.47.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/487 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/487/Add.3 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.32 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.33 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.39 (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/487/Add.3 (originally A/C.2/59/L.66) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/249.

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT–INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item 89c) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/249 Industrial development cooperation.

Reaffirms that industrialization is an essential factor in the sustained economic growth, sustainable development and eradication of poverty of developing countries and countries with economies in transition; urges all Governments to adopt and to implement development policies and strategies to unleash the productivity growth potential to enable developing countries to achieve the internationally agreed development goals, including those contained in the Millennium Declaration; calls for the continuing use of official development assistance for industrial development in the developing countries and countries with economies in transition, calls upon donor countries and recipient countries to continue to cooperate in their efforts to achieve greater efficiency and effectiveness of the official development assistance resources devoted to industrial development; also calls for, in this regard, the continuing use of all other resources, including private and public, foreign and domestic resources, for industrial development in the developing countries and countries with economies in transition; calls upon the UN Industrial Development Organization to participate actively in coordination at the field level through the common country assessment and the UN Development Assistance Framework processes and sector-wide approaches; requests the UN Industrial Development Organization to facilitate industrial development with emphasis on the priority areas outlined in its medium-term programme framework, 2004-2007; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

INFORMATION (Agenda item 78)

See also: PALESTINE QUESTION

Reports

A/59/21 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 21) Committee on Information : report on the 26th session (26 April-7 May 2004).

Issued: 2004.

A/59/221 Questions relating to information : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 6 Aug. 2004.

A/59/221/Corr.1 Questions relating to information : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 29 Sept. 2004. - Replaces chart 1.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

INFORMATION (Agenda item 78) (continued)

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey.

Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/767 Letter, 28 Mar. 2005, from Jamaica. Transmits Final Communiqué adopted by the 38th Meeting of the Chairmen/Coordinators of the Group of 77 Chapters, held in Geneva, 1-2 Mar. 2005.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/473 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.12 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.13 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.14 (21 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, action on draft resolution and draft decision in A/59/473 was as follows: draft resolution entitled "Questions relating to information", adopted without vote: resolution 59/126; draft decision entitled "Increase in the membership of the Committee on Information", adopted without vote: decisions 59/413 and 59/518.

INFORMATION (Agenda item 78) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/126A-B Questions relating to information.

The resolution is divided into 2 parts: A/RES/59/126 A: Information in the service of humanity; and B: UN public information policies and activities. (Adopted at the 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/126[A] Information in the service of humanity.

Urges all countries, organizations of the UN system as a whole and all others concerned: (a) to cooperate with a view to reducing existing disparities in information flows at all levels and capabilities in developing countries; (b) to ensure for journalists the free and effective performance of their professional tasks and condemn resolutely all attacks against them; (c) to provide support for the continuation and strengthening of practical training programmes for broadcasters and journalists from public, private and other media in developing countries; (d) to enhance regional efforts and cooperation among developing countries, as well as cooperation between developed and developing countries, to strengthen communication capacities and to improve the media infrastructure and communication technology in the developing countries; (e) to aim at, in addition to bilateral cooperation, providing all possible support and assistance to the developing countries and their media, public, private or other, with due regard to their interests and needs in the field of information and to action already within the UN system; (f) to provide full support for the International Programme for the Development of Communication of Unesco, which should support both public and private media. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

INFORMATION (Agenda item 78) (continued)

A/RES/59/126[B] United Nations public information policies and activities.

Reaffirms the central role of the Committee on Information in UN public information policies and activities; requests the DPI to pay particular attention to such major issues as the eradication of poverty, conflict prevention, sustainable development, human rights, the human immunodeficiency virus/acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (HIV/AIDS) epidemic, combating terrorism in all its forms and manifestations and the needs of the African continent; requests the Secretary-General to continue to exert all efforts to ensure that publications and other information services of the Secretariat, contain comprehensive, objective and equitable information about the issues before the Organization and that they maintain editorial independence, impartiality, accuracy and full consistency with resolutions and decisions of the General Assembly; stresses that the UN information centres and services and information components or regional hubs should play a significant role in disseminating information about the work of the Organization to the peoples of the world; supports the efforts of DPI, while ensuring respect for the priorities established by the General Assembly, to also focus its promotional campaigns on the major issues identified by the Secretary-General; emphasizes the importance of ensuring the full, equitable treatment of all the official languages of the UN in all activities of the DPI; requests the Secretary-General to pay full attention to the parity of the 6 official languages in expanding the international radio broadcasting capacity; stresses the need for the DPI to take further necessary measures to ensure accessibility to the UN web site by persons with disabilities, including visual and hearing disabilities. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

INFORMATION-INTERNATIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 60)

Reports

A/59/116 Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 June 2004.

A/59/116/Add.1 Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 28 Dec. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.2 Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security : draft resolution / Russian Federation.

INFORMATION–INTERNATIONAL SECURITY **(Agenda item 60) (continued)**

A/C.1/59/L.2/Rev.1 Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security : draft resolution / Russian Federation.

Additional sponsor: Kyrgyzstan
(A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/454 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/454 (originally A/C.1/59/L.2/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/61.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/61 Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security.

Considers that the purpose of such measures could be served through the examination of relevant international concepts aimed at strengthening the security of global information and telecommunications systems; invites all Member States to continue to inform the Secretary-General of their views and assessments on the following questions: (a) general appreciation of the issues of information security; (b) definition of basic notions related to information security, including unauthorized interference with or misuse of information and telecommunications systems and information resources; (c) the content of the concepts mentioned in paragraph 2 above. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY–DEVELOPMENT **(Agenda item 44)**

Reports

A/59/563 Information and communication technologies for development : progress in the implementation of General Assembly resolution 57/295 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 10 Nov. 2004.

General documents

A/59/818 Letter, 6 June 2005, from Brazil. Transmits the Brasilia Declaration, adopted at the South American and Arab Countries Summit held in Brasilia, 10-11 May 2005; establishes a partnership to pursue development, justice and international peace.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY–DEVELOPMENT **(Agenda item 44) (continued)**

A/C.2/59/3 Letter, 7 Oct. 2004, from Switzerland.

Transmits report of the Geneva phase of the World Summit on the Information Society, Geneva 10-12 Dec. 2003, enclosing the Declaration of Principles "Building the Information Society : A Global Challenge to the New Millennium" (2003) and the Plan of Action of the World Summit on the Information Society (2003).

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.18 World Summit on the Information Society : draft resolution / Tunisia and Switzerland.

Additional sponsors: Group of 77 and China, Andorra, Canada, Finland, France, Germany, Japan, Luxembourg, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and Turkey. - The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.32 (A/59/480).

A/C.2/59/L.32 World Summit on the Information Society : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Antonio Bernardini (Italy), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.18.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/480 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.23 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.34 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.38 (7 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, action on draft resolution and draft decisions in A/59/480 was as follows: draft resolution (originally A/C.2/59/L.32), adopted without vote: resolution 59/220; draft decision I entitled "Report of the Secretary-General on information and communication technologies for development", adopted without vote: decision 59/531; draft decision II entitled "Report of the Director-General of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization on communication for development programmes in the United Nations System", adopted without vote: decision 59/532.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 44) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/220 World Summit on the Information Society.
Endorses the Declaration of Principles and the Plan of Action adopted by the Summit on 12 Dec. 2003 and stresses the importance of its effective and timely implementation; urges Member States, relevant UN bodies, including the Information and Communication Technologies Task Force, and other intergovernmental organizations, non-governmental organizations, civil society and the private sector to contribute actively to the implementation of the outcome of the Geneva phase and to the preparatory process of the Tunis phase of the Summit as well as to the Summit itself in order to ensure its overall success; reiterates its call to the international community to make voluntary contributions to the special fund established by the ITU to support the preparations for and holding of the Summit; invites the Secretary-General of ITU to transmit to the General Assembly, the report of the World Summit on the Information Society. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION–UN (Agenda item 56j)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/97 Note verbale, 1 June 2004, from Andorra.
Transmits letter from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Andorra concerning cooperation between the UN and the Inter-Parliamentary Union.

A/59/909 Letter, 6 Sept. 2005, from Cuba. Concerns decision of the host country to deny representatives of the National Assembly of People's Power of the Republic of Cuba visas to attend the 2nd World Conference of Speakers of Parliament to be held on 7-9 Sept. 2005 at UN Headquarters, New York.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.5 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Inter-Parliamentary Union : draft resolution / Algeria, Andorra, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Namibia, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Zambia.

INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION–UN (Agenda item 56j) (continued)

A/59/L.5/Rev.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Inter-Parliamentary Union : revised draft resolution / Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Argentina, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Canada, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Croatia, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Namibia, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay, Viet Nam and Zambia.

A/59/L.5/Rev.2 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Inter-Parliamentary Union : revised draft resolution / Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Canada, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay, Viet Nam and Zambia.

A/59/L.5/Rev.2/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Inter-Parliamentary Union : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Australia, Burundi, Cameroon, Cyprus, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Estonia, Nauru, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Tunisia.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.50 (8 Nov. 2004).

At the 50th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.5/Rev.2 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/19.

INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION–UN (Agenda item 56j) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/19 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Inter-Parliamentary Union.

Welcomes the efforts made by the Inter-Parliamentary Union to provide for a greater parliamentary contribution and enhanced support to the UN; welcomes also the decision to convene the 2nd World Conference of Speakers of Parliament at UN Headquarters in Sept. 2005; calls upon the host country to extend the usual courtesies to all participants to the Conference; takes note of the efforts of the Inter-Parliamentary Union to consult parliaments on the recommendations contained in the report of the Panel of Eminent Persons in regard to engaging parliamentarians more systematically in the work of the UN; encourages the UN and the Inter-Parliamentary Union to continue to cooperate closely in various fields bearing in mind the significant benefits of cooperation; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 61st session the sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the UN and the Inter-Parliamentary Union". (Adopted without vote, 50th plenary meeting, 8 Nov. 2004)

INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

See: IAEA–REPORTS (2003)

INTERNATIONAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION–MEMBERS (Agenda item 17f)

General documents

A/59/106 Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/10 Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission : note / by the Secretary-General.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/587 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.21 (5 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.69 (8 Dec. 2004).

At the 69th meeting, the following persons were appointed as members of the International Civil Service Commission for a 4-year term of office beginning on 1 Jan. 2005: Fatih Bouayad-Agha (Algeria), Shamsheer Chowdhury (Bangladesh), Vladimir Titov (Russian Federation), Xiaochu Wang (China) and El Hassane Zahid (Morocco): decision 59/412.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCES (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (1965)

See: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE PROTECTION OF THE RIGHTS OF ALL MIGRANT WORKERS AND MEMBERS OF THEIR FAMILIES (1990)

See: MIGRANT WORKERS

INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE

See: ICJ–REPORTS (2003-2004)
NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–ICJ OPINION
UN–CHARTER

INTERNATIONAL COVENANTS ON HUMAN RIGHTS (1966)

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–TREATIES–IMPLEMENTATION

INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT (Agenda item 146)

See also: CRIME PREVENTION

General documents

A/59/356 International Criminal Court : note / by the Secretariat.

Provides brief account of the activities carried out by the Secretariat in facilitating an orderly and smooth transition of work from the Secretariat of the UN to the secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 58/79 of 9 Dec. 2003.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.25 International Criminal Court : draft resolution.

A/C.6/59/L.25/Corr.1 International Criminal Court : draft resolution : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/512 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.6 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.27 (19 Nov. 2004).

INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT (Agenda item 146) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/512 (originally A/C.6/59/L.25 and Corr.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/43.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/43 International Criminal Court.

Calls upon all States that are not yet parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court to consider ratifying or acceding to it without delay, and encourages efforts aimed at promoting awareness of the results of UN Diplomatic Conference of Plenipotentiaries on the Establishment of an International Criminal Court, held in Rome 15 June-17 July 1998, the provisions of the Statute and the process leading to the establishment of the International Criminal Court; welcomes the holding of the 3rd session of the Assembly of States Parties in The Hague 6-10 Sept. 2004, and also welcomes the election of the new President of the Assembly of States Parties, new members to the Committee on Budget and Finance and the 2nd Deputy-Prosecutor; recalls that pursuant to article 4, paragraph 2, of the Relationship Agreement, the International Criminal Court may attend and participate in the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer and that pursuant to article 6 of the Relationship Agreement the Court may submit reports on its activities to the 59th and following sessions of the General Assembly; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session an item entitled "Report of the International Criminal Court". (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE PROSECUTION OF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE FOR GENOCIDE AND OTHER SERIOUS VIOLATIONS OF INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN LAW COMMITTED IN THE TERRITORY OF RWANDA AND RWANDAN CITIZENS RESPONSIBLE FOR GENOCIDE AND OTHER SUCH VIOLATIONS COMMITTED IN THE TERRITORY OF NEIGHBOURING STATES BETWEEN 1 JANUARY AND 31 DECEMBER 1994

See: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–ACCOUNTS
INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–FINANCING
INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–REPORTS

INTERNATIONAL DECADE FOR A CULTURE OF PEACE AND NON-VIOLENCE FOR THE CHILDREN OF THE WORLD (2001-2010)

See: PEACE

INTERNATIONAL DECADE FOR ACTION "WATER FOR LIFE" (2005-2015)

See: ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–
CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO,
BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP

INTERNATIONAL DECADE OF THE WORLD'S INDIGENOUS PEOPLE (1st : 1995-2004)

See: INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

INTERNATIONAL DECADE OF THE WORLD'S INDIGENOUS PEOPLE (2nd : 2005-2014)

See: INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

INTERNATIONAL LAW (Agenda item 144)

See also: CRIME PREVENTION
INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW
OCEANS–LAW OF THE SEA

Reports

A/59/10 (GAOR. 59th sess., Suppl. no. 10) Report of the International Law Commission, 56th session (3 May-4 June and 5 July-6 August 2004).
Issued: 2004.

General documents

A/59/140 Letter, 12 July 2004, from Cuba. Transmits observations of Cuba submitted pursuant to para. 3 of General Assembly resolution 58/77 inviting Governments to provide information to the International Law Commission regarding State practice on the topic "Unilateral acts of States".

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.23 Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its 56th session : draft resolution.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/510 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.17 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.18 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.19 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.20 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.21 (5 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.22 (5 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.23 (8 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.24 (8 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.25 (9 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.26 (17 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/510 (originally A/C.6/59/L.23) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/41.

**INTERNATIONAL LAW (Agenda item 144)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/41 Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its 56th session.

Endorses the decision of the International Law Commission to include in its agenda the topics "Expulsion of aliens" and "Effects of armed conflicts on treaties"; invites the International Law Commission to continue taking measures to enhance its efficiency and productivity; decides that the next session of the Commission shall be held at the UN Office at Geneva 2 May-3 June and 4 July-5 Aug. 2005; encourages delegations, during the debate on the report of the International Law Commission to adhere to the structured work programme agreed to by the 6th Committee; encourages Member States to consider being represented at the level of legal adviser when the report of the International Law Commission is discussed in the 6th Committee; requests the International Law Commission to continue to pay special attention to indicating in its annual report, any issues on which expressions of views by Governments would be of interest; reaffirms its previous decisions concerning the indispensable role of the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs of the Secretariat in providing assistance to the International Law Commission; expresses the hope that the International Law Seminar will continue to be held in connection with the sessions of the International Law Commission and that an increasing number of participants, in particular from developing countries, will be given the opportunity to attend, and appeals to States to continue to make urgently needed voluntary contributions to the UN Trust Fund; recommends that the debate on the report of the International Law Commission at the 60th session of the General Assembly commence on 24 Oct. 2005.
(Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

**INTERNATIONAL MEETING TO REVIEW THE
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME OF
ACTION FOR THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
OF SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES (2005 :
PORT LOUIS)**

See: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–DEVELOPING
ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES (1994 :
BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP

**INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF LA
FRANCOPHONIE–UN (Agenda item 56i)**

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

**INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF LA
FRANCOPHONIE–UN (Agenda item 56i)
(continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.19 Cooperation between the United Nations and the International Organization of la Francophonie : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Angola, Armenia, Austria, Barbados, Belgium, Benin, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Chile, Colombia, Comoros, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Dominica, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, France, Gabon, Georgia, Greece, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Lesotho, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Monaco, Morocco, Niger, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Slovakia, Slovenia, Switzerland, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Tuvalu, Ukraine, Vanuatu and Viet Nam.

A/59/L.19/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the International Organization of la Francophonie : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Costa Rica, Liechtenstein and Thailand.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.50 (8 Nov. 2004).

At the 50th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.19 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/22.

**INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF LA
FRANCOPHONIE–UN (Agenda item 56i)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/22 Cooperation between the United Nations and the International Organization of la Francophonie.
Notes with great satisfaction the initiatives taken by the International Organization of la Francophonie in the areas of conflict prevention, the promotion of peace and support for democracy, and commends it on the genuine contribution it makes, in Haiti, the Comoros, Côte d'Ivoire, Burundi, the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the Central African Republic; welcomes the initiation of cooperation between the UN and the International Organization of la Francophonie in the fields of early warning and conflict prevention; expresses its gratitude to the International Organization of la Francophonie for the steps it has taken to promote cultural and linguistic diversity and dialogue between cultures and civilizations; welcomes the fact that the 10th summit conference of la Francophonie was devoted to solidarity for sustainable development; notes with satisfaction the continued collaboration between the UN and the International Organization of la Francophonie in the area of electoral monitoring and assistance; requests the Secretary-General of the UN, acting in cooperation with the Secretary-General of the International Organization of la Francophonie, to encourage the holding of periodic meetings; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 50th plenary meeting, 8 Nov. 2004)

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 58)

General documents

A/59/82 Letter, 10 May 2004, from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Transmits joint statement of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of Albania, Croatia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia on the occasion of the 1st anniversary of signing of the United States-Adriatic Charter of Partnership.

A/59/88 Letter, 25 May 2004, from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Transmits joint statement of the representatives of Croatia, Albania, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and the United States on the occasion of the 2nd meeting of the Partnership Commission; reaffirms the common vision of a Europe whole, free and at peace.

A/59/813 (S/2005/342) Letter, 23 May 2005, from Greece and Romania. Transmits the Bucharest Declaration adopted at the 8th Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the South-East Europe Cooperation Process, held in Bucharest, 11 May 2005.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

**INTERNATIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 58)
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A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.7 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.8 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.55 Maintenance of international security - good-neighbourliness, stability and development in South-Eastern Europe : draft resolution / Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and the United States of America.

A/C.1/59/L.55/Rev.1 Maintenance of international security - good-neighbourliness, stability and development in South-Eastern Europe : revised draft resolution / Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine and United Kingdom (A/59/452).

A/C.1/59/L.55/Rev.2 Maintenance of international security - good-neighbourliness, stability and development in South-Eastern Europe : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Austria, Canada, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Monaco, Norway and Switzerland (A/59/452).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/452 Report of the 1st Committee.

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 58) (continued)

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.21 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.22 (4 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in *A/59/452* (originally *A/C.1/59/L.55/Rev.2*) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/59.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/59 Maintenance of international security - good-neighbourliness, stability and development in South-Eastern Europe.

Stresses the importance of good-neighbourliness and the development of friendly relations among States, and calls upon all States to resolve their disputes with other States by peaceful means, in accordance with the Charter; urges the strengthening of relations among the States of South-Eastern Europe on the basis of respect for international law and agreements, in accordance with the principles of good-neighbourliness and mutual respect; stresses the importance of enhanced regional cooperation for the development of the South-Eastern European States in the priority areas of infrastructure, transport, trade, energy and environment, as well as in other areas of common interest; urges all States to take effective measures against the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects and to help programmes and projects aimed at the collection and safe destruction of surplus stocks of small arms and light weapons, and stresses the importance of closer cooperation among States. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY–MEDITERRANEAN REGION (Agenda item 70)

Reports

A/59/130 Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 6 July 2004.

A/59/130/Add.1 Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 6 July 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY–MEDITERRANEAN REGION (Agenda item 70) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.35 Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region : draft resolution / Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, Georgia, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Morocco, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Tunisia, Turkey, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, France, Germany, Hungary, Norway, Sweden, United Kingdom (*A/59/464*).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/464 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.16 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in *A/59/464* (originally *A/C.1/59/L.35*) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/108.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/108 Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region.

Calls upon all States of the Mediterranean region that have not yet done so to adhere to all multilaterally negotiated legal instruments related to the field of disarmament and non-proliferation; encourages all States of the region to favour necessary conditions for strengthening confidence-building measures among them; encourages the Mediterranean countries to strengthen further their cooperation in combating terrorism in all its forms and manifestations and in combating international crime and illicit arms transfers and illicit drug production, consumption and trafficking; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on means to strengthen security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY–NOTIFICATION BY SECRETARY-GENERAL (Agenda item 7)

General documents

A/59/335 Notification by the Secretary-General under Article 12, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations : note / by the Secretary-General.

Includes list of items relative to the maintenance of international peace and security that are being dealt by the Security Council and on matters with which the Council has ceased to deal.

**INTERNATIONAL SECURITY–NOTIFICATION BY
SECRETARY-GENERAL (Agenda item 7)
(continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.24 (11 Oct. 2004).

At the 24th meeting, the General Assembly took a note of the a note by the Secretary-General (A/59/335): decision 59/505.

**INTERNATIONAL SECURITY–SCIENCE AND
TECHNOLOGY**

See: SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY–INTERNATIONAL
SECURITY

**INTERNATIONAL STRATEGY FOR DISASTER
REDUCTION (PROGRAMME)**

See: DISASTER PREVENTION

INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM

See: TERRORISM

INTERNATIONAL TRADE (Agenda item 83a)

See also: EXTERNAL DEBT

Reports

A/59/15 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 15) United Nations Conference on Trade and Development : report of the Trade and Development Board, 33rd to 35th executive sessions, 21st special session and 51st session.

Issued: 2004.

A/59/15(PartI) (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 15) Report of the Trade and Development Board on its 33rd executive session, Geneva, 23 September 2003 and 30 September 2004.

Issued: 27 Oct. 2004.

A/59/15(PartII) (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 15) Report of the Trade and Development Board on its 34th executive session, Geneva, 10 March 2004.

Issued: 17 Sept. 2004.

A/59/15(PartIII) (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 15) Report of the Trade and Development Board on its 21st special session, Geneva, 14 May 2004.

Issued: 17 Sept. 2004.

A/59/15(PartIV) (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 15) Report of the Trade and Development Board on its 35th executive session, Geneva, 21 September 2004.

Issued: 27 Oct. 2004.

A/59/15(PartV) (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 15) Report of the Trade and Development Board on its 51st session, Geneva, 4 to 15 October 2004.

Issued: 27 Oct. 2004.

**INTERNATIONAL TRADE (Agenda item 83a)
(continued)**

A/59/305 International trade and development : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Aug. 2004.

A/59/369 Report of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on its 11th session : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the UN Conference on Trade and Development on its 11th session, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 13-18 June 2004 (TD/412).

General documents

A/59/368 (S/2004/747) Letter, 16 Sept. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits joint statement entitled "Central Asia + Japan", signed by the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of Japan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan at a meeting held in Astana, 28 Aug. 2004.

A/59/741 (S/2005/172) Letter, 11 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan. Transmits, as Chair of the meeting of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, joint communiqué of the meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, held in Astana on 25 Feb. 2005; underlines the importance of strengthening the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in order to ensure stability and peace in Central Asia.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.25 International trade and development : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution

A/C.2/59/L.25/Rev.1 (A/59/481/Add.1).

A/C.2/59/L.25/Rev.1 International trade and development : revised draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Additional sponsor: Switzerland (A/59/481/Add.1).

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/481 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/481/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.22 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.23 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.24 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.31 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.40 (16 Dec. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.41 (17 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/481/Add.1 (originally A/C.2/59/L.25/Rev.1) was adopted (166-2-6): resolution 59/221.

**INTERNATIONAL TRADE (Agenda item 83a)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/221 International trade and development.

Reaffirms the value of multilateralism to the global trading system, and that all countries have a shared interest in the success of the Doha work programme; looks forward to the early development of the frameworks outlined in the decision of 1 Aug. 2004 of the General Council of the World Trade Organization; reaffirms the importance of market access, and the full implementation of the Agreement on Textiles and Clothing of the World Trade Organization; expresses its concern about the adoption of a number of unilateral actions that are not consistent with the rules of the World Trade Organization, harm the exports of all countries; reiterates the importance of supporting the programmes and technical cooperation and capacity-building activities of the UN Conference on Trade and Development; requests the Secretary-General, in collaboration with the secretariat of the UN Conference on Trade and Development, to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 166-2-6, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW (Agenda item 143)

See also: INTERNATIONAL LAW

Reports

A/59/17 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 17) Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on its 37th session, 14-25 June 2004.
Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.11 Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its 37th session : draft resolution / Algeria, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bahamas, Belarus, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Fiji, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Hungary, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jordan, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Paraguay, Philippines, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Kenya, Malaysia, Tunisia and Ukraine (A/59/509).

A/C.6/59/L.12 Legislative Guide on Insolvency Law of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law : draft resolution.

**INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW (Agenda item 143)
(continued)**

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/509 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.1 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.2 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.14 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.16 (29 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, action of draft resolutions in A/59/509 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.6/59/L.11), adopted without vote: resolution 59/39; draft resolution II (originally A/C.6/59/L.12), adopted without vote: resolution 59/40.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/39 Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its 37th session.

Commends the Commission for the completion and adoption of its Legislative Guide on Insolvency Law; reaffirms the importance, in particular for developing countries, of the work of the Commission concerned with training and legislative technical assistance in the field of international trade law; takes note with regret that, since the previous session of the Commission, no contributions have been made to the trust fund established to provide travel assistance to developing countries that are members of the Commission; decides to continue its consideration of granting travel assistance to the least developed countries that are members of the Commission, at their request and in consultation with the Secretary-General; approves the conclusions reached by the Commission in paragraphs 124 to 128 of its report regarding the imposition of page limits on its documentation; stresses the importance of the conventions emanating from the work of the Commission for international trade law, and urges States that have not yet done so to consider signing, to those conventions; notes that 2005 will mark the 25th anniversary of the adoption of the UN Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods and the 20th anniversary of the adoption of the Model Law on International Commercial Arbitration of the UN Commission on International Trade Law; expresses its appreciation for the preparation of a digest of case law on the UN Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods, intended to assist in the dissemination of information on the Convention, and for the progress of work on a digest of case law relating to the Model Law on International Commercial Arbitration. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

**INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW (Agenda item 143)
(continued)**

A/RES/59/40 Legislative Guide on Insolvency Law of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law.
Expresses appreciation to the UN Commission on International Trade Law for the completion and adoption of its legislative guide on Insolvency Law; requests the Secretary-General to publish the Legislative Guide and promote it; recommends that all States give due consideration to the Legislative Guide; also recommends that all States continue to consider implementation of the Model Law on Cross-Border Insolvency of the UN Commission on International Trade Law. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106i)**

Reports

A/59/5/Add.12 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5L)
International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors.
Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106i)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–FINANCING (Agenda item 122)**

Reports

A/59/139 Biennial budgeting at the Tribunals : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 13 July 2004.

A/59/547 First performance report of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia for the biennium 2004-2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 2 Nov. 2004.

A/59/561 Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 for the biennium 2004-2005 ; financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 for the biennium 2004-2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 10 Nov. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.16 Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–FINANCING (Agenda item 122)
(continued)**

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/604 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.27 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.30 (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/604 (originally A/C.5/59/L.16) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/274.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).

Corrects text.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/274 Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991.

Decides to approve the proposed post and non-post resources for the Investigations Division for 2005; also decides on a revised appropriation to the Special Account for the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 of a total amount of US\$329,317,900 gross for the biennium 2004-2005; further decides, for the year 2005, to apportion among Member States, in accordance with the scale of assessments applicable to the regular budget of the UN for the year, the amount of \$90,148,375 gross (\$81,300,850 net), including \$15,637,800 gross (\$13,383,200 net), being the increase in assessments; decides, for the year 2005, to apportion among Member States, in accordance with the rates of assessment applicable to peacekeeping operations for the year, the amount of \$90,148,375 gross (\$81,300,850 net), including \$15,637,800 gross (\$13,383,200 net), being the increase in assessments; also decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund in the amount of \$17,695,050, including \$4,509,200, being the increase in the estimated staff assessment income approved for the Tribunal for the biennium 2004-2005. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–MEMBERS (Agenda item 18)**

General documents

A/59/437 Letter, 14 Oct. 2004, from the President of the Security Council. Transmits resolution 1567 (2004), adopted unanimously by the Security Council at its 5057th meeting on 14 Oct. 2004; forwards to the General Assembly the nominations for 22 Permanent Judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia in accordance with Article 13 bis (1) (d) of the Statute of the International Tribunal.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–MEMBERS (Agenda item 18)
(continued)**

A/59/438 Election of judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 : memorandum / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/439 Curricula vitae of candidates nominated by States Members of the United Nations : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/666 (S/2005/9) Identical letters, 6 Jan. 2005, from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Requests approval for the extension of the term of office of 7 ad litem judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia beyond 11 June 2005 to allow them to dispose of a number of ongoing cases; requests also approval to appoint 2 additional ad litem judges, from the current pool, to serve in the Tribunal for trying cases; states that if decisions are adopted, no additional financial requirements would arise for the 2004-2005 Tribunal's budget.

A/59/676 Letter, 18 Jan. 2005, from the President of the Security Council. Draws attention of the General Assembly President to Security Council resolution 1581 (2005), adopted unanimously by the Council at its 5112th meeting, 18 Jan. 2005, concerning the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia.

A/59/886 Letter, 26 July 2005, from the President of the Security Council. Transmits text of Security Council resolution 1613 (2005), adopted unanimously by the Council at its 5236th meeting, 26 July 2005, which encloses nominations to the General Assembly for a seat as ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia.

A/59/887 Election of judges of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 : memorandum / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/887/Add.1 Election of judges of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 : memorandum : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/888 Curricula vitae of candidates nominated by States Members of the United Nations and by non-member States maintaining permanent observer missions at United Nations Headquarters : note / by the Secretary-General.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–MEMBERS (Agenda item 18)
(continued)**

A/59/898 Letter, 18 Aug. 2005, from Liechtenstein. Refers to upcoming election of ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia, to be held on Aug. 24, 2005 in the General Assembly and suggests that the election procedure for ad litem judges be applied by the General Assembly with a slight modification.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.57 (18 Nov. 2004).

At the 57th plenary meeting, the following were elected members of the International Tribunal for Yugoslavia for a 4-year term beginning on 17 Nov. 2005: Carmel Agius (Malta), Jean-Claude Antonetti (France), Iain Bonomy (United Kingdom), O-gon Kwon (Republic of Korea), Liu Daqun (China), Theodore Meron (United States), Bakone Meleni Moloto (South Africa), Alphonsus Martinus Maria Orie (Netherlands), Kevin Horace Parker (Australia), Fausto Pocar (Italy), Patrick Lipton Robinson (Jamaica), Wolfgang Schomburg (Germany), Mohamed Shahabuddeen (Guyana) and Christine Van den Wyngaert (Belgium): decision 59/406 A.

A/59/PV.80 (20 Jan. 2005).

At the 80th meeting, the Assembly took note of the following letters from the Secretary-General (A/59/666 and A/59/676) and decided to endorse the recommendations of the Secretary-General that were endorsed by the Security Council in its resolution 1581 (2005) of 18 Jan. 2005: decision 59/406 B.

A/59/PV.116 (24 Aug. 2005).

At the 116th meeting, the following were elected ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for Yugoslavia for a 4-year term beginning on 24 Aug. 2005: Melville Baird (Trinidad and Tobago), Frans Bauduin (Netherlands), Ali Nawaz Chowhan (Pakistan), Pedro David (Argentina), Elizabeth Gwaunza (Zimbabwe), Burton Hall (Bahamas), Frederik Harhoff (Denmark), Frank Höpfel (Austria), Tsvetana Kamenova (Bulgaria), Uldis Kinis (Latvia), Raimo Lahti (Finland), Flavia Lattanzi (Italy), Antoine Mindua (Democratic Republic of the Congo), Jawdat Naboty (Syrian Arab Republic), Janet Nosworthy (Jamaica), Chioma Egundu Nwosu-Iheme (Nigeria), Prisca Matimba Nyambe (Zambia), Michele Picard (France), Brynmor Pollard (Guyana), Arpad Prandler (Hungary), Kimberly Prost (Canada), Vonimbolana Rasoazanany (Madagascar), Ole Bjorn Stole (Norway), Krister Thelin (Sweden), Klaus Tolksdorf (Germany), Stefan Trechsel (Switzerland) and Tan Sri Dato Lamin Haji Mohd Yunus (Malaysia): decision 59/406 C.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–REPORTS (Agenda item 51)**

Reports

A/59/215 (S/2004/627) Note [transmitting the 11th annual report of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia, covering the period 1 Aug. 2003–31 July 2004] / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 16 Aug. 2004.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–REPORTS (Agenda item 51)
(continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.53 (15 Nov. 2004).

At the 53rd meeting, the Assembly took note of the note by the Secretary-General transmitting the 11th annual report of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (A/59/215); decision 59/511.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–
ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106m)**

Reports

A/59/5/Add.11 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5K)

International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors.

Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–
ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106m) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–
FINANCING (Agenda item 121)**

Reports

A/59/139 Biennial budgeting at the Tribunals : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 13 July 2004.

A/59/549 First performance report of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda for the biennium 2004-2005 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 Nov. 2004.

A/59/561 Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 for the biennium 2004-2005 ; financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 for the biennium 2004-2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 10 Nov. 2004.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–
FINANCING (Agenda item 121) (continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.15 Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/603 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.27 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.30 (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/603 (originally A/C.5/59/L.15) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/273.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).

Corrects text.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/273 Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994.

Decides to approve the proposed post and non-post resources for the Investigations Division for 2005; decides also on a revised appropriation to the Special Account for the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 Jan. and 31 Dec. 1994 of a total amount of US\$255,909,500 gross for the biennium 2004-2005; decides further, for the year 2005, to apportion among Member States, in accordance with the scale of assessments applicable to the regular budget of UN for the year, the amount of \$69,123,700 gross, including \$10,292,650 gross, being the increase in assessments; decides, for the year 2005, to apportion among Member States, in accordance with the rates of assessment applicable to peacekeeping operations for the year, the amount of \$69,123,700 gross, including \$10,292,650 gross, being the increase in assessments. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–REPORTS
(Agenda item 50)**

Reports

A/59/183 (S/2004/601) Note [transmitting the 9th annual report of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, covering the period 1 July 2003–30 June 2004] / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 27 July 2004.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.53 (15 Nov. 2004).

At the 53rd meeting, the Assembly took note of the note by the Secretary-General transmitting the 9th annual report of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (A/59/183): decision 59/510.

**INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE
PROSECUTION OF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE
FOR SERIOUS VIOLATIONS OF INTERNATIONAL
HUMANITARIAN LAW COMMITTED IN THE
TERRITORY OF FORMER YUGOSLAVIA SINCE
1991**

See: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–ACCOUNTS
INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–FINANCING
INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–MEMBERS
INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–REPORTS

INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF FRESHWATER (2003)

See: ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–
CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO,
BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP

INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF MICROCREDIT (2005)

See: POVERTY–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (1997–2006)

INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF MOUNTAINS (2002)

See: MOUNTAIN AREAS–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

**INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF OLDER PERSONS
(1999)**

See: AGEING PERSONS–INTERNATIONAL YEARS
(1999)

**INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF SPORT AND
PHYSICAL EDUCATION (2005)**

See: SPORT AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION–
INTERNATIONAL YEARS (2005)

INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF THE FAMILY (1994)

See: FAMILY

INTOLERANCE

See: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION
RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE

IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)–HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)

IRAQ

See: IRAQ-ISRAEL
IRAQ-KUWAIT SITUATION

IRAQ-ISRAEL (Agenda item 32)

See also: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

IRAQ-KUWAIT SITUATION (Agenda item 33)

See also: UN IRAQ-KUWAIT OBSERVATION MISSION–
FINANCING

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey.
Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of
Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final
communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of
Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of
the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN
Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/679 (S/2005/41) Letter, 19 Jan. 2005, from Turkey.
Transmits letter dated 19 Jan. 2005 from the Deputy
Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Turkey
concerning lower expectations for the results of the 30
Jan. 2005 elections in Iraq and the challenges posed by
political groups to turn the elections into a referendum
for independence in northern Iraq; stresses that the
region will stand firmly behind Iraq's integrity.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen.
Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group
of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a
Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic
Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session,
held at Sana'a, 28–30 June 2005.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

ISRAEL

See: IRAQ-ISRAEL
MIDDLE EAST SITUATION
PALESTINE QUESTION
TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN
RIGHTS
TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–NATURAL
RESOURCES

ISRAEL–LEBANON

See: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

ISRAEL-PALESTINE PEACE PROCESS

See: PALESTINE QUESTION

ISRAELI SETTLEMENT ACTIVITIES

See: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

JERUSALEM

See: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–NATURAL RESOURCES

JIU

See: JOINT INSPECTION UNIT

JOINT INSPECTION UNIT–MEMBERS

JOINT INSPECTION UNIT (Agenda item 115)

Reports

A/58/343 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the preliminary review of its statute and working methods : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Sept. 2003. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit on a preliminary review of its statute and working methods.

A/58/343/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the in-depth review of its statute and working methods : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 18 Nov. 2003. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit.

A/58/343/Add.2 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the in-depth review of its statute and working methods : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Feb. 2004. - Transmits addendum to the report of the Joint Inspection Unit.

A/59/34 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 34) Report of the Joint Inspection Unit.

Issued: 2004.

A/59/65 (E/2004/48) Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the management review of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 10 Mar. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2003/6), prepared by Armando Duque Gonzalez.

A/59/68 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the evaluation of the United Nations Volunteers Programme : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 18 Mar. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2003/7), prepared by Armando Duque Gonzalez.

A/59/76 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on achieving the universal primary education goal of the United Nations Millennium Declaration : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 29 Apr. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2003/5), prepared by Doris Bertrand.

JOINT INSPECTION UNIT (Agenda item 115) (continued)

A/59/280 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on Administration of Justice : harmonization of the statutes of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal and the International Labour Organization Administrative Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 19 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/3) prepared by Wolfgang Münch, Victor Vislykh and M. Deborah Wynes.

A/59/280/Corr.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on Administration of Justice : harmonization of the statutes of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal and the International Labour Organization Administrative Tribunal : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 14 Sept. 2004. - Corrects agenda items and text.

A/59/349 Implementation of the recommendations of the Joint Inspection Unit : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 Sept. 2004.

A/59/394 Review of management and administration in the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/4), prepared by Sumihiro Kuyama, Louis-Dominique Ouédraogo and M. Deborah Wynes.

A/59/526 Review of the Headquarters agreements concluded by the organizations of the United Nations System : human resources issues affecting staff : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 25 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/2) prepared by Ion Gorita and Wolfgang Münch.

A/59/607 Implementation of results-based management in the United Nations organizations : part I of the series on managing for results in the United Nations System : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Dec. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/6), prepared by Even Fontaine Ortiz, Sumihiro Kuyama, Wolfgang Münch and Guangting Tang.

A/59/617 Overview of the series of reports on managing for results in the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 16 Dec. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/5).

A/59/631 Delegation of authority and accountability : part II : series on managing for results in the United Nations System : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Dec. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/7), prepared by Even Fontaine Ortiz, Ion Gorita and Victor Vislykh.

A/59/632 Managing performance and contracts : part III of the series on managing for results in the United Nations System : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Dec. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/8), prepared by Even Fontaine Ortiz, Ion Gorita and Victor Vislykh.

**JOINT INSPECTION UNIT (Agenda item 115)
(continued)**

A/59/721 Procurement practices within the United Nations System : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 2 Mar. 2005. – Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Procurement practices within the UN system" (JIU/REP/2004/9), prepared by Muhammad Yussuf.

General documents

A/59/65/Add.1 (E/2004/48/Add.1) Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the management review of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.
Contains comments of the Secretary-General on the recommendations of the Joint Inspection Unit in its report (JIU/REP/2003/6).

A/59/68/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the United Nations Volunteers Programme : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits comments of the Secretary-General on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2003/7).

A/59/75 Joint Inspection Unit : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits work programme of the Joint Inspection Unit for 2004.

A/59/76/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Achieving the universal primary education goal of the United Nations Millennium Declaration : new challenges for development cooperation" : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits comments of the Secretary-General and of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2003/5).

A/59/76/Add.1/Corr.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Achieving the universal primary education goal of the United Nations Millennium Declaration : new challenges for development cooperation" : note : addendum : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.
Corrects text.

A/59/280/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on Administration of Justice : harmonization of the statutes of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal and the International Labour Organization Administrative Tribunal : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

Contains comments of the Secretary-General on the report of JIU entitled "Administration of justice: harmonization of the statutes of the UN Administrative Tribunal and the International Labour Organization Administrative Tribunal".

A/59/394/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Review of management and administration in the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees" : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Contains comments of the Secretary-General on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Review of management and administration in the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees"

**JOINT INSPECTION UNIT (Agenda item 115)
(continued)**

A/59/526/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Review of the Headquarters Agreements Concluded by the Organizations of the United Nations System : Human Resources Issues Affecting Staff" (JIU/REP/2004/2) : note / by the Secretary-General.
Transmits comments of the Secretary-General and of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/2).

A/59/617/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Managing for results in the United Nations system" (JIU/REP/2004/5) : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits comments of the Secretary-General and of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/5).

A/59/721/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Procurement practices within the United Nations System" : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits comments of the Secretary-General and of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (A/59/721).

A/C.5/59/CRP.1 Note on the review of its statute and working methods / by the Joint Inspection Unit.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.24 Reports of the Joint Inspection Unit : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/646 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.3 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/646 (originally A/C.5/59/L.24) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/267.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).
Corrects text.

**JOINT INSPECTION UNIT (Agenda item 115)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/267 Reports of the Joint Inspection Unit.

Decides to discontinue the requirement for the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the recommendations of the Joint Inspection Unit; decides that the Unit shall perform its functions and responsibilities strictly in accordance with the provisions of its statute; also decides that the programme of work of the Unit shall be collectively approved, providing the rationale for choice as well as the relevance of the envisaged outcome to improving management and methods and promoting greater coordination between organizations; decides that the Unit shall mainly focus on identifying means to improve management and to ensure that optimum use is made of available resources; also decides that the Unit shall include, in its annual reports, information on implementation and the results achieved by organizations in respect of their follow-up to the recommendations of the Unit; further decides that the Unit should assess the development and application in participating organizations of the principle of accountability in its relevant reports; decides to continue providing translation in all official languages for the reports of the Unit and also to provide interpretation, as necessary, within existing resources. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

JOINT INSPECTION UNIT—MEMBERS (Agenda item 17h)

General documents

A/59/108 Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/108/Add.1 Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/788 Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit : note / by the President of the General Assembly.
Concerns nomination of Juan Luis Larrabure (Peru) to complete the unexpired portion of the term of office of Christopher Thomas (Trinidad and Tobago), a member of JIU, in view of his resignation on 25 Jun. 2004; transmits curriculum vitae of the candidate.

A/59/889 Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit : note / by the President of the General Assembly.
Submits the candidature of Gérard Biraud (France), István Posta (Hungary), Papa Louis Fall (Senegal) and Cihan Terzi (Turkey) to the General Assembly for appointment as members of the Joint Inspection Unit for a 5-year term beginning on 1 Jan. 2006 and expiring on 31 Dec. 2010.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.50 (8 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.81 (15 Feb. 2005).

JOINT INSPECTION UNIT—MEMBERS (Agenda item 17h) (continued)

A/59/PV.94 (28 Apr. 2005).

At the 94th meeting, Juan Luis Larrabure (Peru) was appointed as a member of the Joint Inspection Unit for a period beginning immediately and expiring on 31 Dec. 2008: decision 59/416 A.

A/59/PV.116 (24 Aug. 2005).

At the 116th meeting, Gérard Biraud (France), István Posta (Hungary), Papa Louis Fall (Senegal) and Cihan Terzi (Turkey) were appointed as members of the Joint Inspection Unit for a 5-year term beginning on 1 Jan. 2006 and expiring on 31 Dec. 2010: decision 59/416 B.

KIMBERLEY PROCESS CERTIFICATION SCHEME FOR ROUGH DIAMONDS (2002)

See: DIAMONDS—FUELLING CONFLICT

KUWAIT—IRAQ

See: IRAQ-KUWAIT SITUATION

LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES (Agenda item 88b)

Reports

A/59/208 Implementation of the Almaty Programme of Action : Addressing the Special Needs of Landlocked Developing Countries with a New Global Framework for Transit Transport Cooperation for Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Aug. 2004.

General documents

A/59/158 Letter, 15 July 2004, from the Lao People's Democratic Republic. Concerns ministerial communiqué of the Group of Landlocked Developing Countries, adopted on 13 June 2004, on the sideline of UNCTAD XI, held in São Paulo, Brazil (document TD/409) and requests its circulation in the General Assembly.

A/C.2/59/2 Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from the Lao People's Democratic Republic. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Landlocked Developing Countries, ministerial communiqué adopted at the 5th annual Ministerial Meeting of Landlocked Developing Countries, held in New York, 27 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.43 Specific actions related to the particular needs and problems of landlocked developing countries : outcome of the International Ministerial Conference of Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.60 (A/59/486/Add.2).

LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES
(Agenda item 88b) (continued)

A/C.2/59/L.60 Specific actions related to the particular needs and problems of landlocked developing countries : outcome of the International Ministerial Conference of Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Majdi Ramadan (Lebanon), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.43.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/486 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/486/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.29 (9 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.30 (9 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.31 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.38 (7 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/486/Add.2 (originally A/C.2/59/L.60) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/245; the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/59/486): decision 59/537.

LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES
(Agenda item 88b) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/245 Specific actions related to the particular needs and problems of landlocked developing countries : outcome of the International Ministerial Conference on Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation.

Reaffirms the right of access of landlocked countries to and from the sea and freedom of transit through the territory of transit countries by all means of transport, in accordance with applicable rules of international law; reaffirms also that transit countries have the right to take all measures necessary to ensure that the rights and facilities provided for landlocked countries in no way infringe upon their legitimate interests; stresses the need for the implementation of the São Paulo Consensus; requests the Office of the High Representative to continue its cooperation and coordination with organizations with the UN system, particularly those engaged in operational activities on the ground in landlocked and transit developing countries to ensure effective implementation of the Almaty Programme of Action; requests, in this regard, the Secretary-General to take necessary measures, within existing resources, to provide the Office with adequate resources so as to allow it to effectively carry out its added mandate as stipulated in the Almaty Programme of Action; decides to include this item in the provisional agenda of its 60th session; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on the progress made in the implementation of the Almaty Programme of Action. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

LANDMINES

See: CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS–TREATIES (1980)
DISARMAMENT–GENERAL AND COMPLETE
LANDMINES–TREATIES (1997)
MINE CLEARANCE

LANDMINES–TREATIES (1997) (Agenda item 65v)

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

**LANDMINES–TREATIES (1997) (Agenda item 65v)
(continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.40 Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Bolivia, Bulgaria, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, Japan, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Lithuania, Malaysia, Mexico, Monaco, Namibia, Peru, Republic of Moldova, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Thailand, Turkey, Turkmenistan and Yemen.

A/C.1/59/L.40/Rev.1 Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction : revised draft resolution / Afghanistan, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Bhutan, Bolivia, Brazil, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Cambodia, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Eritrea, France, Gabon, Germany, Greece, Guinea, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malawi, Malaysia, Maldives, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Mozambique, Namibia, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Samoa, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sudan, Switzerland, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Thailand, Togo, Tunisia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Vanuatu, Venezuela, Yemen, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Belarus, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, Burundi, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominica, Equatorial Guinea, Fiji, Gambia, Ghana, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Madagascar, Mauritania, Mauritius, Nauru, New Zealand, Niger, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Qatar, Rwanda, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Sao Tome and Principe, Seychelles, Solomon Islands, Somalia, South Africa, Suriname, Swaziland, Sweden, Tonga, Trinidad and Tobago, Tuvalu, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay (A/59/459).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.12 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

**LANDMINES–TREATIES (1997) (Agenda item 65v)
(continued)**

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XIX in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.40/Rev.1) was adopted (157-0-22): resolution 59/84.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/84 Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction.

Urges all States that have signed but not ratified the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction to ratify it without delay; stresses importance of full and effective implementation of and compliance with the Convention; urges all States parties to provide the Secretary-General with complete and timely information as required under article 7 of the Convention in order to promote transparency and compliance with the Convention; renews its call upon all States and other relevant parties to work together to promote, support and advance the care, rehabilitation and social and economic reintegration of mine victims, mine risk education programmes and removal of anti-personnel mines and stockpiles throughout the world and the assurance of their destruction. (Adopted 157-0-22, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**LATIN AMERICAN ECONOMIC SYSTEM–UN
(Agenda item 56k)**

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.55 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Latin American Economic System : draft resolution / Panama [on behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States].

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.55 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/258.

**LATIN AMERICAN ECONOMIC SYSTEM–UN
(Agenda item 56k) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/258 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Latin American Economic System.

Takes note of the holding of the 30th regular meeting of the Latin American Council of the Latin American Economic System 22-24 Nov. 2004; takes note with satisfaction of the report of the Secretary-General (A/59/303); urges the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean to continue deepening its coordination and mutual support activities with the Latin American Economic System; urges the specialized agencies and other organizations, funds and programmes of the UN system to continue and intensify their support for and to strengthen their cooperation with activities of the Latin American Economic System and to contribute to joint actions to achieve the internationally agreed development objectives in Latin America and the Caribbean; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General of the UN and the Permanent Secretary of the Latin American Economic System to assess, at the appropriate time, the implementation of the Agreement between the UN and the Latin American Economic System and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

LAW OF THE SEA (Agenda item 49a)

See also: INTERNATIONAL LAW
OCEANS–LAW OF THE SEA
STRADDLING FISH STOCKS

Reports

A/59/62 Oceans and the law of the sea : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 4 Mar. 2004.

A/59/62/Add.1 Oceans and the law of the sea : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 18 Aug. 2004.

A/59/63 Oceans and the law of the sea : Consultative Group on Flag State Implementation : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 5 Mar. 2004.

A/59/63/Corr.1 Oceans and the law of the sea : Consultative Group on Flag State Implementation : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 21 Mar. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/122 Letter, 29 June 2004, from the Co-Chairpersons of the UN Open-ended Informal Consultative Process on Oceans and the Law of the Sea. Transmits report on the work of the UN Open-ended Informal Consultative Process on Oceans and the Law of the Sea at its 5th meeting, held at the UN Headquarters, 7-11 June 2004.

LAW OF THE SEA (Agenda item 49a) (continued)

A/59/126 A regular process for the global reporting and assessment of the state of the marine environment, including socio-economic aspects : Global Marine Assessment International Workshop : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 6 July 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.22 Oceans and the law of the sea : draft resolution / Austria, Brazil, Canada, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Fiji, Finland, Iceland, Ireland, Japan, Malta, Marshall Islands, Mexico, Monaco, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sri Lanka, Sweden, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

A/59/L.22/Add.1 Oceans and the law of the sea : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Australia, Belgium, Belize, Cameroon, Croatia, France, Germany, Greece, Honduras, Hungary, Indonesia, Jamaica, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nicaragua, Papua New Guinea, Poland, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Samoa, Spain, Trinidad and Tobago and Ukraine.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.54 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.55 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.56 (17 Nov. 2004).

At the 56th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.22 was adopted (141-1-2): resolution 59/24.

LAW OF THE SEA (Agenda item 49a) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/24 Oceans and the law of the sea.

Urges all States to cooperate, directly or through competent international bodies, in taking measures to protect and preserve objects of an archaeological and historical nature found at sea; calls upon bilateral and multilateral donor agencies and international financial institutions to keep their programmes systematically under review to ensure the availability in all States of the economic, legal, navigational, scientific and technical skills necessary for the full implementation of the Convention; welcomes recent capacity-building initiatives focusing on human resources development for developing coastal States parties and non-parties to the Convention in the field of ocean affairs and the law of the sea or related disciplines; encourages States parties to the Convention that have not yet done so to consider making a written declaration choosing from the means set out in article 287 of the Convention for the settlement of disputes concerning the interpretation or application of the Convention and the Agreement; encourages States to exchange views in order to increase understanding of issues arising from the application of article 76 of the Convention; calls upon flag and port States to take all measures consistent with international law necessary to prevent the operation of sub-standard vessels and illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing activities; urges all States to combat piracy and armed robbery at sea by adopting measures; calls upon States and international organizations to urgently take action to address destructive practices that have adverse impacts on marine biodiversity and ecosystems; decides to establish an Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to study issues relating to the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity beyond areas of national jurisdiction. (Adopted 141-1-2, 56th plenary meeting, 17 Nov. 2004)

LEAGUE OF ARAB STATES–UN (Agenda item 56l)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.13 Cooperation between the United Nations and the League of Arab States : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Djibouti, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Mauritania, Mauritius, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

At the 40th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.13 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/9.

LEAGUE OF ARAB STATES–UN (Agenda item 56l) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/9 Cooperation between the United Nations and the League of Arab States.

Requests the Secretariat of the UN and the General Secretariat of the League of Arab States, within their respective fields of competence, to intensify further their cooperation for the realization of the purposes and principles embodied in the Charter of the UN, the strengthening of international peace and security, economic and social development, disarmament, decolonization, self-determination and the eradication of all forms of racism and racial discrimination; requests the Secretary-General of the UN, in cooperation with the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, to encourage periodic consultation between representatives of the Secretariat of the UN and of the General Secretariat of the League of Arab States in order to review and strengthen coordination mechanisms with a view to accelerating implementation of, and follow-up action on, the multilateral projects, proposals and recommendations adopted at the meetings between the two organizations. (Adopted without vote, 40th plenary meeting, 22 Oct. 2004)

LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES–PROGRAMME OF ACTION (Agenda item 88a)

Reports

A/59/94 (E/2004/77) Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 11 June 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.42 Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.71 (A/59/486/Add.1).

A/C.2/59/L.71 Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Azanaw T. Abreha (Ethiopia), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.42.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/486 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/486/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.29 (9 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.30 (9 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.31 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.40 (16 Dec. 2004).

LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES–PROGRAMME OF ACTION (Agenda item 88a) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/486/Add.1 (originally A/C.2/59/L.71) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/244; the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/59/486); decision 59/537.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/244 Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries.

Decides to hold the comprehensive review of the Programme of Action in 2006 within the General Assembly during its 61st session, with modalities to be decided upon; decides also to consider at its 60th session the modalities for conducting such a comprehensive review; calls upon Member States, and invites intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and the private sector, to make voluntary contributions to the trust fund; requests the Secretary-General to submit an annual progress report on the implementation of the Programme of Action in an analytical and results-oriented way by placing emphasis on concrete results and indicating the progress achieved in its implementation. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

LEBANON

See: UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON–FINANCING

LEBANON–ISRAEL

See: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

LIBERIA–ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–LIBERIA

LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA–UNITED STATES (Agenda item 34)

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

LITERACY–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (2003-2012) (Agenda item 94b)

See also: SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Reports

A/59/267 Implementation of the International Plan of Action for the United Nations Literacy Decade : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 16 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the Director-General of Unesco on the implementation of the International Plan of Action for the UN Literacy Decade, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 57/166 of 18 Dec. 2002.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.15 United Nations Literacy Decade : education for all : draft resolution / Belarus, Cameroon, China, Croatia, Dominican Republic, Ethiopia, Iceland, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mongolia, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation and Senegal.

Additional sponsors: Suriname and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/59/492).

A/C.3/59/L.15/Rev.1 United Nations Literacy Decade : education for all : revised draft resolution / Austria, Bangladesh, Belarus, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, China, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Finland, Greece, Guyana, Iceland, Ireland, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Netherlands, Niger, Panama, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Senegal, Suriname, Tajikistan, Thailand, Ukraine, United States of America, Venezuela and Viet Nam.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Andorra, Armenia, Belgium, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cambodia, Canada, Congo, Cyprus, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Fiji, Israel, Italy, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Monaco, Morocco, Namibia, Nigeria, Philippines, Portugal, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sierra Leone, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, Turkey, Uzbekistan and Zambia (A/59/492).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/492 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.1 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.4 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.5 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.7 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution III in A/59/492 (originally A/C.3/59/L.15/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/149.

LITERACY-INTERNATIONAL DECADES (2003-2012) (Agenda item 94b) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/149 United Nations Literacy Decade : education for all.

Welcomes the efforts made so far by Member States and the international community in launching the Decade and implementing the International Plan of Action; urges all Governments to take the lead in coordinating the activities of the Decade at the national level, bringing all relevant national actors together in a sustained dialogue and collaborative action on policy formulation, implementation and evaluation of literacy efforts; requests the Secretary-General, in cooperation with the Director-General of Unesco to seek the views of Member States on the progress achieved in implementing their national programmes and plans of action for the Decade and to submit progress reports on the implementation of the International Plan of Action to the General Assembly on a biennial basis, beginning in 2006. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

MACROECONOMIC POLICY (Agenda item 83)

See also: EXTERNAL DEBT

Reports

A/59/80 (E/2004/61) Science and technology for development : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 May 2004. - Transmits report by the Secretary-General of the International Telecommunication Union on the 1st phase and progress in the preparations for the 2nd phase of the World Summit on the Information Society.

A/59/80/Corr.1 (E/2004/61/Corr.1) Science and technology for development : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 25 Aug. 2004. - Corrects text.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

A/59/155 (E/2004/96) Letter, 15 July 2004, from Canada and Mexico. Refers to report entitled "Unleashing entrepreneurship: making business work for the poor" presented to the Secretary-General by the Commission on the Private Sector and Development and transmits an extract from the report of relevance to the work of the UN particularly in the economic and social field.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

MACROECONOMIC POLICY (Agenda item 83) (continued)

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/767 Letter, 28 Mar. 2005, from Jamaica. Transmits Final Communiqué adopted by the 38th Meeting of the Chairmen/Coordinators of the Group of 77 Chapters, held in Geneva, 1-2 Mar. 2005.

A/59/814 Letter, 16 May, 2005, from Chile and Mali. Transmits document entitled "Santiago commitment: cooperating for democracy" adopted at the 3rd Ministerial Conference of the Community of Democracies, Santiago, 28-30 Apr. 2005.

A/59/818 Letter, 6 June 2005, from Brazil. Transmits the Brasilia Declaration, adopted at the South American and Arab Countries Summit held in Brasilia, 10-11 May 2005; establishes a partnership to pursue development, justice and international peace.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/59/867 Letter, 6 July 2005, from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Refers to annex in letter dated 25 May 2005 (A/59/814) entitled "Santiago Ministerial Commitment: cooperating for democracy" and expresses Venezuela's reservations to this commitment.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/481 Report of the 2nd Committee.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/59/481): decision 59/533.

MALARIA-INTERNATIONAL DECADES (2001-2010) (Agenda item 46)

Reports

A/59/261 2001-2010 : Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, particularly in Africa : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 13 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the World Health Organization reviewing key elements of General Assembly resolution 57/294 of 20 Dec. 2003.

MALARIA–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (2001-2010) (Agenda item 46) (continued)

General documents

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.56 2001-2010 : Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa : draft resolution / Burundi, Nigeria, South Africa, Sudan, Togo, United Republic of Tanzania and Zambia.

A/59/L.56/Add.1 2001-2010 : Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Dominica, Cameroon, Madagascar, Mali.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.33 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.34 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.35 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.36 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.56 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/256.

MALARIA–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (2001-2010) (Agenda item 46) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/256 2001-2010 : Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa.

Takes note of the note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the WHO and calls for support for the recommendations contained therein; calls upon the international community to continue to support the "Roll Back Malaria" partner organizations as complementary sources of support for the efforts of malaria-endemic countries to combat the disease; appeals to the international community to ensure increased support for bilateral and multilateral assistance to combat malaria in order to assist in the development of national plans to control malaria in malaria-endemic countries and their implementation in a sustained and equitable way that contributes to health system development; urges malaria-endemic countries to increase domestic resource allocation to malaria control; calls upon malaria-endemic countries to establish policies and programmes to ensure a rapid scale-up in the coverage of insecticide-treated nets to at least 60 per cent of those at risk; calls upon the international community to support investment in the development of new medicines and insecticides for the control of malaria in view of the challenging resistance of the parasite to anti-malarial medicines and the resistance of mosquitoes to insecticides; requests the Secretary-General to conduct an evaluation of the measures taken and progress made towards the achievement of the mid-term targets, and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

MALAWI–ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–MALAWI

MALVINAS

See: FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) QUESTION

MEDITERRANEAN REGION–INTERNATIONAL SECURITY

See: INTERNATIONAL SECURITY–MEDITERRANEAN REGION

MERCENARIES–HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS

See: SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

MIDDLE EAST–NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES

See: NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES–MIDDLE EAST

MIDDLE EAST SITUATION (Agenda item 36)

See also: IRAQ-ISRAEL

IRAQ-KUWAIT SITUATION
PALESTINE QUESTION
TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS
TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–NATURAL RESOURCES
UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE–FINANCING
UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON–FINANCING
UNRWA–ACTIVITIES

Reports

A/59/431 The situation in the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 12 Oct. 2004.

A/59/574 (S/2004/909) Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 29 Nov. 2004.

General documents

A/59/362 (S/2004/734) Letter, 14 Sept. 2004, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 27 Aug.-9 Sept. 2004.

A/59/380 (S/2004/757) Identical letters, 23 Sept. 2004, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports latest suicide attack allegedly perpetrated by Palestinian against Israeli citizens in northern Jerusalem, resulted in the deaths of 2 Israeli security forces and injuries to 30 civilians, 22 Sept. 2004; states that Al-Aqsa Martyrs Brigade claimed the responsibility for the attack; states further that the attack was followed by more armed incidents in the Gaza Strip were 3 military personnel were killed.

A/59/392 (S/2004/775) Letter, 29 Sept. 2004, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 2-22 Sept. 2004.

A/59/423 Letter, 5 Oct. 2004, from Lebanon. This document was also issued as S/2004/794.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

MIDDLE EAST SITUATION (Agenda item 36) (continued)

A/59/427 (S/2004/806) Identical letters, 8 Oct. 2004, from Palestine addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns statement made by a senior adviser to the Israeli Prime Minister that allegedly revealed the intention of Israel to use the disengagement plan as a means of "freezing" the peace process and ensuring that there would be no political process with the Palestinians; requests that such revelations should be directly, clearly and urgently addressed by the international community, including by the Quartet.

A/59/435 (S/2004/818) Letter, 14 Oct. 2004, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 15 Sept.-11 Oct. 2004.

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/535 (S/2004/866) Letter, 26 Oct. 2004, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 25 Sept.-18 Oct. 2004.

A/59/541 (S/2004/873) Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits Declaration of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-building Measures in Asia, adopted at their ministerial meeting, held in Almaty, 22 Oct. 2004.

A/59/548 (S/2004/880) Letter, 2 Nov. 2004, from Israel. Reports recent suicide attack allegedly committed by the 16-years-old Palestinian against Israeli citizens in Tel Aviv, resulted in the deaths of 3 civilians and injuries to more than 30 others, 1 Nov. 2004; concerns also an alleged growth in anti-Semitic propaganda and the promotion of martyrdom.

A/59/559 (S/2004/890) Identical letters, 8 Nov. 2004, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports latest attacks allegedly perpetrated by the Hizbollah against targets on the Israeli side of the Blue Line, 7 Nov. 2004, following the earlier similar attacks on 9 and 28 Oct. 2004.

A/59/571 (S/2004/906) Letter, 17 Nov. 2004, from Israel. Reports recent alleged violations of the Blue Line from Lebanese territory, including a rocket attack near the Israeli town of Shlomi, 15 Nov. 2004; reiterates call upon the international community to expect full compliance with Security Council resolutions against terrorism.

A/59/575 (S/2004/911) Letter, 18 Nov. 2004, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 12 Oct.-11 Nov. 2004.

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- A/59/577** (S/2004/922) Letter, 23 Nov. 2004, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 5-20 Nov. 2004.
- A/59/594** (S/2004/954) Identical letters, 6 Dec. 2004, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territorial sea, territory and airspace committed by Israel during the period 12-30 Nov. 2004.
- A/59/595** (S/2004/956) Letter, 6 Dec. 2004, from Lebanon. Refers to letters from Israel dated 9 and 17 Nov. 2004 concerning 2 incidents on the Blue Line and states that Israel had deliberately, and on a daily basis been violating Lebanese territory, airspace and territorial sea.
- A/59/596** (S/2004/957) Letter, 6 Dec. 2004, from Lebanon. Transmits table showing a number of alleged Israeli violations of Lebanese sovereignty occurred in Nov. 2004 and a synoptic table showing the alleged violations from May 2000 to end of Nov. 2004.
- A/59/611** (S/2004/971) Identical letters, 15 Dec. 2004, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territorial sea, territory and airspace committed by Israel during the period 23 Nov. -13 Dec. 2004.
- A/59/658** (S/2004/1021) Identical letters, 28 Dec. 2004, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territorial sea, territory and airspace committed by Israel during the period 4-19 Dec. 2004.
- A/59/659** (S/2004/1027) Letter, 29 Dec. 2004, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Refers to letters from Israel dated 9 and 17 Nov. 2004 (A/59/559-S/2004/890 and A/59/571-S/2004/906) concerning alleged armed attacks against Israel; refutes allegations contained therein and considers them as deliberative attempts to distract the international community.
- A/59/663** (S/2005/5) Letter, 3 Jan. 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits final communiqué and the Manama Declaration, adopted by the Supreme Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council at its 25th session, held in Bahrain, 20-21 Dec. 2004.
- A/59/667** (S/2005/14) Letter, 11 Jan. 2005, from Israel. Reports alleged violation of the Blue Line from Lebanese territory, resulted in the death of an Israeli soldier and of a French UN officer, who was killed in the ensuing exchange of fire, 9 Jan. 2005; concerns also Israeli position regarding its compliance with Security Council resolution 425 (1978).

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- A/59/670** (S/2005/23) Identical letters, 12 Jan. 2005, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Refers to press statement by the President of the Security Council dated 11 Jan. 2005 (SC/8289) and the Secretary-General's press release of 10 Jan. 2005 (SG/SM/9669) and states that the alleged roadside explosive device attributed to Hizbollah was located in the Lebanese Shaba'a farms and not on the Israeli side of the Blue Line.
- A/59/671** (S/2005/24) Identical letters, 11 Jan. 2005, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territorial sea, territory and airspace committed by Israel during the period 26-30 Dec. 2004.
- A/59/672** (S/2005/25) Letter, 11 Jan. 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territorial sea, territory and airspace committed by Israel during the period 1-8 Jan. 2005.
- A/59/673** (S/2005/26) Letter, 11 Jan. 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits statistical table showing alleged violations of Lebanese territorial sea, territory and airspace by Israel during the month of December 2004.
- A/59/677** (S/2005/39) Letter, 18 Jan. 2005, from the Syrian Arab Republic. Refers to letter from Israel (A/59/667-S/2005/14) and refutes accusations against the Syrian Arab Republic regarding the current situation in territories occupied by Israel; concerns the construction of the illegal wall, confiscations of Palestinian lands, Israeli settlement policies, terrorism, adherence to international resolutions and peacebuilding efforts in the Middle East.
- A/59/678** (S/2005/40) Letter, 19 Jan. 2005, from Israel. Concerns recent alleged attacks against Israel citizens in the Gaza Strip, on the Israeli side of the Blue Line, involving Hizbollah, and in the town of Sderot, resulted in the deaths of 7 civilians and 1 military person, and injuries to many others, 9-18 Jan. 2005; calls upon the international community to reaffirm its rejection of terrorist tactics.
- A/59/686** (S/2005/58) Letter, 20 Jan. 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 27 Dec. 2004-17 Jan. 2005.
- A/59/711** (S/2005/105) Letter, 22 Feb. 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 9 Jan.-17 Feb. 2005.
- A/59/712** (S/2005/106) Letter, 23 Feb. 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits statistical table showing the number of alleged Israeli violations of Lebanese airspace and territory between May 2000 and January 2005 and requests UN assistance in resolving this issue.

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A/59/717 (S/2005/130) Letter, 28 Feb. 2005, from Israel. Reports an attack allegedly committed by a Palestinian suicide bomber in Tel Aviv, resulted in the deaths of 5 people and injuries to more than 50 others, 25 Feb. 2005; calls upon the Palestinian leadership and the international community to reaffirm its rejection of terrorist tactics.

A/59/726 (S/2005/143) Note verbale, 7 Mar. 2005, from the Syrian Arab Republic. Refers to document dated 28 Feb. 2005 from Israel (A/59/717-S/2005/130) and denies allegations on Syria's connection to recent armed incident in Tel-Aviv; states that it constitutes distortion of the facts and levels accusations against the Syrian Arab Republic without facts or evidence.

A/59/737 (S/2005/168) Letter, 15 Mar. 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 15 Feb.-13 Mar. 2005.

A/59/739 (S/2005/170) Letter, 11 Mar. 2005, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Refers to the letters of 11 Jan. and 28 Feb. 2005 from Israel (A/59/667-S/2005/14 and A/59/717-S/2005/130) and rejects the allegations contained therein.

A/59/757 (S/2005/208) Letter, 29 Mar. 2005, from Lebanon. Reports that the Lebanese Government approves the decision of the Security Council concerning the establishment of an international commission of inquiry into the assassination of former Prime Minister Rafik Al-Hariri.

A/59/761 (S/2005/215) Letter, 22 Mar. 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits press statement issued at the 94th regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held in Riyadh, 13 Mar. 2005.

A/59/781 (S/2005/250) Identical letters, 15 Apr. 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports recent armed incident perpetrated by the gunman who allegedly infiltrated an Israel Defence Forces outpost near the Israeli-Syrian border, 15 Apr. 2005; states that the responsibility for the incident lies with Syria and calls upon international support for zero tolerance regarding terrorism.

A/59/792 (S/2005/271) Identical letters, 25 Apr. 2005, from the Syrian Arab Republic addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits response to Israeli letter dated 15 Apr. 2005 (A/59/781-S/2005/250) concerning armed incident on Israeli-Syrian border.

A/59/799 (S/2005/304) Letter, 9 May 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits statistical table of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the month of April 2005.

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A/59/802 (S/2005/312) Identical letters, 12 May 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports violations of the Blue Line from Lebanese territory, when a mortar shell was fired allegedly by members of a militia in southern Lebanon at the northern Israeli town of Shlomi, 11 May 2005; states that Lebanon failed to prevent cross-border attacks from its territory and to fully disarm and dismantle armed militias.

A/59/803 (S/2005/314) Letter, 13 May 2005, from the Russian Federation. Transmits, in capacity as host country of the "Quartet" Ministerial meeting of the Middle East Peace Process international intermediaries, final statement of the meeting; concerns commitments of the parties at the Sharm el-Sheikh summit of 8 Feb. 2005.

A/59/805 (S/2005/327) Identical letters, 19 May 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports latest attacks allegedly perpetrated by Hamas against Israeli communities in the Gaza Strip and western Negev, 18 May 2005; calls on the international community to reaffirms its absolute rejection of armed attacks and to make every effort to bring its perpetrators to justice.

A/59/810 (S/2005/339) Identical letters, 23 May 2005, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Responds to allegations made by the Permanent Representative of Israel in its letter dated 12 May 2005 regarding violations of the Blue Line in southern Lebanon.

A/59/819 (S/2005/352) Identical letters, 27 May 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns recent democratic processes occurring in Lebanon as positive developments for the region, in connection with the 5th anniversary of Israel's complete withdrawal from southern Lebanon.

A/59/824 (S/2005/363) Letter, 31 May 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits joint communiqué of the 15th session of the Ministerial Meeting between the Gulf Cooperation Council States and the European Union, held in Manama, Bahrain, 5 Apr. 2005.

A/59/827 (S/2005/369) Letter, 6 June 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits statistical table of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the month of May 2005.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

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A/59/829 (S/2005/375) Identical letters, 7 June 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns continuing alleged armed attacks by Palestinians against Israeli civilians and reports an incident when Qassam rockets were fired at the Israeli town of Sderot, resulted in injuries to 3 Israelis, 7 June 2005; reports also shelling on the same day of the Israeli community of Ganei Tal, resulted in 3 deaths and injuries to 6 people.

A/59/845 (S/2005/386) Note verbale, 13 June 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits press statement issued at the 95th regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held in Riyadh, 11 June 2005.

A/59/848 (S/2005/389) Letter, 14 June 2005, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Refutes allegations contained in the letter dated 12 May 2005 from Israel (A/59/802-S/2005/312) and states that it considers them deliberate attempts to distract international community's attention from Israeli policies in the region.

A/59/854 (S/2005/410) Identical letters, 22 June 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns alleged surge in armed attacks by Palestinians in the last 2 days and reports the thwarting of an alleged planned suicide bombing by a Palestinian woman entering Israel on a medical permit, and 2 other attacks against Israelis, resulted in 2 deaths and an injury, 20 June 2005.

A/59/858 (S/2005/423) Identical letters, 29 June 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns incident along Israel's northern border with Lebanon, allegedly involving the Hizbullah group which crossed the Blue Line with intention of placing explosive charges in Israeli territory near Har Dov mountain area, 29 June 2005.

A/59/859 (S/2005/424) Identical letters, 30 June 2005, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the period 29-30 June 2005.

A/59/865 (S/2005/435) Identical letters, 5 July 2005, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the month of June 2005.

A/59/870 (S/2005/452) Identical letters, 13 July 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports the suicide bombing in a shopping mall in Netanya, Israel, allegedly involving member of the Islamic Jihad organization, 12 July 2005; calls on the international community to urge the Palestinian Authority to take all steps to dismantle terrorist organizations and to condemn the regional States that have allegedly been supporting Palestinian terrorist groups.

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A/59/873 (S/2005/457) Identical letters, 14 July 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports launching of rockets allegedly from the Hamas and Al-Aqsa Martyrs' brigade groups into the Israeli village of Nativ Ha'asara resulting in the death of a woman; urges the international community to support the fight against terrorism and further urges the Palestinian Authority to take all steps to dismantle terrorist organizations.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/59/893 (S/2005/526) Identical letters, 11 Aug. 2005, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the month of July 2005.

A/59/902 (S/2005/546) Letter, 25 Aug. 2005, from Israel. Concerns violation of the Blue Line from Lebanese territory, when a rocket fired allegedly by terrorists hit the Israeli village of Margaliot, 25 Aug. 2005, and calls upon the international community to urge the Government of Lebanon to act against terrorism.

A/59/905 (S/2005/552) Letter, 29 Aug. 2005, from Israel. Concerns a suicide bombing in the Israeli city of Be'er Sheva committed allegedly by the Islamic Jihad, resulted in injuries to 2 security agents and 46 civilians, 28 Aug. 2005; calls upon the international community to reiterate its intolerance of terrorism and to further demand from the Palestinian Authority to take steps to prevent terrorism.

A/59/911 (S/2005/568) Identical letters, 8 Sept. 2005, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the month of August 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.39 Jerusalem : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

A/59/L.40 The Syrian Golan : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

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A/59/L.40/Add.1 The Syrian Golan : draft resolution :
addendum.
Additional sponsor: Lebanon.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.62 (30 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.63 (30 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.64 (1 Dec. 2004).

At the 64th meeting, action on draft resolutions was as follows: draft resolution A/59/L.39, as orally corrected adopted (155-7-15); resolution 59/32; draft resolution A/59/L.40, adopted (111-6-60); resolution 59/33.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/32 Jerusalem.

Reiterates its determination that any actions taken by Israel to impose its laws, jurisdiction and administration on the Holy City of Jerusalem are illegal and therefore null and void and have no validity whatsoever; deplores the transfer by some States of their diplomatic missions to Jerusalem in violation of Security Council resolution 478 (1980), and calls once more upon those States to abide by the provisions of the relevant UN resolutions, in conformity with the Charter of UN; stresses that a comprehensive, just and lasting solution to the question of the City of Jerusalem should take into account the legitimate concerns of both the Palestinian and Israeli sides and should include internationally guaranteed provisions to ensure the freedom of religion and of conscience of its inhabitants, as well as permanent, free and unhindered access to the holy places by the people of all religions and nationalities. (Adopted 155-7-15, 64th plenary meeting, 1 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/33 The Syrian Golan.

Declares that Israel has failed so far to comply with Security Council resolution 497 (1981); calls upon Israel to resume the talks on the Syrian and Lebanese tracks and to respect the commitments and undertakings reached during the previous talks; demands once more that Israel withdraw from all the occupied Syrian Golan to the line of 4 June 1967 in implementation of the relevant Security Council resolutions; calls upon all the parties concerned, the co-sponsors of the peace process and the entire international community to exert all the necessary efforts to ensure the resumption of the peace process and its success by implementing Security Council resolutions 242 (1967) and 338 (1973); requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 111-6-60, 64th plenary meeting, 1 Dec. 2004)

MIGRANT WORKERS (Agenda item 105a)

Reports

A/59/48 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 48) Report of the Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, 1st session (1-5 March 2004).
Issued: 2004.

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A/59/306 Status of the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Aug. 2004.

A/59/597 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 ; international convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings : programme budget implications arising from the decision of the 6th Committee at its 27th meeting, on 19 November 2004 ; International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 ; rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev. 1 ; revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed sessions of 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 6 Dec. 2004.

General documents

A/C.3/59/L.63 International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/21 International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 as orally revised : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.31 International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : draft resolution / Argentina, Colombia, Cuba, Ecuador, Egypt, Guatemala, Mexico, Niger, Philippines and Timor-Leste.

Additional sponsors: Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Chile, El Salvador, Ghana, Grenada, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Indonesia, Mali, Morocco, Mozambique, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru, Senegal, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Tunisia, Uruguay and Yemen (A/59/503/Add.1).

A/C.5/59/L.21 Draft decisions submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.1 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

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Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/639 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.29 (13 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution I in A/59/503/Add.1 (originally A/C.3/59/L.31) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/262.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/262 International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families.

Welcomes the establishment of the Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, as well as the report on its 1st session, held in Geneva 1-5 Mar. 2004, and takes note of the rules of procedure adopted by the Committee; invites the Committee to take into account the work done by other human rights treaty bodies and special procedures of the Commission on Human Rights to promote and protect the human rights of migrant workers, as well as the work of other international forums and other parts of the UN system in addressing issues of international migration; invites States parties to the Convention to consider making the declarations foreseen in articles 76 and 77 of the Convention; requests the Secretary-General to provide all the facilities and assistance necessary for the active promotion of the Convention through the programme of advisory services and technical cooperation in the field of human rights. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

MIGRANTS-PROTECTION (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/328 Protection of migrants : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 3 Sept. 2004.

A/59/377 Report on the human rights of migrants submitted by the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 22 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report submitted by Gabriela Rodríguez Pizarro, Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 58/190 and Commission resolution 2004/53.

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Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.51 Protection of migrants : draft resolution / Burkina Faso, Chile, Cuba, Egypt, El Salvador, Mexico and Peru.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Armenia, Bangladesh, Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Côte d'Ivoire, Ecuador, Gambia, Ghana, Grenada, Guatemala, Kyrgyzstan, Mali, Morocco, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Paraguay, Philippines, Senegal, Somalia, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Togo, Tunisia and Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/59/503/Add.2).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.28 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.53 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution XII in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.51) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/194.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/194 Protection of migrants.

Strongly condemns the manifestations and acts of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance against migrants and the stereotypes often applied to them, and urges States to apply the existing laws when xenophobic or intolerant acts, manifestations or expressions against migrants occur, in order to eradicate impunity for those who commit xenophobic and racist acts; requests States to adopt concrete measures to prevent the violation of the human rights of migrants while in transit, including in ports and airports and at borders and migration checkpoints, to train public officials who work in those facilities and in border areas to treat migrants and their families respectfully and in accordance with the law, and to prosecute, in conformity with applicable law, any act of violation of the human rights of migrants and their families; encourages States to review and examine the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Special Rapporteur and to consider their re-implementation. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

MIGRATION-DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 87b)

Reports

A/59/325 International migration and development : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 Sept. 2004.

**MIGRATION–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 87b)
(continued)**

General documents

A/59/73 Letter, 5 Apr. 2004, from El Salvador. Transmits note dated 17 Mar. 2004 from the Minister for Foreign Affairs concerning the launching of the Global Commission on International Migration, with a view to discussing ways of resolving various problems resulting from international migration.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.21 International migration and development : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.54 (A/59/485/Add.2).

A/C.2/59/L.54 International migration and development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Antonio Bernardini (Italy), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.21.

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/485 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/485/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.20 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.21 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.22 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.27 (5 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.37 (3 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/485/Add.2 (originally A/C.2/59/L.54) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/241.

**MIGRATION–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 87b)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/241 International migration and development.

Reconfirms that the Secretary-General will report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the organizational details of the 2006 high-level dialogue; calls upon all relevant bodies, agencies, funds and programmes of the UN system and other relevant intergovernmental, regional and subregional organizations, within their continuing mandated activities, to continue to address the issue of international migration and development, with a view to integrating migration issues, including a gender perspective and cultural diversity, in a more coherent way within the broader context of the implementation of agreed economic and social development goals and respect for all human rights; encourages Governments of countries of origin, countries of transit and countries of destination to increase cooperation on issues related to migration; reaffirms the need to adopt policies and undertake measures to reduce the cost of the transfer of migrant remittances to developing countries, and welcomes the efforts of Governments and stakeholders in this regard; requests the Secretary-General, within existing resources, to prepare a comprehensive overview of studies and analyses on the multidimensional aspects of migration and development, including the effects of migration on economic and social development in developed and developing countries, and on the effects of the movements of highly skilled migrant workers and those with advanced education; also requests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 61st session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

MILITARY BUDGETS (Agenda item 57)

Reports

A/59/192 Objective information on military matters, including transparency of military expenditures : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 July 2004. - Contains information received from 67 Member States on their military expenditures for the latest fiscal year for which data were available, submitted in response to the request in General Assembly resolution 58/28.

A/59/192/Add.1 Objective information on military matters, including transparency of military expenditures : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 21 Dec. 2004. - Contains replies received from Governments.

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/451 Report of the 1st Committee.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 1st Committee (A/59/451): decision 59/512.

MILLENNIUM ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS

See: MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)–
FOLLOW-UP

MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55)

Reports

A/59/282 Implementation of the United Nations Millennium Declaration : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 27 Aug. 2004.

A/59/282/Corr.1 Implementation of the United Nations Millennium Declaration : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 22 Sept. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/545 Modalities, format and organization of the high-level plenary meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Nov. 2004.

A/59/565 Note [transmitting report of the High-level Panel on Threats, Challenges and Change, entitled "A more secure world : our shared responsibility"] / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 2 Dec. 2004. - Transmits letter dated 1 Dec. 2004 from the Chair of the UN High-level Panel on Threats, Challenges and Change enclosing the report of the Panel entitled "A more secure world: our shared responsibility".

A/59/565/Corr.1 Note [transmitting report of the High-level Panel on Threats, Challenges and Change, entitled "A more secure world : our shared responsibility"] : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 6 Dec. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/613 Modalities, format and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.53 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 16 Dec. 2004.

A/59/727 Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 7 Mar. 2005. - Transmits the overview of the Millennium Project's final report, entitled "Investing in development: a practical plan to achieve the Millennium Development Goals".

A/59/2005 In larger freedom : towards development, security and human rights for all : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Mar. 2005.

A/59/2005/Add.1 In larger freedom : towards development, security and human rights for all : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : Human Rights Council : explanatory note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 May 2005.

MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55) (continued)

A/59/2005/Add.2 In larger freedom : towards development, security and human rights for all : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : Peacebuilding Commission : explanatory note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 May 2005.

A/59/2005/Add.3 In larger freedom : towards development, security and human rights for all : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : letter dated 26 May 2005 from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly.
Issued: 26 May 2005.

General documents

A/59/98 (E/2004/79) Letter, 2 June 2004, from Finland and the United Republic of Tanzania. Transmits report entitled "A fair globalization: creating opportunities for all", which was issued by the World Commission on the Social Dimension of Globalization, co-chaired by the Presidents of Finland and the United Republic of Tanzania.

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

A/59/124 (S/2004/532) Letter, 1 July 2004, from Uzbekistan. Transmits the Tashkent Declaration of Heads of Shanghai Cooperation Organization States, adopted at their summit held in Tashkent, Uzbekistan, 17 June 2004.

A/59/155 (E/2004/96) Letter, 15 July 2004, from Canada and Mexico. Refers to report entitled "Unleashing entrepreneurship: making business work for the poor" presented to the Secretary-General by the Commission on the Private Sector and Development and transmits an extract from the report of relevance to the work of the UN particularly in the economic and social field.

A/59/398 Identical letters, 20 Sept. 2004, from Brazil, Chile, France and Spain addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the General Assembly. Transmits report entitled "Action against hunger and poverty" prepared by the Technical Group on Innovative Financing Mechanisms deriving from the 2004 Geneva Declaration which was subscribed by the Presidents of Brazil, Chile, France and Spain, with the support of the Secretary-General of the UN.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

**MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)–
FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55) (continued)**

A/59/660 Letter, 28 Dec. 2004, from Uzbekistan.

Transmits statement by the international observers of the Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS) on the results of observation of election of the Lower (Legislative) Chamber of Oliy Majlis (Parliament) of Uzbekistan, held on 26 Dec. 2004; states that the observers believe that the elections were conducted by the Central Electoral Commission of Uzbekistan and the electoral commissions in accordance with the provisions of the electoral legislation of the Republic of Uzbekistan, and that they recognize elections as legitimate, free and transparent.

A/59/705 Letter, 16 Feb. 2005, from Algeria, Australia, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Germany, Japan, Kenya, Mexico, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Pakistan, Singapore, Spain and Sweden. Transmits statement issued on 17 Jan. 2005 by the member countries of the Group of Friends for the reform of the UN, encompassing Algeria, Australia, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Germany, Japan, Kenya, Mexico, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Pakistan, Singapore, Spain and Sweden, that met in Mexico City to examine the Group's future activities regarding the promotion of reform of the UN in the light of the report entitled "A more secure world: our shared responsibility", prepared by the High-level Panel on Threats, Challenges and Change.

A/59/719 (E/2005/12) Letter, 23 Feb. 2005, from Brazil, Chile, France, Germany and Spain. Transmit joint statement and a working document adopted by Brazil, Chile, France, Germany and Spain, members of the Technical Group on Innovative Financial Mechanisms, established pursuant to the Geneva Declaration on Action against Hunger and Poverty, Brasília, on 11 Feb. 2005; focuses on proposals on how to finance the Millennium Development Goals and measures to facilitate remittances.

A/59/733 (S/2005/155) Letter, 7 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan. Transmits statement of representatives of Central Asian States on the establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Central Asia, adopted at the UN-sponsored meeting on the Central Asian nuclear-weapon-free zone, held on 8 Feb. 2004 in Tashkent.

A/59/814 Letter, 16 May, 2005, from Chile and Mali. Transmits document entitled "Santiago commitment: cooperating for democracy" adopted at the 3rd Ministerial Conference of the Community of Democracies, Santiago, 28-30 Apr. 2005.

A/59/825 Letter, 1 June 2005, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Transmits letter of Seyed Mohammad Khatami, President of the Islamic Republic of Iran, enclosing the Tehran communiqué, adopted by the International Conference on Environment, Peace and the Dialogue among Civilizations and Culture, held in Tehran, 9-10 May 2005.

**MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)–
FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55) (continued)**

A/59/830 Letter, 3 June 2005, from Brazil and Japan.

Transmits joint statement concerning cooperation between Japan and Brazil on the UN reform, issued by the Prime Minister of Japan and the President of Brazil, in Tokyo on 26 May 2005.

A/59/842 Letter, 8 June 2005, from China. Transmits position paper of China on the UN reform; states that reforms should enhance the UN authority and efficiency and should accommodate the propositions and concerns of all UN members; presents proposals on development issues, security issues and on the rule of law, human rights and democracy.

A/59/844 Letter, 13 June 2005, from the United Kingdom. Reports that the United Kingdom hosted a meeting of experts on 16 May 2005 with representatives of international and regional organizations from 22 countries to discuss the principle of an arms trade treaty; attaches the Chairman's conclusion of the meeting, reflecting the overall direction and content of discussion but not representing a binding commitment for the participants.

A/59/847 (E/2005/73) Summary of the open-ended informal consultations held by the Commission on Human Rights pursuant to Economic and Social Council decision 2005/217 prepared by the Chairperson of the 61st session of the Commission : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits letter from the Chairperson of the 61st session of the Commission on Human Rights attaching summary of the informal consultations.

A/59/852 High-level Meeting of the General Assembly on HIV/AIDS : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

Transmits summaries of the discussions of the 5 round tables of the High-level Meeting of the General Assembly to review the progress achieved in realizing the commitments set out the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS.

A/59/856 Note verbale, 24 June 2005, from Costa Rica. Transmits document entitled "Security Council enlargement and the cascade effect: enlargement of the permanent member category and its effects on the United Nations System", prepared by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship of Costa Rica.

A/59/863 (S/2005/427) Letter, 30 June 2005, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement by the heads of State of Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation and Tajikistan, adopted on 23 June 2005 by the Council on Collective Security of the Collective Security Treaty Organization (CSTO) concerning continued efforts to ensure international peace in the area of CSTO responsibility.

A/59/867 Letter, 6 July 2005, from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Refers to annex in letter dated 25 May 2005 (A/59/814) entitled "Santiago Ministerial Commitment: cooperating for democracy" and expresses Venezuela's reservations to this commitment.

**MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)–
FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55) (continued)**

- A/59/875** Letter, 15 July 2005, from China and the Russian Federation. Transmits joint statement on the international order of the 21st century, signed by the Presidents of the People's Republic of China and the Russian Federation, 1 July 2005.
- A/59/876** Note verbale, 15 July 2005, from the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya. Transmits proposal by Colonel Muammar Qaddafi concerning the problem of the Security Council and the reform of the UN with reference to Africa and the world.
- A/59/878** Letter, 19 July 2005, from the Russian Federation. Transmits position paper of the Russian Federation on reform of the institutions and mechanisms of the UN in the area of human rights; calls for caution to be exercised on reform issues as some of the proposals require thorough and complex research into all the consequences.
- A/59/880** Note verbale. 13 July 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, declaration adopted by the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Non-Aligned Movement at their special meeting held in Doha, Qatar, on 13 June 2005.
- A/59/881** Note verbale, 20 July 2005, from Costa Rica. Transmits document entitled "Elections by fatigue: some considerations on the proposed election procedure for new permanent members of the Security Council", prepared by the Government of Costa Rica as a contribution to the efforts to reform and revitalize the Security Council and the UN.
- A/59/884** (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.
- A/59/885** (S/2005/496) Identical letters, 28 July 2005, from Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the General Assembly. Refers to the Security Council's closed meeting on 27 July 2005 on the agenda item "The situation in Georgia"; questions the Presidency for declining Azerbaijan's request to participate in the meeting without the right to vote.
- A/59/900** Letter, 5 Aug. 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits, in the capacity of Chairman of the Arab Group, resolution no. 314 and the Declaration issued by the Joint Ministerial Conference of Arab Ministers of Social Affairs and Planning on the Millennium Development Goals which met on 30 June 2005 in Cairo.
- A/C.5/59/25** Modalities, format and organization of the High-level plenary meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.53 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

**MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)–
FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55) (continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/59/L.30** Enhancing capacity-building in global public health : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Bhutan, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cameroon, Canada, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Gambia, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Maldives, Mali, Mauritius, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Mozambique, Myanmar, Namibia, Nepal, Netherlands, New Zealand, Niger, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Samoa, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Togo, Tunisia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uganda, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Uzbekistan, Venezuela, Vietnam, Zambia and Zimbabwe.
- A/59/L.30/Add.1** Enhancing capacity-building in global public health : draft resolution : addendum.
Additional sponsors: Albania, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Cape Verde, Comoros, Dominican Republic, Estonia, Georgia, Ghana, Guinea, Guyana, Ireland, Jordan, Latvia, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malta, Mauritania, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nauru, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Portugal, Saint Lucia, San Marino, Seychelles, Suriname, Swaziland, Sweden, Trinidad and Tobago, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, Uruguay and Yemen.
- A/59/L.38** A fair globalization : creating opportunities for all; report of the World Commission on the Social Dimension of Globalization : draft resolution / Angola, Argentina, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Chile, China, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Ethiopia, Finland, Gabon, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Malaysia, Morocco, Nigeria, Panama, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania and Zimbabwe.

**MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)–
FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55) (continued)**

A/59/L.38/Add.1 A fair globalization : creating opportunities for all; report of the World Commission on the Social Dimension of Globalization : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Tunisia, Turkey, United Kingdom, Uruguay and Zambia.

A/59/L.53 Modalities, format and organization of the High-level plenary meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

A/59/L.60 Preparation for and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

A/59/L.70 Draft outcome document of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly of September 2005 : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/615 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.32 (17 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.58 (22 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.59 (22 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.60 (23 Nov. 2004).

At the 60th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.30 was adopted, as orally revised, without vote: resolution 59/27.

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.38 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/57.

A/59/PV.68 (8 Dec. 2004).

A/59/PV.73 (17 Dec. 2004).

At the 73rd meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.53, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/145.

A/59/PV.83 (21 Mar. 2005).

A/59/PV.85 (6 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.86 (6 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.86/Corr.1 (6 Apr. 2005).
Corrects text.

A/59/PV.87 (7 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.88 (7 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.89 (8 Apr. 2005).

**MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)–
FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55) (continued)**

A/59/PV.90 (8 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.92 (15 Apr. 2005).

At the 92nd meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.60 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/291.

A/59/PV.105 (23 June 2005).

A/59/PV.118 (13 Sept. 2005).

At the 118th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.70 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/314.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/27 Enhancing capacity-building in global public health.

Urges Member States to further integrate public health into their national economic and social development strategies and calls upon them and the international community to raise awareness of good public health practices, including through education and the mass media; calls for the improvement of the global public health preparedness and response systems, including systems of prevention and monitoring of infectious diseases; invites the regional commissions of ECOSOC to cooperate closely with Member States, the private sector and civil society, when requested, in their capacity-building in public health; requests the Secretary-General to include observations on the issue of enhancing capacity-building in global public health in his report on the follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit of the UN to be submitted to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 60th plenary meeting, 23 Nov. 2004)

A/RES/59/57 A fair globalization : creating opportunities for all - report of the World Commission on the Social Dimension of Globalization.

Decides to consider the wider challenges and opportunities linked to the issue of globalization, including those in the report of the World Commission, within the framework of the comprehensive review of the implementation of the UN Millennium Declaration, under resolution 58/291, and the 10-year review of the further implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development by the Commission for Social Development in 2005; calls upon the organs and bodies of the UN, and invites the organizations of the UN system, to consider within their mandates the report of the World Commission, and also calls upon Member States to consider the report; requests the Secretary-General to take into account, inter alia, the report of the World Commission in his comprehensive report for the high-level review of 2005 at the 60th session of the General Assembly, within the follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit of the UN. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

**MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)–
FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55) (continued)**

A/RES/59/145 Modalities, format and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly.

Decides that the High-level Plenary Meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly shall be held 14-16 Sept. 2005 in New York; decides also to hold the High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development on 27 and 28 June 2005 in New York; strongly urges all Member States to take a positive interest in the process of formal and informal consultations leading to the High-level Plenary Meeting and to engage actively, at the highest level of government, with a view to reaching a successful outcome of the High-level Plenary Meeting. (Adopted without vote, 73rd plenary meeting, 17 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/291 Preparation for and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly.

Decides that the Holy See, in its capacity as observer State, and Palestine, in its capacity as observer, shall participate in the High-level Plenary Meeting; decides also that the plenary meetings shall be organized in accordance with the modalities set forth in annex I to the present resolution and that the list of speakers for the plenary meetings shall be established in accordance with the procedure set forth in that annex; decides further that the round-table sessions shall be organized in accordance with the modalities set forth in annex II to the present resolution; decides that the separate meeting on Financing for Development to be held within the framework of the High-level Plenary Meeting shall be held on 14 Sept. 2005, immediately following the adjournment of the opening plenary meeting; decides also that the President of the General Assembly shall preside over the informal interactive hearings to be held on 23 and 24 June 2005 with representatives of non-governmental organizations, civil society organizations and the private sector, and that the hearings shall be organized in accordance with the modalities set forth in annex III to the present resolution, and requests the President of the Assembly to prepare a summary of the hearings to be issued as an Assembly document prior to the High-level Plenary Meeting in Sept. 2005. (Adopted without vote, 92nd plenary meeting, 15 Apr. 2005)

A/RES/59/314 Draft outcome document of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly of September 2005.

Decides to refer the annexed draft outcome document of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly, to be held 14-16 Sept. 2005, for its consideration. (Adopted without vote, 118th plenary meeting, 13 Sept. 2005)

MILLENNIUM SUMMIT OF THE UNITED NATIONS

See: MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)–
FOLLOW-UP

MINE CLEARANCE (Agenda item 22)

See also: DISARMAMENT–GENERAL AND COMPLETE
HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

Reports

A/59/284 Assistance in mine action : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Aug. 2004.

A/59/284/Add.1 Assistance in mine action : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : eliminating the threat of landmines and explosive remnants of war : United Nations advocacy strategy for 2004-2005.

Issued: 20 Aug. 2004. - Concerns the new UN mine action advocacy strategy, endorsed by the Inter-Agency Coordination Group on Mine Action in April 2004.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/59/L.9 Assistance in mine action : draft decision / Netherlands.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/467 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.18 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.19 (29 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft decision in A/59/467 (originally A/C.4/59/L.9) was adopted without vote: decision 59/516.

MINURSO

See: UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN
WESTERN SAHARA–FINANCING

MINUSTAH

See: UN STABILIZATION MISSION IN HAITI–FINANCING

**MODEL LEGISLATIVE PROVISIONS ON
PRIVATELY FINANCED INFRASTRUCTURE
PROJECTS OF THE UNITED NATIONS
COMMISSION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW
(2003)**

See: INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW

MONTERREY CONSENSUS (2002)

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCES (2002 :
MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP

**MONTERREY CONSENSUS OF THE
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING
FOR DEVELOPMENT (2002)**

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCES (2002 :
MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP

MONTserrat QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the
Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the
Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of
Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for
2004.

Issued: 2004.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/478
entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda,
the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam,
Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos
Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted
without vote: resolution 59/134.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-VII] Montserrat.

Calls upon the administering Power, the specialized
agencies and other organizations of the UN system, as
well as regional and other organizations, to continue to
provide assistance to the Territory in alleviating the
consequences of the volcanic eruption; welcomes the
continuing constitutional review process led by the
Government of Montserrat in cooperation with the
administering Power. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary
meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

MONUA

See: UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS IN ANGOLA–
FINANCING

MONUC

See: UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE DEMOCRATIC
REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO–FINANCING

**MOUNTAIN AREAS–SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 85h)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.61 Rendering assistance to the poor mountain
countries to overcome obstacles in socio-economic and
ecological areas : draft resolution / Kyrgyzstan.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Albania,
Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bolivia, Costa Rica, Georgia,
Honduras, Kazakhstan, Nepal, Tajikistan and
Turkmenistan (A/59/483/Add.8).

A/C.2/59/L.61/Rev.1 Rendering assistance to poor
mountain countries to overcome obstacles in socio-
economic and ecological areas : revised draft resolution
/ Albania, Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bolivia,
Costa Rica, Georgia, Honduras, Kazakhstan,
Kyrgyzstan, Nepal, Tajikistan and Turkmenistan.

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/483/Add.8 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.38 (7 Dec. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.39 (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in
A/59/483/Add.8 (originally A/C.2/59/L.61/Rev.1) was
adopted without vote: resolution 59/238.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/238 Rendering assistance to poor mountain
countries to overcome obstacles in socio-economic and
ecological areas.

Decides to consider at its 60th session, under the
item "Sustainable development", a sub-item entitled
"Rendering assistance to the poor mountain countries to
overcome obstacles in socio-economic and ecological
areas", bearing in mind its resolution 58/216. (Adopted
without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

MOZAMBIQUE–ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–MOZAMBIQUE

**MULTILATERALISM–DISARMAMENT (Agenda
item 65n)**

Reports

A/59/128 Promotion of multilateralism in the area of
disarmament and non-proliferation : report of the
Secretary-General.

Issued: 6 July 2004.

A/59/128/Add.1 Promotion of multilateralism in the area
of disarmament and non-proliferation : report of the
Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 10 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft
resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session,
1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

MULTILATERALISM–DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 65n) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.11 Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non-proliferation : draft resolution / Malaysia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Countries].
Additional sponsor: Burkina Faso (A/C.1/59/INF/2).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.11) was adopted (125-9-49): resolution 59/69.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/69 Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non-proliferation.

Urges the participation of all interested States in multilateral negotiations on arms regulation, non-proliferation and disarmament in non-discriminatory and transparent manner; underlines importance of preserving existing agreements on arms regulation and disarmament; calls once again upon all Member States to renew and fulfil their individual and collective commitments to multilateral cooperation; requests the States parties to relevant instruments on weapons of mass destruction to consult and cooperate among themselves in resolving their concerns with regard to cases of non-compliance as well as on implementation and to refrain from resorting to threatening to resort to unilateral actions or directing unverified non-compliance accusations against one another to resolve their concerns; requests the Secretary-General to seek the views of Member States on the issue of the promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non-proliferation and to submit a report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session.
(Adopted 125-9-49, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

MULTILINGUALISM (Agenda item 156)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.62 Multilingualism : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Chile, China, Colombia, Comoros, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Egypt, El Salvador, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Ireland, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lebanon, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mexico, Monaco, Morocco, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Oman, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Rwanda, San Marino, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Seychelles, Slovakia, Slovenia, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Togo, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Uruguay, Uzbekistan, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Viet Nam.

A/59/L.62/Add.1 Multilingualism : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Brazil, Croatia, Paraguay, Saint Lucia, Ukraine.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.62 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/309.

MULTILINGUALISM (Agenda item 156) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/309 Multilingualism.

Underlines the need for full implementation of the resolutions establishing language arrangements for the official languages of the UN and the working languages of the Secretariat; emphasizes the paramount importance of the equality of the 6 official languages of the UN; requests the Secretary-General to continue to ensure, through the provision of documentation services and meeting and publishing services under conference management, including high-quality translation and interpretation, effective multilingual communication among representatives of Member States in intergovernmental organs and members of expert bodies of the UN equally in all the official languages of the UN; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that vacancy announcements specify the need for either of the working languages of the Secretariat, unless the functions of the post require a specific working language; reaffirms the need to achieve full parity among the 6 official languages on the UN website; calls upon Member States and the Secretariat to promote the preservation and protection of all languages used by peoples of the world; requests the Secretary-General to report to it at its 61st session on the measures that can be taken by international organizations within the UN system in order to strengthen the protection, promotion and preservation of all languages and to submit a comprehensive report on the implementation of its resolutions on multilingualism; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 61st session the item entitled "Multilingualism". (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

MYANMAR–HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–MYANMAR

NARCOTIC DRUGS (Agenda item 97)

Reports

A/59/188 International cooperation against the world drug problem : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 29 July 2004.

General documents

A/59/124 (S/2004/532) Letter, 1 July 2004, from Uzbekistan. Transmits the Tashkent Declaration of Heads of Shanghai Cooperation Organization States, adopted at their summit held in Tashkent, Uzbekistan, 17 June 2004.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

NARCOTIC DRUGS (Agenda item 97) (continued)

A/59/754 (S/2005/197) Letter, 10 Mar. 2005, from Croatia. Transmits the Zagreb Declaration on International Cooperation on Counter-Terrorism, Corruption and the Fight against Transnational Organized Crime, adopted at the expert workshop on "International cooperation on counter-terrorism, corruption and the fight against transnational organized crime", held on 7-9 Mar. 2005 in Zagreb; includes conclusions of the expert workshop.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/59/853 Letter, 15 June 2005, from Burkina Faso. Transmits report of the national seminar on the implementation of the universal instruments to combat terrorism, transnational organized crime and corruption, held 5-7 Jan. 2005.

A/59/882 (S/2005/488) Note verbale, 25 July 2005, from Cape Verde. Transmits action plan adopted by the Regional Expert Workshop on the Ratification and Implementation of the Universal Instruments Against Terrorism, Transnational Organized Crime and Corruption as well as on the Drafting of Reports of the Counter-Terrorism Committee of the UN Security Council, held in Praia, 8-10 Dec. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/59/895 (S/2005/527) Note verbale, 12 Aug. 2005, from Egypt. Transmits recommendations adopted by the National Workshop on Legal Instruments to Combat Terrorism, held in Cairo, 21-22 Dec. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.10 Control of cultivation of and trafficking in cannabis : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.11 Providing support to the Government of Afghanistan in its efforts to eliminate illicit opium and foster stability and security in the region : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

NARCOTIC DRUGS (Agenda item 97) (continued)

A/C.3/59/L.12 Follow-up on strengthening the systems of control over chemical precursors and preventing their diversion and trafficking : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits draft resolution recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.19 International cooperation against the world drug problem : draft resolution / Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico, Peru, Russian Federation, Thailand, Turkey and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Belarus, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Monaco, Panama, Singapore, South Africa and Tajikistan (A/59/495).

A/C.3/59/L.19/Rev.1 International cooperation against the world drug problem : revised draft resolution / Afghanistan, Algeria, Andorra, Argentina, Austria, Bahamas, Belarus, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Russian Federation, Singapore, South Africa, Tajikistan, Thailand, Turkey, United States of America, Uruguay and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Armenia, Bangladesh, Belgium, Belize, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, China, Comoros, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, Egypt, Estonia, Gambia, Ghana, Grenada, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, India, Indonesia, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mongolia, Morocco, Myanmar, Namibia, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Philippines, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom, Ukraine, Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe (A/59/495).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/495 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.6 (8 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.7 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.8 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.9 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.13 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.18 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

NARCOTIC DRUGS (Agenda item 97) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/495 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.10), adopted without vote: resolution 59/160; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/59/L.11), adopted without vote: resolution 59/161; draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/59/L.12), adopted without vote: resolution 59/162; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.3/59/L.19/Rev.1), adopted without vote: resolution 59/163.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/160 Control of cultivation of and trafficking in cannabis.

Urges Member States, in accordance with the principle of shared responsibility and as a sign of their commitment to the fight against illicit drugs, to extend cooperation to affected States, particularly in Africa, in the area of alternative development, including funding for research into crops offering viable alternatives to cannabis, environmental protection and technical assistance; urges all Member States to encourage appropriate access to international markets for products of alternative development projects in order to support efforts aimed at eliminating the production of narcotic drugs and promoting sustainable development; calls upon all States to ensure strict compliance with all the provisions of the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, that Convention as amended by the 1972 Protocol, the Convention on Psychotropic Substances of 1971 and the UN Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances of 1988; requests the Executive Director of the UN Office on Drugs and Crime to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its 48th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

NARCOTIC DRUGS (Agenda item 97) (continued)

A/RES/59/161 Providing support to the Government of Afghanistan in its efforts to eliminate illicit opium and foster stability and security in the region.

Expresses its support for the efforts of Member States aimed at strengthening regional cooperation in order to counter the threat to the international community posed by the illicit cultivation of opium poppy in Afghanistan and its illicit trade; urges all stakeholders to accelerate efforts to implement a combined strategy, comprising law enforcement, eradication, interdiction, demand reduction and awareness-building, including alternative livelihoods conceived in a broader development context than currently understood, with a view to creating sustainable livelihoods, independent of illicit opium; requests the UN Office on Drugs and Crime, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds or from earmarked funds, and encourages concerned Member States, international organizations and financial institutions to routinely mainstream counter-narcotics measures as part of their development cooperation strategies, in coordination with the development objectives of the Government of Afghanistan, so that sustainable alternative livelihoods are created in Afghanistan. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/162 Follow-up on strengthening the systems of control over chemical precursors and preventing their diversion and trafficking.

Urges all Member States to put in place systems and procedures to ensure that the details of any interdiction, seizure, diversion or attempted diversion of precursors are communicated expeditiously to all Governments concerned and the International Narcotics Control Board and, insofar as possible, share relevant information so that methods frequently used for national and international trafficking in chemicals may be identified; encourages Member States to ensure that stopped diversion attempts receive the same investigative attention that would be afforded to a seizure of the same substance, since such cases could provide valuable intelligence that could prevent diversions elsewhere; requests the International Narcotics Control Board, pursuant to Economic and Social Council resolution 1995/20 of 24 July 1995, to monitor international trade so that diversion attempts can be identified, preventing chemical precursors from reaching the illicit market; requests the Secretary-General to provide the necessary resources to the International Narcotics Control Board to enable it to continue its work effectively under Operation Purple, Operation Topaz and Project Prism. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

NARCOTIC DRUGS (Agenda item 97) (continued)

A/RES/59/163 International cooperation against the world drug problem.

Calls upon all States to strengthen their efforts in the fight against the world drug problem, in order to achieve the objectives targeted for 2008 in the Political Declaration adopted by the General Assembly at the 12th special session; calls upon all relevant actors to continue their close cooperation with Governments in promoting and implementing the outcome of the 20th special session and the ministerial segment of the 46th session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs; stresses that data collection, analysis and evaluation of the results of ongoing national and international policies are essential tools for further developing sound, evidence-based drug control strategies; emphasizes that the multidimensional nature of the world drug problem calls for the promotion of integration and coordination of drug control activities throughout the UN system, including in the follow-up to major UN conferences, as well as in other relevant multilateral institutions and organizations. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

NATIONALITY-STATE SUCCESSION (Agenda item 138)

General documents

A/59/180 Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States : note : / by the Secretariat.

A/59/180/Add.1 Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States : note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/59/180/Add.2 Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States : note : addendum : comments and observations received from Governments / by the Secretariat.

A/59/427 (S/2004/806) Identical letters, 8 Oct. 2004, from Palestine addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns statement made by a senior adviser to the Israeli Prime Minister that allegedly revealed the intention of Israel to use the disengagement plan as a means of "freezing" the peace process and ensuring that there would be no political process with the Palestinians; requests that such revelations should be directly, clearly and urgently addressed by the international community, including by the Quartet.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.24 Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States : draft resolution.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/504 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.15 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.26 (17 Nov. 2004).

NATIONALITY-STATE SUCCESSION (Agenda item 138) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/904 (originally A/C.6/59/L.24) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/34.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/34 Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States.

Reiterates its invitation to Governments to take into account the provisions of the articles in dealing with issues of nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States; encourages States to consider the elaboration of legal instruments regulating questions of natural persons in relation to the succession of States; invites Governments to submit comments concerning the advisability of elaborating a legal instrument on the question of nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 63rd session the item entitled "Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States". (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

**NATURAL RESOURCES-TERRITORIES
OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL**

See: TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-NATURAL
RESOURCES

NEW CALEDONIA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.11 (18 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/478 entitled "Question of New Caledonia" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/132.

**NEW CALEDONIA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/132 Question of New Caledonia.

Urges all the parties involved, to maintain, in the framework of the Nouméa Accord, their dialogue in a spirit of harmony; notes the relevant provisions of the Nouméa Accord aimed at taking more broadly into account the Kanak identity in the political and social organization of New Caledonia, and also those provisions of the Accord relating to control of immigration and protection of local employment; also notes the relevant provisions of the Nouméa Accord to the effect that New Caledonia may become a member of certain international organizations, such as international organizations in the Pacific region, the UN, UNESCO and the ILO, according to their regulations; calls upon the administering Power to transmit information regarding the political, economic and social situation of New Caledonia to the Secretary-General; invites all the parties involved to continue promoting a framework for the peaceful progress of the Territory towards an act of self-determination; decides to keep under continuous review the process unfolding in New Caledonia as a result of the signing of the Nouméa Accord; requests the Special Committee to continue to examine the question of the Non-Self-Governing Territory of New Caledonia and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

**NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES-SECURITY
(Agenda item 63)**

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions: General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee: information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.44 Conclusion of effective international arrangements to assure non-nuclear-weapon States against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons: draft resolution / Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Colombia, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Egypt, El Salvador, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Malaysia, Myanmar, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Viet Nam and Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Mali and Nigeria (A/59/457).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/457 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES–SECURITY
(Agenda item 63) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/457 (originally A/C.1/59/L.44) was adopted (118-0-63); resolution 59/64.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/64 Conclusion of effective international arrangements to assure non-nuclear-weapon States against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons.

Appeals to all States, especially the nuclear-weapon States, to work actively towards an early agreement on a common approach and, in particular, on a common formula that could be included in an international instrument of a legally binding character; recommends that further intensive efforts be devoted to the search for such a common approach or common formula and that the various alternative approaches, including, in particular, those considered in the Conference on Disarmament, be explored further in order to overcome the difficulties; also recommends that the Conference on Disarmament actively continue intensive negotiations with a view to reaching early agreement and concluding effective international arrangements to assure the non-nuclear-weapon States against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons. (Adopted 118-0-63, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS

See: IAEA–REPORTS (2003)

**NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES–
ECONOMIC INTERESTS (Agenda item 80)**

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/475 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.4 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.5 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.6 (8 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution in A/59/475 entitled "Economic and other activities which affect the interests of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories" was adopted (173-3-3); resolution 59/128.

**NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES–
ECONOMIC INTERESTS (Agenda item 80)**
(continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/128 Economic and other activities which affect the interests of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories.

Reaffirms the right of peoples of Non-Self-Governing Territories to self-determination as well as their right to the enjoyment of their natural resources and their right to dispose of those resources in their best interest; reiterates that the damaging exploitation and plundering of the marine and other natural resources of the Non-Self-Governing Territories, are a threat to the integrity of those Territories; invites all Governments and organizations to take all possible measures to ensure that the permanent sovereignty of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories over their natural resources is fully respected and safeguarded; calls upon the administering Powers concerned to ensure that no discriminatory working conditions prevail in their Territories; requests the Secretary-General to continue to inform world public opinion of any activity that affects the exercise of the right of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories to self-determination; decides to follow the situation in the Non-Self-Governing Territories so as to ensure that all economic activities in those Territories are aimed at strengthening and diversifying their economies in the interest of their peoples, and at promoting the viability of those Territories; requests the Special Committee to continue to examine this question and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted 173-3-3, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

**NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES–
FELLOWSHIPS (Agenda item 82)**

See also: DECOLONIZATION

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

Reports

A/59/74 Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 10 May 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/59/L.5 Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories : draft resolution / Algeria, Argentina, China, Cuba, Egypt, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Nigeria, Singapore, Thailand, United Republic of Tanzania.

Additional sponsors: Ghana, Papua New Guinea and Philippines (A/59/477).

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/477 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES– FELLOWSHIPS (Agenda item 82) (continued)

A/C.4/59/SR.4 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.5 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.6 (8 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution in A/59/477 (originally A/C.4/59/L.5) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/130.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/130 Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories.

Invites all States to make or continue to make generous offers of study and training facilities to the inhabitants of those Territories that have not yet attained self-government or independence and, wherever possible, to provide travel funds to prospective students; urges the administering Powers to take effective measures to ensure the widespread and continuous dissemination in the Territories under their administration of information relating to offers of study and training facilities made by States and to provide all the necessary facilities to enable students to avail themselves of such offers; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution; draws the attention of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples to the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES–REPORTS (Agenda item 79)

See also: DECOLONIZATION

DECOLONIZATION–UN SYSTEM

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

Reports

A/59/71 Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 23 Apr. 2004.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/474 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.4 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.5 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.6 (8 Oct. 2004).

NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES–REPORTS (Agenda item 79) (continued)

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution in A/59/474 entitled "Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations" was adopted (172-0-6): resolution 59/127.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/127 Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations.

Reaffirms that, in the absence of a decision by the General Assembly itself that a Non-Self-Governing Territory has attained a full measure of self-government in terms of Chapter XI of the Charter of the UN, the administering Power concerned should continue to transmit information under Article 73 e of the Charter with respect to that Territory; requests the administering Powers to continue to transmit the information prescribed in Article 73 e of the Charter; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that adequate information is drawn from all available published sources in connection with the preparation of the working papers relating to the Territories concerned; requests the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples to continue to discharge the functions entrusted to it in accordance with established procedures. (Adopted 172-0-6, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 65x)

See also: DISARMAMENT–GENERAL AND COMPLETE

Reports

A/59/136 Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the legality of the threat or use of nuclear weapons : reducing nuclear danger : towards a nuclear-weapon-free world : the need for a new agenda : nuclear disarmament : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 65x)
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Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.26 Nuclear disarmament : draft resolution / Algeria, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Colombia, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Dominican Republic, Guinea, Haiti, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Namibia, Nepal, Philippines, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Timor-Leste, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

A/C.1/59/L.26/Rev.1 Nuclear disarmament : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Colombia, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guinea, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Malaysia, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Timor-Leste, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Viet Nam, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Bhutan, Cambodia, Ghana, Haiti, Nauru, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Thailand and Uruguay (A/59/459).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XII in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.26/Rev.1) was adopted (117-43-21): resolution 59/77.

NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 65x)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/77 Nuclear disarmament.

Urges nuclear-weapon States to de-alert and deactivate immediately their nuclear weapons; calls upon them to agree on internationally and legally binding instrument on joint undertaking not to be first to use nuclear weapons; urges them to commence plurilateral negotiations among themselves on further deep reductions of nuclear weapons; calls for full and effective implementation of 13 steps for nuclear disarmament contained in the Final Document of the 2000 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons; urges nuclear-weapon States to carry out further reductions of non-strategic nuclear weapons; calls for immediate commencement of negotiations in the Conference on Disarmament on a treaty banning production of fissile material; urges Conference on Disarmament to agree on programme of work; calls for conclusion of international legal instrument on adequate security assurances to non-nuclear-weapon States; also calls for early entry into force and strict observance of Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty; calls for convening of international conference on nuclear disarmament in all its aspects at an early date to identify and deal with concrete measures of nuclear disarmament. (Adopted 117-43-21, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT—CONFERENCES
(Agenda item 65aa)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.15 United Nations conference to identify ways of eliminating nuclear dangers in the context of disarmament : draft decision / Mexico.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft decision II in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.15) was adopted (138-5-38): decision 59/514.

NUCLEAR ENERGY

See: IAEA-REPORTS (2003)

NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION (Agenda item 65q)

Reports

A/59/136 Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the legality of the threat or use of nuclear weapons : reducing nuclear danger : towards a nuclear-weapon-free world : the need for a new agenda : nuclear disarmament : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 17 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/741 (S/2005/172) Letter, 11 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan. Transmits, as Chair of the meeting of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, joint communiqué of the meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, held in Astana on 25 Feb. 2005; underlines the importance of strengthening the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in order to ensure stability and peace in Central Asia.

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.30 Reducing nuclear danger : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cuba, Fiji, Haiti, India, Jordan, Kenya, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Namibia, Sudan, Viet Nam and Zambia.
Additional sponsors: Cambodia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius and Papua New Guinea (A/59/459).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XIV in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.30) was adopted (116-46-18): resolution 59/79.

NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION (Agenda item 65q) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/79 Reducing nuclear danger.

Calls for a review of nuclear doctrines and, in this context, immediate and urgent steps to reduce the risks of unintentional and accidental use of nuclear weapons; requests the 5 nuclear-weapon States to take measures towards the implementation of paragraph 1 above; requests the Secretary-General to intensify efforts and support initiatives that would contribute towards the full implementation of the 7 recommendations identified in the report of the Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters that would significantly reduce the risk of nuclear war, and also to continue to encourage Member States to endeavour to create conditions that would allow the emergence of an international consensus to hold an international conference as proposed in the UN Millennium Declaration, to identify ways of eliminating nuclear dangers, and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted 116-46-18, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION—MIDDLE EAST (Agenda item 68)

Reports

A/59/165(Part I) Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 19 July 2004.

A/59/165(Part I)/Add.1 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 19 Oct. 2004.

A/59/165(Part I)/Corr.1 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 19 Aug. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/165(Part II) The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 4 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION–MIDDLE EAST (Agenda item 68) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.37 The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Egypt, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/462 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/462 (originally A/C.1/59/L.37) was adopted (170-5-9): resolution 59/106.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/106 The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East.

Reaffirms importance of Israeli's accession to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons; calls upon States to accede to the Treaty without further delay and not to develop, produce, test or otherwise acquire nuclear weapons, and to renounce possession of nuclear weapons, and to place all its unsafeguarded nuclear facilities under full-scope International Atomic Energy Agency safeguards as important confidence-building measure among all States of the region and as a step towards enhancing peace and security. (Adopted 170-5-9, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

NUCLEAR SAFETY

See: IAEA–REPORTS (2003)

NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS–NOTIFICATION (Agenda item 65a)

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS–TREATIES (Agenda item 71)

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/550 Letter, 1 Nov. 2004, from Australia, Finland, Japan and the Netherlands. Transmits joint ministerial statement of 23 Sept. 2004 in support of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty, issued in New York, 23 Sept. 2004, and the list of signatories.

A/59/733 (S/2005/155) Letter, 7 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan. Transmits statement of representatives of Central Asian States on the establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Central Asia, adopted at the UN-sponsored meeting on the Central Asian nuclear-weapon-free zone, held on 8 Feb. 2004 in Tashkent.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.7 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.25 Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty : draft resolution / Australia, Mexico and New Zealand. Additional sponsors: Andorra, Austria, Burkina Faso, Central African Republic, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Greece, Kazakhstan, Liberia, Mongolia, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Russian Federation, Slovenia, Sierra Leone, Suriname, Thailand, Ukraine, Uruguay and Venezuela (A/59/465).

NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS–TREATIES (Agenda item 71) (continued)

A/C.1/59/L.25/Rev.1 Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Central African Republic, China, Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, Gabon, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kuwait, Latvia, Lesotho, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Nauru, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Palau, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Samoa, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay, Venezuela and Zambia.
Additional sponsors: Canada, France, Malaysia, Peru, San Marino and Senegal (A/59/465).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/465 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/465 (originally A/C.1/59/L.25/Rev.1) was adopted (177-2-4): resolution 59/109.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/109 Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty.
Stresses the importance and urgency of signature and ratification to achieve the earliest entry into force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty; underlines the need to maintain momentum towards completion of verification regime; calls upon all States to maintain moratorium on nuclear-weapons test explosions or any other nuclear explosions and to refrain from acts that would defeat the object and purpose of the Treaty; also calls upon States that have not yet signed the Treaty to sign and ratify it as soon as possible; further calls upon all States that have signed but not yet ratified the Treaty to accelerate their ratification processes; urges all States to remain seized of the issue at the highest political level. (Adopted 177-2-4, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–ICJ OPINION (Agenda item 65p)

Reports

A/59/136 Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the legality of the threat or use of nuclear weapons : reducing nuclear danger : towards a nuclear-weapon-free world : the need for a new agenda : nuclear disarmament : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.39 Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons : draft resolution / Algeria, Bangladesh, Bolivia, Brunei Darussalam, Costa Rica, Cuba, Egypt, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jamaica, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Liberia, Malawi, Malaysia, Mexico, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Peru, Singapore, Viet Nam and Yemen.
Additional sponsors: Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Ghana, Guatemala, Guyana, Iraq, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Mongolia, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Nicaragua, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Qatar, Rwanda, Samoa, Saudi Arabia, Sierra Leone, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Tonga, Uruguay and Zambia (A/59/459).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–ICJ OPINION (Agenda item 65p) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XVIII in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.39) adopted (132-29-24); resolution 59/83.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/83 Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons.

Underlines once again the unanimous conclusion of the International Court of Justice that there exists an obligation to pursue in good faith and bring to a conclusion negotiations leading to nuclear disarmament in all its aspects under strict and effective international control; calls once again upon all States to immediately fulfil that obligation by commencing multilateral negotiations leading to an early conclusion of a nuclear weapons convention; requests all States to inform the Secretary-General of the efforts and measures they have taken on the implementation of the present resolution and nuclear disarmament, and requests the Secretary-General to apprise the General Assembly of that information at its 60th session. (Adopted 132-29-24, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–LEGAL ASPECTS

See: NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–ICJ OPINION

NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–TREATIES (DRAFT) (Agenda item 66g)

See also: NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES–SECURITY

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.29 Convention on Prohibition of the Use of Nuclear Weapons : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Colombia, Congo, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Egypt, Fiji, Haiti, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mauritius, Myanmar, Nepal, Sudan, Viet Nam and Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Cambodia, Ecuador, El Salvador, Madagascar, Namibia and Papua New Guinea (A/59/460).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/460 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–TREATIES (DRAFT) (Agenda item 66g) (continued)

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution VII in A/59/460 (originally A/C.1/59/L.29) was adopted (125-48-12); resolution 59/102.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/102 Convention on the Prohibition of the Use of Nuclear Weapons.

Reiterates its request to the Conference on Disarmament to commence negotiations in order to reach agreement on an international convention prohibiting the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons under any circumstances; requests the Conference on Disarmament to report to the General Assembly on the results of those negotiations. (Adopted 125-48-12, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES–AGENDA (Agenda item 65t)

Reports

A/59/136 Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the legality of the threat or use of nuclear weapons : reducing nuclear danger : towards a nuclear-weapon-free world : the need for a new agenda : nuclear disarmament : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 17 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.22 Accelerating the implementation of nuclear disarmament commitments : draft resolution / Brazil, Egypt, Ireland, Mexico, New Zealand, South Africa and Sweden.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Ecuador, El Salvador, Liberia, Malta, Samoa and Ukraine (A/59/459).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

**NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES—AGENDA
(Agenda item 65f) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution X in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.22) was adopted (151-6-24): resolution 59/75.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/75 Accelerating the implementation of nuclear disarmament commitments.

Calls upon all States to comply fully with commitments made regarding nuclear disarmament and nuclear non-proliferation; also calls upon all States to achieve universal adherence to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons and the early entry into force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty; calls upon all States parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons to accelerate implementation of practical steps to achieve nuclear disarmament; calls upon nuclear-weapon States to reduce their non-strategic arsenals; agrees to strengthen efforts towards nuclear disarmament and nuclear non-proliferation through resumption in the Conference on Disarmament of negotiations on a treaty banning production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices; calls for establishment of subsidiary body in the Conference on Disarmament to deal with nuclear disarmament; underlines the imperative of principles of irreversibility and transparency for all nuclear disarmament measures. (Adopted 151-6-24, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES—CENTRAL
ASIA (Agenda item 65bb)**

General documents

A/59/733 (S/2005/155) Letter, 7 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan. Transmits statement of representatives of Central Asian States on the establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Central Asia, adopted at the UN-sponsored meeting on the Central Asian nuclear-weapon-free zone, held on 8 Feb. 2004 in Tashkent.

A/59/741 (S/2005/172) Letter, 11 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan. Transmits, as Chair of the meeting of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, joint communiqué of the meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, held in Astana on 25 Feb. 2005; underlines the importance of strengthening the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in order to ensure stability and peace in Central Asia.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.7 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Central Asia : draft decision / Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan.

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

**NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES—CENTRAL
ASIA (Agenda item 65bb) (continued)**

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft decision I in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.7) was adopted without vote: decision 59/513.

**NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES—MIDDLE EAST
(Agenda item 62)**

Reports

A/59/165(PartI) Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 19 July 2004.

A/59/165(PartI)/Add.1 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 19 Oct. 2004.

A/59/165(PartI)/Corr.1 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 19 Aug. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/165(PartII) The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 4 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/663 (S/2005/5) Letter, 3 Jan. 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits final communiqué and the Manama Declaration, adopted by the Supreme Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council at its 25th session, held in Bahrain, 20-21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/761 (S/2005/215) Letter, 22 Mar. 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits press statement issued at the 94th regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held in Riyadh, 13 Mar. 2005.

A/59/824 (S/2005/363) Letter, 31 May 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits joint communiqué of the 15th session of the Ministerial Meeting between the Gulf Cooperation Council States and the European Union, held in Manama, Bahrain, 5 Apr. 2005.

A/59/845 (S/2005/386) Note verbale, 13 June 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits press statement issued at the 95th regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held in Riyadh, 11 June 2005.

NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES–MIDDLE EAST (Agenda item 62) (continued)

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.8 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : draft resolution / Egypt.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/456 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/456 (originally A/C.1/59/L.8) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/63.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/63 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East.

Urges all parties directly concerned to consider seriously taking the practical and urgent steps required for the implementation of the proposal to establish a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East in accordance with the relevant resolutions of the General Assembly, and, as a means of promoting this objective, invites the countries concerned to adhere to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons; invites all countries of the region, pending the establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East, to declare their support for establishing such a zone, consistent with paragraph 63 (d) of the Final Document of the 10th Special Session of the General Assembly, and to deposit those declarations with the Security Council; requests the Secretary-General to continue to pursue consultations with the States of the region and other concerned States and to seek from those States their views on the measures outlined in chapters II and IV of the study annexed to his report of 10 Oct. 1990 (A/45/435) or other relevant measures, in order to move towards the establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the Middle East. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES–MONGOLIA (Agenda item 65f)

Reports

A/59/364 Mongolia's international security and nuclear-weapon-free status : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 16 Sept. 2004.

NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES–MONGOLIA (Agenda item 65f) (continued)

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.19 Mongolia's international security and nuclear-weapon-free status : draft resolution / Mongolia. Additional sponsor: Papua New Guinea (A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3).

A/C.1/59/L.19/Rev.1 Mongolia's international security and nuclear-weapon-free status : revised draft resolution / Mongolia. Additional sponsor: United States (A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution VIII in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.19/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/73.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/73 Mongolia's international security and nuclear-weapon-free status.

Endorses and supports Mongolia's good-neighbourly and balanced relationship with its neighbours as an important element of strengthening regional peace, security and stability; invites Member States to continue to cooperate with Mongolia in taking the necessary measures to consolidate and strengthen Mongolia's independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity, the inviolability of its borders, its independent foreign policy, its economic security, and its ecological balance, as well as its nuclear-weapon-free status; appeals to the Member states of the Asia and Pacific region to support Mongolia's efforts to join the relevant regional security and economic arrangements; requests the Secretary-General and relevant UN bodies to continue to provide assistance to Mongolia in taking the necessary measures mentioned in paragraph 5 above. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES–SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE (Agenda item 65e)

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

**NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES–SOUTHERN
HEMISPHERE (Agenda item 65s) (continued)**

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.41 Nuclear-weapon-free southern hemisphere and adjacent areas : draft resolution / Angola, Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Guatemala, Indonesia, Liberia, Mexico, Mongolia, New Zealand, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Singapore, South Africa, Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Bahamas, Belize, Benin, Bolivia, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Ecuador, El Salvador, Ghana, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Kyrgyzstan, Liberia, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Thailand, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Yemen, Zambia and Zimbabwe (A/59/459).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XX in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.41) was adopted (171-4-8): resolution 59/85.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/85 Nuclear-weapon-free southern hemisphere and adjacent areas.

Calls upon all concerned States to continue to work together to facilitate adherence to protocols to nuclear-weapon-free-zone treaties by all relevant States that have not yet done so; affirms its conviction of important role of nuclear-weapon-free-zones in strengthening nuclear non-proliferation regime and in extending areas of the world that are nuclear-weapon-free; calls upon States parties and signatories to the treaties of Tlatelolco, Rarotonga, Bangkok and Pelindaba to pursue common goals envisaged in those treaties and to promote nuclear-weapon-free status of the southern hemisphere and adjacent areas, to explore and implement further ways and means of cooperation among themselves and their treaty agencies. (Adopted 171-4-8, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

OAS–UN (Agenda item 56o)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.41 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of American States : draft resolution / Argentina, Bolivia, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago and Uruguay.

A/59/L.41/Rev.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of American States : revised draft resolution / Argentina, Belize, Bolivia, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Israel, Jamaica, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago and Uruguay.

A/59/L.41/Rev.1/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of American States : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Spain, Bahamas, Grenada, Dominica.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.41/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/257.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/257 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of American States.

Calls for a prompt mobilization of resources to meet the emergency needs of the Caribbean countries, especially Haiti and Grenada; calls for an increase in financial resources and the strengthening of national and regional programmes for combating HIV/AIDS, as well as an increase in the supply of safe, effective and essential medicines at a reasonable cost; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on the implementation of the present resolution, as appropriate; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 61st session the sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of American States". (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

OCEANS–LAW OF THE SEA (Agenda item 49)

See also: INTERNATIONAL LAW
LAW OF THE SEA
STRADDLING FISH STOCKS

General documents

- A/59/445** Letter, 20 Oct. 2004, from Bolivia. Transmits Declaration on the Centennial of the 1904 Treaty of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship of Bolivia adopted at La Paz, Bolivia, 20 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/555** Letter, 8 Nov. 2004, from Chile. Refers to letter from Bolivia of 20 Oct. 2004 (A/59/445) concerning the Treaty of Peace, Friendship and Commerce between Chile and Bolivia, signed on 20 Oct. 1904; reiterates that the Treaty, which was freely negotiated and concluded, remains fully in force and all its provisions are fully complied with; points out that the request made by Bolivia to have this issue considered by the 59th session of the General Assembly is not consistent with the Organization's work programme.

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.54** (16 Nov. 2004).
- A/59/PV.55** (16 Nov. 2004).

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See: UN OPERATION IN BURUNDI–FINANCING

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 90)

General documents

- A/59/115** Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11–12 June 2004.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

- A/59/488** Report of the 2nd Committee.
- A/59/488/Add.1** Report of the 2nd Committee.
- A/C.2/59/SR.25** (4 Nov. 2004).
- A/C.2/59/SR.26** (4 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.75** (22 Dec. 2004).
- At the 75th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/59/488); decision 59/539.

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–POLICY REVIEW (Agenda item 90b)

Reports

- A/59/84** (E/2004/53) Comprehensive statistical data on operational activities for development for 2002 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 Apr. 2004.

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–POLICY REVIEW (Agenda item 90b) (continued)

- A/59/85** (E/2004/68) Triennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations System : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 28 May 2004.
- A/59/386** Comprehensive statistical data on operational activities for development for 2003 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 27 Sept. 2004.
- A/59/387** Triennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations System : conclusions and recommendations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 28 Sept. 2004.

General documents

- A/59/828** Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7–10 May 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.2/59/L.28** Triennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations System : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].
The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.63 (A/59/488/Add.1).
- A/C.2/59/L.63** Triennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations System : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Azanaw Tadesse Abreha (Ethiopia), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.28.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

- A/59/488** Report of the 2nd Committee.
- A/59/488/Add.1** Report of the 2nd Committee.
- A/C.2/59/SR.25** (4 Nov. 2004).
- A/C.2/59/SR.26** (4 Nov. 2004).
- A/C.2/59/SR.31** (10 Nov. 2004).
- A/C.2/59/SR.40** (16 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.75** (22 Dec. 2004).
- At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/488/Add.1 (originally A/C.2/59/L.63) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/250.

**OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–POLICY REVIEW
(Agenda item 90b) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/250 Triennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations System.

Decides that the UN development system should assist national Governments in creating an enabling environment in which the links in the development process are strengthened; requests the Secretary-General to improve his annual statistical compendium to the operational activities segment of the ECOSOC by adding a multi-year perspective; requests ECOSOC to undertake triennially, as of 2006, a comprehensive review of trends and perspectives in funding for development cooperation; requests the Secretary-General to explore various funding options for increasing financing for operational activities for development; requests the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination to analyse the capacity development efforts of the UN development system; requests the Secretary-General to submit to ECOSOC, at its substantive session in 2005, a programme of work for the full implementation of the above-mentioned agenda; requests the Secretary-General to develop, by the end of 2005, a comprehensive accountability framework for resident coordinators to exercise oversight of the design and implementation of the Framework; requests the Secretary-General to continue to assess the effectiveness of the operational activities for development; requests all entities of the UN system to enhance the effectiveness of gender specialist resources, gender focal points and gender theme groups by establishing clear mandates; requests the Secretary-General, after consultation with the funds, programmes and specialized agencies of the UN system, to submit a report to ECOSOC, at its substantive session of 2005. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 90a)

Reports

A/59/135 Activities of the United Nations Development Fund for Women : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 12 July 2004. - Transmits report on the activities of the UN Development Fund for Women, prepared pursuant to General Assembly resolution 39/125 of 14 Dec. 1984.

A/59/135/Corr.1 Activities of the United Nations Development Fund for Women : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 22 Nov. 2004. - Corrects text.

OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 90a) (continued)

General documents

A/59/841 Letter, 11 May 2005, from Indonesia and South Africa. Transmits the Declaration on the New Asian-African Strategic Partnership, the joint ministerial statement on the New Asian-African Strategic Partnership Plan of Action and the joint Asian-African leaders' statement on tsunami, earthquake and other natural disasters, adopted at the Asian-African Summit and Golden Jubilee of the 1955 Asian-African Conference, held in Jakarta and Bandung, Indonesia, 22-24 Apr. 2005.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/488 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/488/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.25 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.26 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.40 (16 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft decision in A/59/488/Add.1 entitled "Document considered under agenda item 90" was adopted without vote: decision 59/540.

ORGANIZATION FOR SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE–UN (Agenda item 56n)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/66 (S/2004/219) Letter, 16 Mar. 2004, from Azerbaijan. Transmits memorandum on the legal aspects of the conflict in and around the Nagorny Karabakh region.

A/59/72 (S/2004/294) Note verbale, 6 Apr. 2004, from Andorra. Transmits letter from the Minister for Foreign Affairs in the capacity as Chair of the Forum for Security and Cooperation in the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, with the aim to increase interaction between different global organizations and to foster increased cooperation.

A/59/212 (S/2004/626) Identical letters, 5 Aug. 2004, from Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits communiqué issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Azerbaijan dated 4 Aug. 2004 regarding the military exercises allegedly conducted by the Armenian armed forces in Nagorny Karabakh.

**ORGANIZATION FOR SECURITY AND
COOPERATION IN EUROPE–UN (Agenda item
56n) (continued)**

A/59/273 (S/2004/653) Letter, 17 Aug. 2004, from Armenia. Refers to letter dated 5 Aug. 2004 from Azerbaijan (A/59/212-S/2004/626) concerning military exercise in Nagorno Karabakh and states that the exercise is a necessary measure by the authorities of Nagorno Karabakh to protect their people against the alleged threat of resumption of military hostilities by Azerbaijan.

A/59/333 (S/2004/717) Identical letters, 3 Sept. 2004, from Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits letter of the same date from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Azerbaijan regarding the illegal settlement policies allegedly conducted by Armenia in Nagorny Karabakh.

A/59/440 Letter, 18 Oct. 2004, from Azerbaijan. Replies to statement made by Armenia on 14 Oct. 2004 at the plenary meeting of the General Assembly and concerns alleged ethnic cleansing in Nagorny Karabakh since 1987 and the current Armenian settlement policy in Nagorny Karabakh.

A/59/576 (S/2004/913) Letter, 18 Nov. 2004, from Armenia. Transmits information regarding the Nagorno Karabakh situation and the obstacles for negotiation towards a peaceful resolution of the conflict due to alleged Azerbaijani hostilities.

A/59/689 (S/2005/64) Letter, 2 Feb. 2005, from Azerbaijan. Transmits resolution 1416 and recommendation 1690, both entitled "The conflict over the Nagorno-Karabakh region dealt with by the OSCE Minsk Conference", adopted on 25 Jan. 2005 by the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe.

A/59/725 Letter, 4 Mar. 2005, from Georgia and Moldova. Transmits the Chisinau declarations, entitled "On the supremacy of democratic values and principles" and "Against the 'Black Holes' in Europe", which were signed on 2 Mar. 2005 in Chisinau, Moldova by the Presidents of Moldova and Georgia.

A/59/749 Letter, 7 Mar. 2005, from the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine. Transmits joint declaration on Ukrainian-Moldovan cooperation, signed on 1 Mar. 2005 in Kiev by the Presidents of Ukraine and the Republic of Moldova.

A/59/908 Letter, 2 Sept. 2005, from Slovenia. Request, on behalf of the member States of the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe, to postpone consideration of General Assembly agenda sub-item 56 (n) entitled "Cooperation between the UN and the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe" to the 60th session of the General Assembly.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

**ORGANIZATION FOR SECURITY AND
COOPERATION IN EUROPE–UN (Agenda item
56n) (continued)**

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, the Assembly decided to defer consideration of sub-item (n) of agenda item 56 and include it in the draft agenda of the 60th session: decision 59/567.

**ORGANIZATION FOR THE PROHIBITION OF
CHEMICAL WEAPONS–UN (Agenda item 56m)**

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/297 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits report of the Organization of Chemical Weapons on the implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction for the year 2002.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.8 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Estonia, Finland, France, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Samoa, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Ukraine.

A/59/L.8/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Bangladesh, Bolivia, Cuba, Germany, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro, Turkey and United Kingdom.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

At the 40th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.8 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/7.

**ORGANIZATION FOR THE PROHIBITION OF
CHEMICAL WEAPONS–UN (Agenda item 56m)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/7 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons.

Decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 61st session the sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons." (Adopted without vote, 40th plenary meeting, 22 Oct. 2004)

**ORGANIZATION OF EASTERN CARIBBEAN
STATES–OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 160)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.7 Observer status for the Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States in the General Assembly : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Belize, Costa Rica, Dominica, Grenada, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines and Suriname.

Additional sponsors: Trinidad and Tobago and United Kingdom (A/59/521).

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/521 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.13 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.16 (29 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/521 (originally A/C.6/59/L.7) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/52.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/52 Observer status for the Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States in the General Assembly.

Decides to invite the Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer; requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary action to implement the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

**ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE–
UN (Agenda item 56p)**

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

**ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE–
UN (Agenda item 56p) (continued)**

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.12 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference : draft resolution / Turkey.

A/59/L.12/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Egypt, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Togo, Tunisia, Uzbekistan and Yemen.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

At the 40th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.12 was adopted, as orally revised, without vote: resolution 59/8.

ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE– UN (Agenda item 56p) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/8 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference.

Requests the UN and the Organization of the Islamic Conference to continue to cooperate in their common search for solutions to global problems, such as questions relating to international peace and security, disarmament, self-determination, decolonization, fundamental human rights, emergency relief and rehabilitation, social and economic development and technical cooperation; welcomes with appreciation the continuing cooperation between the UN and the Organization of the Islamic Conference in the fields of peacemaking, preventive diplomacy, peacekeeping and peacebuilding, and notes the close cooperation between the two organizations in reconstruction and development in Afghanistan and Sierra Leone; urges the UN and other organizations of the UN system, especially the lead agencies, to provide increased technical and other forms of assistance to the Organization of the Islamic Conference and its subsidiary organs and specialized and affiliated institutions in order to enhance cooperation; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 61st session on the state of cooperation between the UN and the Organization of the Islamic Conference. (Adopted without vote, 40th plenary meeting, 22 Oct. 2004)

OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES– INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item 74)

See also: ARMS RACE–OUTER SPACE

Reports

A/59/20 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/20/Corr.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space : corrigendum.
Issued: 10 Jan. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/20/Corr.2 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space : corrigendum.
Issued: 4 Feb. 2005. - Corrects text.

General documents

A/59/863 (S/2005/427) Letter, 30 June 2005, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement by the heads of State of Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation and Tajikistan, adopted on 23 June 2005 by the Council on Collective Security of the Collective Security Treaty Organization (CSTO) concerning continued efforts to ensure international peace in the area of CSTO responsibility.

OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES– INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item 74) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/59/L.7 International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space : draft resolution / Nigeria [on behalf of the Working Group of the Whole on International Cooperation in the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space].

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/469 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.7 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.9 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.11 (18 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/469 was as follows: draft resolution I entitled "Application of the concept of the 'launching State'", adopted without vote: resolution 59/115; draft resolution II (originally A/C.4/59/L.7), adopted without vote: resolution 59/116.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/115 Application of the concept of the "launching State".

Recommends that States conducting space activities, consider enacting and implementing national laws authorizing and providing for continuing supervision of the activities in outer space of non-governmental entities under their jurisdiction; also recommends that States consider the conclusion of agreements in accordance with the Liability Convention with respect to joint launches or cooperation programmes; recommends that the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space invite Member States to submit information on a voluntary basis on their current practices; recommends that States consider the possibility of harmonizing such practices as appropriate; requests the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space to provide States, at their request, with relevant information and assistance in developing national space laws based on the relevant treaties. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

**OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES–
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item
74) (continued)**

A/RES/59/116 International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space.

Urges States that have not yet become parties to the international treaties governing the uses of outer space to give consideration to ratifying or acceding to those treaties as well as incorporating them in their national legislation; endorses the recommendation of the Committee that the Committee on Space Research and the International Astronautical Federation be invited to arrange a symposium to address high-resolution and hyperspectral satellite data integration for precision farming, environmental monitoring and possible new applications; endorses the UN Programme on Space Applications for 2005, as proposed to the Committee by the Expert on Space Applications and endorsed by the Committee; recommends that more attention be paid to all matters relating to the protection and the preservation of the outer space environment; considers that it is essential that Member States pay more attention to the problem of collisions of space objects; requests the Committee to continue to consider ways and means of maintaining outer space for peaceful purposes; requests the Committee to continue to consider, at its 48th session, its agenda item entitled "Spin-off benefits of space technology: review of current status" and agenda item entitled "Space and society"; decides that the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and Thailand shall become members of the Committee; requests the Committee to identify and consider new areas and mechanisms of international cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space to strengthen multilateralism. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

**OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES–PROGRAMME
IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 23)**

Reports

A/59/20 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/20/Corr.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space : corrigendum.
Issued: 10 Jan. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/20/Corr.2 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space : corrigendum.
Issued: 4 Feb. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/174 Review of the implementation of the recommendations of the 3rd United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 July 2004. - Transmits report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 56/51 of 10 Dec. 2001, 57/116 of 11 Dec. 2002 and 58/90 of 9 Dec. 2003.

**OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES–PROGRAMME
IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 23) (continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.4 Review of the implementation of the recommendations of the 3rd United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space : draft resolution / Chile, Mexico, Nigeria, Peru, Romania and Sweden.

A/59/L.4/Add.1 Review of the implementation of the recommendations of the 3rd United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Bangladesh, Bolivia, Cuba, Germany, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro, Turkey and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Austria, Canada and the Netherlands.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.37 (20 Oct. 2004).

At the 37th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.4 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/2.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/2 Review of the implementation of the recommendations of the 3rd United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space.

Endorses Plan of Action as proposed by the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space in its report (A/59/174); urges all Governments, entities of the UN System and intergovernmental and non-governmental entities conducting space-related activities to carry out actions contained in the Plan of Action; agrees that a study on possibility of creating an international entity to provide for coordination and the means of realistically optimizing effectiveness of space-based services in use in disaster management; calls on all Member States to make contributions to the Trust Fund for the UN Programme on Space Applications before the end of 2004 for the purpose of preparing by the ad hoc expert group of the study; requests the Secretary-General to undertake measures to strengthen role of the Office for Outer Space Affairs in implementing the recommendations of UNISPACE III and to implement activities of the Office as contained in the Plan of Action and to ensure that those activities are included in the programme of work for biennium 2006-2007. (Adopted without vote, 37th plenary meeting, 20 Oct. 2004)

PACIFIC ISLANDS FORUM–UN (Agenda item 56q)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

**PACIFIC ISLANDS FORUM–UN (Agenda item 56q)
(continued)**

General documents

A/59/95 Note verbale, 4 June 2004, from New Zealand.
Transmits letter dated 13 May 2004 from the Prime Minister of New Zealand, in the capacity as Chair of the Pacific Islands Forum, concerning the outcomes of the Special Leaders' Retreat of the Pacific Islands Forum, held in Auckland, New Zealand, 6 Apr. 2004; includes 2 enclosures containing the Auckland Declaration and the Leaders' Decisions.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.11 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Pacific Islands Forum : draft resolution / Algeria, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Barbados, Belize, Cape Verde, Comoros, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Fiji, Grenada, Guyana, Israel, Marshall Islands, Mauritius, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nauru, New Zealand, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Seychelles, Singapore, Solomon Islands, South Africa, Sudan, Swaziland, Timor-Leste, Tonga, Tuvalu, United States of America, Vanuatu.

A/59/L.11/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Pacific Islands Forum : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Brunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Japan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lithuania, Malaysia, Nepal, Republic of Korea, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Suriname, Thailand and Ukraine.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.50 (8 Nov. 2004).

At the 50th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.11 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/20.

**PACIFIC ISLANDS FORUM–UN (Agenda item 56q)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/20 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Pacific Islands Forum.

Welcomes the ongoing efforts of the Pacific Islands Forum to promote law enforcement cooperation, the rule of law and regional peace and security; requests that the UN continue to assist the Pacific Islands Forum to enable the timely implementation of relevant UN mandates, and invites States to contribute to the Biketawa Trust Fund, which is administered by the Pacific Islands Forum for confidence-building measures and conflict prevention; requests that the Department of Political Affairs of the Secretariat and UNDP, in cooperation with the Pacific Islands Forum, promote joint cooperative needs assessment missions in the region to determine additional support to enhance peacebuilding and reconciliation processes and to complement the activities of regional missions and mechanisms; urges all States to participate, at the highest level possible, in the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States, to be held in Mauritius. (Adopted without vote, 50th plenary meeting, 8 Nov. 2004)

PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

See also: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–NATURAL RESOURCES

UNRWA–ACTIVITIES

Reports

A/59/35 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 35) Report of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/574 (S/2004/909) Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 29 Nov. 2004.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey.
Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 37)
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A/59/427 (S/2004/806) Identical letters, 8 Oct. 2004, from Palestine addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns statement made by a senior adviser to the Israeli Prime Minister that allegedly revealed the intention of Israel to use the disengagement plan as a means of "freezing" the peace process and ensuring that there would be no political process with the Palestinians; requests that such revelations should be directly, clearly and urgently addressed by the international community, including by the Quartet.

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/663 (S/2005/5) Letter, 3 Jan. 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits final communiqué and the Manama Declaration, adopted by the Supreme Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council at its 25th session, held in Bahrain, 20-21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/761 (S/2005/215) Letter, 22 Mar. 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits press statement issued at the 94th regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held in Riyadh, 13 Mar. 2005.

A/59/824 (S/2005/363) Letter, 31 May 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits joint communiqué of the 15th session of the Ministerial Meeting between the Gulf Cooperation Council States and the European Union, held in Manama, Bahrain, 5 Apr. 2005.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/59/845 (S/2005/386) Note verbale, 13 June 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits press statement issued at the 95th regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held in Riyadh, 11 June 2005.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/59/891 Letter, 27 June 2005, from the Chairman of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People. Reports that the Government of Romania decided to discontinue its membership in the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People as from 31 May 2005.

PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 37)
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Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.34 Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

A/59/L.34/Add.1 Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsor: Madagascar.

A/59/L.35 Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

A/59/L.35/Add.1 Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsor: Madagascar.

A/59/L.36 Special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

A/59/L.36/Add.1 Special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsor : Madagascar.

A/59/L.37 Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

A/59/L.37/Add.1 Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsor: Madagascar.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.61 (29 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.62 (30 Nov. 2004).

PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 37)
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A/59/PV.64 (1 Dec. 2004).

At the 64th meeting, action on draft resolutions was as follows: draft resolutions A/59/L.34, as orally corrected, adopted (104-7-63); resolution 59/28; draft resolution A/59/L.35, adopted (103-8-64); resolution 59/29; draft resolution A/59/L.36, adopted (162-7-9); resolution 59/30; draft resolution A/59/L.37, adopted (161-7-10); resolution 59/31.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/28 Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.

Expresses its appreciation to the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People for its efforts in performing the tasks assigned to it by the General Assembly; requests the Committee to continue to exert all efforts to promote the realization of the inalienable rights of the Palestinian people, and to support the Middle East peace process; also requests the Committee to continue to keep under review the situation relating to the question of Palestine; further requests the Committee to continue to extend its cooperation and support to Palestinian and other civil society organizations; invites all Governments and organizations to extend their cooperation to the Committee in the performance of its tasks; requests the Secretary-General to circulate the report of the Committee to all the competent bodies of the UN; also requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide the Committee with all the necessary facilities for the performance of its tasks. (Adopted 104-7-63, 64th plenary meeting, 1 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/29 Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.

Requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide the Division with the necessary resources and to ensure that it continues to carry out its programme of work as detailed in the relevant earlier resolutions, in consultation with the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People and under its guidance; also requests the Secretary-General to ensure the continued cooperation of the Department of Public Information and other units of the Secretariat in enabling the Division to perform its tasks; requests the Committee and the Division, as part of the observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People on 29 Nov., to continue to organize an annual exhibit on Palestinian rights or a cultural event in cooperation with the Permanent Observer Mission of Palestine to the UN, and encourages Member States to continue to give the widest support and publicity to the observance of the Day of Solidarity. (Adopted 103-8-64, 64th plenary meeting, 1 Dec. 2004)

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A/RES/59/30 Special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat.

Notes with appreciation the action taken by the Department of Public Information (DPI) of the Secretariat in compliance with resolution 58/20; requests the Department, in full cooperation and coordination with the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, to continue its special information programme for the biennium 2004-2005, in particular: (a) to disseminate information on all the activities of the UN system relating to the question of Palestine; (b) to continue to issue and update publications on the various aspects of the question of Palestine in all fields; (c) to expand its collection of audio-visual material on the question of Palestine and to continue the production and preservation of such material and the updating of the exhibit in the Secretariat; (d) to organize and promote fact-finding news missions for journalists to the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem; (e) to organize international, regional and national seminars or encounters for journalists, aiming in particular at sensitizing public opinion to the question of Palestine; (f) to continue to provide assistance to the Palestinian people in the field of media development. (Adopted 162-7-9, 64th plenary meeting, 1 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/31 Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine.

Reaffirms the necessity of achieving a peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine; reaffirms its full support for the Middle East peace process, and the existing agreements between the Israeli and Palestinian sides, stresses the necessity for the establishment of a comprehensive, just and lasting peace in the Middle East; calls upon both parties to fulfil their obligations in implementation of the road map and stresses the importance and urgency of establishing a credible and effective third-party monitoring mechanism including all members of the Quartet; stresses the need for a speedy end to the reoccupation of Palestinian population centres and for the complete cessation of all acts of violence; demands that Israel comply with its legal obligations; reaffirms its commitment, to the two-State solution of Israel and Palestine, based on the pre-1967 borders; reiterates its demand for the complete cessation of all Israeli settlement activities in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and in the occupied Syrian Golan; requests the Secretary-General to continue his efforts towards the attainment of a peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine and the promotion of peace in the region and to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted 161-7-10, 64th plenary meeting, 1 Dec. 2004)

PALESTINE REFUGEES

See: UNRWA-ACTIVITIES

PALESTINIANS–ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 39c)

See also: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

Reports

A/59/121 (E/2004/88) Assistance to the Palestinian people : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 29 June 2004.

General documents

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.24 Assistance to the Palestinian people : draft resolution / Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

A/59/L.24/Add.1 Assistance to the Palestinian people : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cuba, Japan, Liechtenstein, Mali, New Zealand, Norway, Russian Federation, South Africa and United States.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.51 (11 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.52 (11 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.24, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/56.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/56 Assistance to the Palestinian people.

Urges Member States, international financial institutions of the UN system, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and regional and interregional organizations to extend economic and social assistance to the Palestinian people; urges Member States to open their markets to exports of Palestinian products on the most favourable terms, consistent with appropriate trading rules, and to implement fully existing trade and cooperation agreements; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 60th session, through the Economic and Social Council, on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session the sub-item entitled "Assistance to the Palestinian people". (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

PALESTINIANS–SELF-DETERMINATION

See: SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

PARKING OF DIPLOMATIC VEHICLES

See: UN–HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS

PATTERN OF CONFERENCES

See: UN–CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2004-2005)

PEACE (Agenda item 35)

Reports

A/59/201 Promotion of religious and cultural understanding, harmony and cooperation : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 3 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the Director-General of Unesco in accordance with General Assembly resolution 58/128 of 19 Dec. 2003.

A/59/223 International Decade for a Culture of Peace and Non-Violence for the Children of the World (2001-2010) : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 10 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the Director-General of Unesco, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 58/11 of 10 Nov. 2003 and 53/243 B of 13 Sept. 1999.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/612 Letter, 14 Dec. 2004, from the Lao People's Democratic Republic. Reports, on behalf of the member countries of the Association of South-East Asian Nations (ASEAN), that the 10th ASEAN summit and its related summit meetings were held on 29-30 Nov. 2004 in Vientiane, Lao People's Democratic Republic; transmits the press statement issued by the Chairman of the 10th ASEAN summit and its related summit meetings on 30 Nov. 2004.

A/59/697 Letter, 9 Feb. 2005, from Togo. Transmits memorandum on the handling of the situation resulting from the sudden death of President Gnassingbe Eyadema on 5 Feb. 2005.

A/59/700 Letter, 10 Feb. 2005, from Togo. Transmits text of the address to the Togolese nation made on 9 Feb. 2005 by Faure Gnassingbe, President of Togo, in connection with the death of the late president of Togo, Eyadema Gnassingbe.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

PEACE (Agenda item 35) (continued)

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen.
Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.15 Promotion of cooperation among religions :
draft resolution / Philippines.

A/59/L.15/Rev.1 Promotion of interreligious dialogue :
revised draft resolution / Azerbaijan, Congo, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Gabon, Gambia, Georgia, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kazakhstan, Malaysia, Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Morocco, Panama, Philippines, Senegal, Timor-Leste and Venezuela.

A/59/L.15/Rev.1/Add.1 Promotion of interreligious dialogue : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Bangladesh, Myanmar, Peru, Thailand and Uruguay.

A/59/L.17 Promotion of religious and cultural understanding, harmony and cooperation : draft resolution / Algeria, Djibouti, Egypt, Morocco and Pakistan.

A/59/L.17/Rev.1 Promotion of religious and cultural understanding, harmony and cooperation : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Costa Rica, Djibouti, Egypt, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kazakhstan, Morocco, Pakistan, Panama, Sudan, Togo and Tunisia.

A/59/L.17/Rev.1/Add.1 Promotion of religious and cultural understanding, harmony and cooperation : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Cape Verde, China, Ecuador, Jordan, Malaysia, Tajikistan, Timor-Leste.

A/59/L.21 International Decade for a Culture of Peace and Non-Violence for the Children of the World, 2001-2010 : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Belize, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Cameroon, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Fiji, Gambia, Guatemala, Haiti, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kuwait, Malawi, Mauritius, Mongolia, Namibia, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Qatar, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Senegal, Sudan, Swaziland, Thailand, Timor-Leste, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Vanuatu, Venezuela and Viet Nam.

A/59/L.21/Add.1 International Decade for a Culture of Peace and Non-Violence for the Children of the World, 2001-2010 : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Guyana, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Lebanon, Marshall Islands, Mozambique, Tajikistan.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.41 (26 Oct. 2004).

PEACE (Agenda item 35) (continued)

A/59/PV.42 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.52 (11 Nov. 2004).

At the 52nd meeting, draft resolution
A/59/L.15/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/23.

A/59/PV.72 (15 Dec. 2004).

At the 72nd meeting, action on draft resolutions was as follows: draft resolution **A/59/L.17/Rev.1**, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/142; draft resolution **A/59/L.21** was adopted without vote: resolution 59/143.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/23 Promotion of interreligious dialogue.

Affirms that mutual understanding and interreligious dialogue constitute important dimensions of the dialogue among civilizations and of the culture of peace; invites the Secretary-General to bring the promotion of interreligious dialogue to the attention of all Governments and relevant international organizations and to submit a report thereon, including all views received, to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 52nd plenary meeting, 11 Nov. 2004)

A/RES/59/142 Promotion of religious and cultural understanding, harmony and cooperation.

Reaffirms the solemn commitment of all States to fulfil their obligations to promote universal respect for, and observance and protection of, all human rights and fundamental freedoms for all and to hold, develop and preserve their cultural heritage and traditions in a national and international atmosphere of peace, tolerance and mutual respect; calls upon all States to exert their utmost efforts to ensure that religious and cultural sites are fully respected and protected in compliance with their international obligations; urges States, in compliance with their international obligations, to take all necessary action to combat incitement to or acts of violence, intimidation and coercion motivated by hatred and intolerance based on culture, religion or belief, which may cause discord and disharmony within and among societies; also urges States to take effective measures to prevent and eliminate discrimination on the grounds of religion or belief; further urges States to ensure that, in the course of their official duties, members of law enforcement bodies and the military, civil servants, educators and other public officials respect different religions and beliefs and do not discriminate against persons professing other religions or beliefs, and that any necessary and appropriate education or training is provided; requests the Secretary-General to ensure the widest dissemination of the relevant UN material related to the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 15 Dec. 2004)

PEACE (Agenda item 35) (continued)

A/RES/59/143 International Decade for a Culture of Peace and Non-Violence for the Children of the World, 2001-2010.

Reiterates that the objective of the International Decade for a Culture of Peace and Non-Violence for the Children of the World, 2001-2010, is to strengthen further the global movement for a culture of peace following the observance of the International Year for the Culture of Peace in 2000; invites Member States to continue to place greater emphasis on activities promoting a culture of peace; encourages the appropriate authorities to provide education, in children's schools, that includes lessons in mutual understanding, tolerance, active citizenship, human rights and the promotion of a culture of peace; encourages the involvement of the mass media in education for a culture of peace, with particular regard to children including through the planned expansion of the Culture of Peace News Network as a global network of Internet sites; invites Member States to observe 21 September as the International Day of Peace; invites Member States as well as civil society, to provide information to the Secretary-General on the observance of the Decade and the activities undertaken to promote a culture of peace and non-violence; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session the item entitled "Culture of peace". (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 15 Dec. 2004)

PEACE-CONVENTIONAL DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 65cc)

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

PEACE-CONVENTIONAL DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 65cc) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.38 Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Chile, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Italy, Ireland, Israel, Kenya, Latvia, Lesotho, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Niger, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Azerbaijan, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Central African Republic, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Fiji, Gabon, Georgia, Grenada, Guinea, Guyana, Honduras, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Madagascar, Malawi, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mongolia, Mozambique, Nauru, New Zealand, Nigeria, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Philippines, Republic of Moldova, Rwanda, Singapore, Solomon Islands, South Africa, Tajikistan, Togo, Tonga, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay and Venezuela (A/59/459).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XVII in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.38) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/82.

PEACE–CONVENTIONAL DISARMAMENT
(Agenda item 65cc) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/82 Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures.

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General on the consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures, submitted pursuant to resolution 51/45 N, and once again encourages Member States, including the group of interested States to lend their support to the implementation of recommendations contained therein; encourages Member States, including the group of interested States, to lend their support to the Secretary-General, relevant international, regional and subregional organizations, in responding to requests by Member States to collect and destroy small arms and light weapons in post-conflict situations; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 61st session on the implementation of practical disarmament measures. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–AFRICA (Agenda item 66d)

Reports

A/59/209 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 5 Aug. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.24 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa : draft resolution / Nigeria [on behalf of the Group of African States].

Additional sponsors: Burkina Faso (A/C.1/59/INF/2), Somalia (A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/460 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution VI in A/59/460 (originally A/C.1/59/L.24) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/101.

PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–AFRICA (Agenda item 66d) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/101 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa.

Reaffirms its strong support for the Regional Centre, and emphasizes the need to provide it with the necessary resources to enable it to strengthen its activities and carry out its programmes; appeals once again to all States, as well as to international governmental and non-governmental organizations and foundations, to make voluntary contributions in order to strengthen the programmes and activities of the Regional Centre and facilitate their implementation; requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide the necessary support to the Regional Centre for better achievements and results; also requests the Secretary-General to facilitate close cooperation between the Regional Centre and the African Union, in particular in the areas of peace, security and development, and to continue to assist the Director of the Regional Centre in his efforts to stabilize the financial situation of the Centre. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–ASIA AND THE PACIFIC (Agenda item 66e)

Reports

A/59/169 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 July 2004.

General documents

A/59/733 (S/2005/155) Letter, 7 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan. Transmits statement of representatives of Central Asian States on the establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Central Asia, adopted at the UN-sponsored meeting on the Central Asian nuclear-weapon-free zone, held on 8 Feb. 2004 in Tashkent.

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/L.58 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/59/L.20 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

**PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–ASIA AND THE
PACIFIC (Agenda item 66e) (continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.20 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Australia, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, China, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, India, Indonesia, Japan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, New Zealand, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Republic of Korea, Sri Lanka and Viet Nam.

Additional sponsors: Cambodia, Fiji, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Micronesia (Federated States of), Samoa and Thailand (A/59/460).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/460 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution V in A/59/460 (originally A/C.1/59/L.20) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/100.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/100 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific.

Reaffirms its strong support for the forthcoming operation and further strengthening of the UN Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific; underlines the importance of the Kathmandu process as a powerful vehicle for the development of the practice of region-wide security and disarmament dialogue; appeals to Member States, as well as to international governmental and non-governmental organizations and foundations to make voluntary contributions to strengthen programme of activities of the Centre; urges the Secretary-General to ensure the physical operation of the Regional Centre from Kathmandu within 6 months of the date of signature of the host country agreement and to enable the Centre to function effectively. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–LATIN AMERICA
AND THE CARIBBEAN (Agenda item 66c)**

Reports

A/59/157 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace, Disarmament and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 19 July 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

**PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–LATIN AMERICA
AND THE CARIBBEAN (Agenda item 66c)
(continued)**

A/C.1/59/L.59 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace, Disarmament and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/59/L.18 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.18 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace, Disarmament and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean : draft resolution / Mexico [on behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States].

Additional sponsor: Belize (A/C.1/59/INF/2).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/460 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/460 (originally A/C.1/59/L.18) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/99.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/99 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace, Disarmament and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean.

Reiterates its strong support for the role of the UN Regional Centre for Peace, Disarmament and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean; invites all States of the region to continue to take part in the activities of the Regional Centre; encourages the Regional Centre to further develop activities in the important area of disarmament and development; appeals to Member States, in particular those within the Latin American and Caribbean region, as well as to international governmental and non-governmental organizations and foundations, to make and to increase voluntary contributions to strengthen the Regional Centre, its programme of activities and the implementation thereof; requests the Secretary-General to provide the Regional Centre with all necessary support, within existing resources, so that it may carry out its programme of activities in accordance with its mandate. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRES (Agenda item 66f)

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

**PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRES (Agenda item 66f)
(continued)**

A/C.1/59/L.57 United Nations regional centres for peace and disarmament : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/59/L.9 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.9 United Nations regional centres for peace and disarmament : draft resolution / Malaysia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement].

Additional sponsor: Burkina Faso (A/C.1/59/INF/2).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/460 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution III in A/59/460 (originally A/C.1/59/L.9) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/98.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/98 United Nations regional centres for peace and disarmament.

Reiterates the importance of the UN activities at the regional level to increase stability and security of its Member States; reaffirms that it is useful for the 3 regional centres to carry out dissemination and educational programmes that promote regional peace and security; appeals to Member States in each region and those that are able to do so as well as to international governmental and non-governmental organizations and foundation to make voluntary contributions to the regional centres in their respective regions; emphasizes importance of activities of the regional branch of the Department for Disarmament Affairs of the Secretariat. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS (Agenda item 77)

Reports

A/59/19 (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 19) Report of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group at the 2005 substantive session, New York, 31 January-25 February 2005.

Issued: 1 Mar. 2005.

A/59/19/Add.1 (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 19) Report of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group on the 2005 resumed session, New York, 4-8 April 2005.

Issued: 11 Apr. 2005.

**PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS (Agenda item 77)
(continued)**

A/59/19/Corr.1 Report of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group at the 2005 substantive session, New York, 31 January-25 February 2005 : corrigendum.

Issued: 28 Mar. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/19/Rev.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 19) Report of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group, 2005 substantive session (New York, 31 January-25 February 2005); 2005 resumed session (New York, 4-8 April 2005).

Issued: 2005.

A/59/591 Enhancement of African peacekeeping capacity : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 Nov. 2004.

A/59/608 Implementation of the recommendations of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Dec. 2004.

A/59/608/Corr.1 Implementation of the recommendations of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 27 Jan. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/710 Letter, 24 Mar. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Transmits report on comprehensive strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in UN peacekeeping operations, as requested by the UN Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations in its 2005 report (A/59/19), which was prepared by Prince Zeid Ra'ad Zeid Al-Husseini, Permanent Representative of Jordan.

A/59/764 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the review of the operational capacity of the United Nations Military Observers.

Issued: 1 Apr. 2005.

A/59/789 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and sexual abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 25 Apr. 2005.

General documents

A/59/693 Letter, 26 Jan. 2005, from Côte d'Ivoire. Transmits letter dated 14 Jan. 2005 (S/2005/55) addressed to the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Côte d'Ivoire.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

**PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS (Agenda item 77)
(continued)**

A/C.4/59/L.21 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/28 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/28/Add.1 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement : addendum / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/28/Add.1/Corr.1 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement : addendum : corrigendum / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
Corrects text.

A/C.5/59/32 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : cross-cutting issues : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.5/59/L.53 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/59/L.19 Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects : draft resolution / Argentina, Canada, Egypt, Japan, Nigeria and Poland.

A/C.4/59/L.20 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : draft resolution / Argentina, Canada, Egypt, Japan, Nigeria and Poland.

A/C.5/59/L.73 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and sexual abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/472 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

**PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS (Agenda item 77)
(continued)**

A/59/472/Add.1 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/59/472/Add.2 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.15 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.16 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.17 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.18 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.27 (23 Mar. 2005).

A/C.4/59/SR.28 (18 Apr. 2005).

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/840 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.53 (20 May 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) contained in A/59/472: decision 59/517.

A/59/PV.84 (29 Mar. 2005).

At the 84th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/472/Add.1 (originally A/C.4/59/L.19) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/281.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/472/Add.2 (originally A/C.4/59/L.20) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/300.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/281 Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects.

Endorses the proposals, recommendations and conclusions of the Special Committee, contained in paragraphs 22 to 154 of its report; decides that the Special Committee, in accordance with its mandate, shall continue its efforts for a comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects and shall review the implementation of its previous proposals and consider any new proposals so as to enhance the capacity of the UN to fulfil its responsibilities in this field; requests the Special Committee to submit a report on its work to the General Assembly at its 60th session; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session the item entitled "Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects". (Adopted without vote, 84th plenary meeting, 29 Mar. 2005)

**PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS (Agenda item 77)
(continued)**

A/RES/59/300 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations.

Endorses the proposals, recommendations and conclusions of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, contained in chapter II of the report on its 2005 resumed session (A/59/19/Rev.1); urges Member States, the Secretariat and the relevant organs of the UN to take all necessary steps to implement the proposals, recommendations and conclusions of the Special Committee, and supports the request of the Special Committee to the Secretary-General that he provide a progress report on the implementation of the recommendations of the Special Committee at its next regular session; requests the Special Committee to include this issue in its report to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

**PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING
(Agenda item 123)**

See also: UN–BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS

UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE–
FINANCING
UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN
KOSOVO–FINANCING
UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON–FINANCING
UN IRAQ-KUWAIT OBSERVATION MISSION–
FINANCING
UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN
WESTERN SAHARA–FINANCING
UN MISSION IN BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA–
FINANCING
UN MISSION IN EAST TIMOR–FINANCING
UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA–
FINANCING
UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE–FINANCING
UN MISSION OF SUPPORT IN EAST TIMOR–
FINANCING
UN OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA–
FINANCING
UN OBSERVER MISSION IN LIBERIA–
FINANCING
UN OPERATION IN CÔTE D'IVOIRE–
FINANCING
UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE
DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO–
FINANCING
UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS–
FINANCING
UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS IN
ANGOLA–FINANCING

Reports

A/55/697 Participation of United Nations Volunteers in peacekeeping operations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 18 Dec. 2000.

A/55/874 Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 6 Apr. 2001.

A/57/718 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the procurement of goods and services through letters of assist : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 28 Jan. 2003. - Transmits report conveyed by the Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244.

A/57/787 Measures that would better streamline the policy guidelines related to the temporary duty assignment of staff in peacekeeping missions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 15 Apr. 2003.

**PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING
(Agenda item 123) (continued)**

A/58/704 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the policies and procedures for recruiting Department of Peacekeeping Operations staff : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Feb. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 57/287 of 20 Dec. 2002.

A/58/724 Peacekeeping Reserve Fund : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 2 Mar. 2004.

A/58/732 Implementation of paragraph 3 of General Assembly resolution 57/323 : Peacekeeping Reserve Fund : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Mar. 2004.

A/58/740 Functional requirements of field missions for communication and information technology : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 18 Mar. 2004.

A/58/761 Procurement and contract management for peacekeeping operations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 7 Apr. 2004.

A/58/764 Measures to expedite recruitment for field missions, taking into account the delegation of recruitment authority to field missions, including the use of fair and transparent recruitment procedures and monitoring mechanisms : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 8 Apr. 2004.

A/58/765 Greater use of national staff in field missions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 8 Apr. 2004.

A/58/767 Criteria used for recruitment to support account posts : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 8 Apr. 2004.

A/58/778 Updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions as at 30 June 2003 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 27 Apr. 2004.

A/58/799 Updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 19 May 2004.

A/59/152 Follow-up audit of the policies and procedures of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations for recruiting international civilian staff for field missions : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 15 July 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 57/322 of 11 July 2003.

**PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING
(Agenda item 123) (continued)**

A/59/291 Comprehensive report on the staffing of field missions, including the use of 300 and 100 series appointments : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 Aug. 2004.

A/59/292 Reformed procedures for determining reimbursement to Member States for contingent-owned equipment : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

A/59/446 Human resources management : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 20 Oct. 2004.

A/59/546 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the 1st year of experience of regional investigators in 2 hubs, Vienna and Nairobi : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 2 Nov. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the 1st year experience of regional investigators at Vienna and Nairobi, in response to General Assembly resolution 57/318 of 18 June 2003.

A/59/681 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Logistics Base for the period 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 25 Jan. 2005.

A/59/688 Procurement and contract management for peacekeeping operations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 14 Feb. 2005.

A/59/691 Budget for the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 3 Feb. 2005.

A/59/698 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of mission subsistence allowance policies and procedures.
Issued: 10 Feb. 2005.

A/59/701 Implementation of the strategic deployment stocks, including the functioning of the existing mechanisms and the award of contracts for procurement : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 14 Feb. 2005.

A/59/702 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the global audit of field security management.
Issued: 15 Feb. 2005.

A/59/703 Analysis of establishing a global procurement hub for all peacekeeping missions in Brindisi, Italy : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 14 Feb. 2005.

A/59/706 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 18 Feb. 2005.

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING
(Agenda item 123) (continued)

A/59/708 Reform of the procedures for determining reimbursement to Member States for contingent-owned equipment : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 22 Feb. 2005.

A/59/714 Performance report on the budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 25 Feb. 2005.

A/59/714/Add.1 Performance report on the budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 25 Feb. 2005.

A/59/722 Procurement and contract management for peacekeeping operations : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 3 Mar. 2005.

A/59/730 Budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 8 Mar. 2005.

A/59/736 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : report of the Board of Auditors : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 22 Apr. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.1 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 14 Mar. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.2 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi : implementation of the strategic deployment stocks, including the functioning of the existing mechanisms and award of contracts for procurement : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 13 Apr. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.3 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Apr. 2005.

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A/59/736/Add.4 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Apr. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.5 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Apr. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.6 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 12 Apr. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.7 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 12 Apr. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.8 Final financial performance report on the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.9 Proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone and financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 28 Apr. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.10 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.11 Financial performance report for the period from 1 August 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Mission in Liberia : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING
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- A/59/736/Add.12** Expenditure report for the period from 21 April to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Operation in Burundi : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/736/Add.13** Proposed budget of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 19 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/736/Add.14** Financing of the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 20 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/736/Add.15** Proposed budget for the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 and expenditure report for the period from 4 April to 30 June 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 20 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/736/Add.16** Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July to 31 October 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 22 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/736/Add.17** Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 23 May 2005.
- A/59/752** Updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions as at 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 22 Mar. 2004.
- A/59/763** Status of the civilian rapid deployment roster : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 31 Mar. 2005.
- A/59/768** Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2004 to 31 October 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 5 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/782** Special measures for protection from sexual exploitation and sexual abuse : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 15 Apr. 2005.

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING
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- A/59/784** Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/787** Peacekeeping Reserve Fund : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/789** Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and sexual abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 25 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/790** Updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 25 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/791** Peacekeeping Reserve Fund : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 25 Apr. 2005.
- A/C.5/58/37** Letter, 12 Mar. 2004, from the Chairman of the 2004 Working Group on Contingent-Owned Equipment. Transmits report dated 12 Mar. 2004 of the 2004 Working Group on Contingent-Owned Equipment to the 5th Committee.
- A/C.5/58/37/Corr.1** Letter, 12 Mar. 2004, from the Chairman of the 2004 Working Group on Contingent-Owned Equipment : corrigendum.
Replaces tables.

General documents

- A/59/698/Add.1** Note [transmitting comments on the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of mission subsistence allowance policies and procedures (A/59/698)] / by the Secretary-General.
- A/59/794** Review of the management structure of all peacekeeping operations : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/59/795** Feasibility of consolidating the accounts of the various peacekeeping operations : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.4/59/L.21** Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/18** Approved budgetary levels for peacekeeping operations for the period 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : note / by the Secretary-General.

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A/C.5/59/18/Rev.1 Approved budgetary levels for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/28 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/28/Add.1 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement : addendum / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/28/Add.1/Corr.1 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement : addendum : corrigendum / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Corrects text.

A/C.5/59/29 Proposed budgetary levels for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/31 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/32 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : cross-cutting issues : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.5/59/L.53 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/33 Financing of the support account for peacekeeping operations : financing of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/34 Approved resources for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.9 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : draft decision / submitted by the Rapporteur following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.53 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : cross-cutting issues : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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A/C.5/59/L.69 Updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions as at 30 June 2004 : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.70 Financing of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.72 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.5/59/L.53 on the administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : cross-cutting issues : statement submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules and procedures of the General Assembly : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.73 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and sexual abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.75 Peacekeeping Reserve Fund : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.76 Reformed procedures for determining reimbursement to Member States for contingent-owned equipment : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.77 Support account for peacekeeping operations : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/532 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/532/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/840 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.13 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.46 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.50 (9 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.53 (20 May 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.46 (29 Oct. 2004).

At the 46th plenary meeting, the draft decision in A/59/532 (originally A/C.5/59/L.9) was adopted without vote: decision 59/507.

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING
(Agenda item 123) (continued)

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, action on draft resolutions and draft decisions in A/59/532/Add.1 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.5/59/L.53), adopted without vote; resolution 59/296; draft resolution II (originally A/C.5/59/L.75), adopted without vote; resolution 59/297; draft resolution III (originally A/C.5/59/L.76), adopted without vote; resolution 59/298; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.5/59/L.70), adopted without vote; resolution 59/299; draft resolution V (originally A/C.5/59/L.77), adopted without vote; resolution 59/301; draft decision I (originally A/C.5/59/L.72), adopted without vote; decision 59/562; draft decision II (originally A/C.5/59/L.69), adopted without vote; decision 59/563.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/296 Administrative and budgetary aspects for the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : cross-cutting issues.

Decides that the progressive implementation of results-based budgeting shall be in full compliance with its resolution 55/231; requests the Secretary-General to integrate operational, logistical and financial aspects fully in the planning phase of peacekeeping operations; decides that the submission of budget proposals from missions to Headquarters should constitute part of the leadership and accountability functions of the Head of Mission/Special Representative; decides that generic vacancy announcements posted in Galaxy shall be accompanied by information on the location of current specific vacancies and that this would apply to all international vacancies in peacekeeping operations; decides to continue to suspend the application of the 4-year maximum limit for appointments of limited duration under the 300 series of the Staff Rules in peacekeeping operations until 30 June 2006; authorizes the Secretary-General to reappoint under the 100 series of the Staff Rules those mission staff whose service under 300 series contracts has reached the 4-year limit by 30 June 2006; decides to limit conversion of General Service posts to the Field Service category pending receipt of that review; also decides that the review of the field service is the appropriate mechanism for possible recognition of hardship, if warranted; decides to revert to the question of mission subsistence allowance rates and the recommendations of OIOS; also decides that specific guidelines and criteria for the setting of miscellaneous or incidental costs as a component of the mission subsistence allowance should be developed; affirms that the implementation of a zero-tolerance policy and procedures towards acts of sexual exploitation and abuse should be clearly defined as a core management function; decides to defer until its 60th session consideration of the report of OIOS in the context of its consideration of a strengthened and unified security management system for the UN. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING
(Agenda item 123) (continued)

A/RES/59/297 Peacekeeping Reserve Fund.

Decides that the excess balance of US\$13,790,000 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2004 shall be applied to meet the financing of the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2005-30 June 2006. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

A/RES/59/298 Reformed procedures for determining reimbursement to Member States for contingent-owned equipment.

Decides that the next Working Group on Contingent-Owned Equipment carry out a comprehensive review of the contingent-owned equipment system, as per the formats established by the Phase V Working Group; decides that the next Working Group on Contingent-Owned Equipment will consider in recommending any revision of rates of reimbursement for contingent-owned equipment and self-sustainment, the fact that there was no revision of such rates for the period 2004-2008 owing to the lack of consensus on an increase in the rates and on the methodology of the 2004 Working Group; decides to review the daily allowance for troops at its resumed 60th session; also decides to set up a channel of communication between the Secretariat and the Member States on the contingent-owned equipment system, strictly for the exchange of information and for seeking clarification. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

A/RES/59/299 Financing of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy.

Requests the Secretary-General to undertake a further analysis of how the Logistics Base could best be utilized to provide efficient and economical communications and information technology services, as well as other services, for UN peacekeeping and Headquarters clients; approves the use of savings derived from the liquidation of prior-period obligations and the unspent balance of the strategic deployment stocks to cover losses in currency exchange and the replenishment of the stocks; approves the cost estimates for the UN Logistics Base amounting to US\$31,513,100 for the period from 1 July 2005-30 June 2006. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING (Agenda item 123) (continued)

A/RES/59/301 Support account for peacekeeping operations.

Decides to maintain, from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006, the funding mechanism for the support account used in the current period; decides to provide general temporary assistance to implement and monitor the environmental protection programmes in the field; approves the establishment of the post of Police Generation Officer in the Civilian Police Division; decides to provide general temporary assistance for the P-3 post for the secretariat of the 5th Committee; decides that all future requests for additional headquarters capacity linked to new or expanded peacekeeping must be accompanied by an analysis of spare capacity created by any downsizing or liquidation of other missions; decides that following the end of mandate of missions, mission-specific posts in the Office of Operations of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations (DPKO) should be disestablished or redeployed; decides not to provide funds for the independent review of the DPKO; decides not to provide funds for Enterprise Content Management and Customer Relationship Management pilot projects, with the exception of the resources sought for the Archives and Records Management; decides to approve the post of Chief of the Unit to strengthen the Criminal Law and Judicial Advisory Unit; approves the support account requirements in the amount of US\$146,935,200 for the period 1 July-30 June 2006, including 761 continuing and 70 new temporary posts and their related post and non-post requirements. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

PENSIONS–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 117)

Reports

A/59/9 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 9) United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund : report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, 52nd session, 13-23 July 2004.

Issued: 2004.

A/59/9/Add.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 9) United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund : report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, 52nd session, 13-23 July 2004.

Issued: 2004.

A/59/447 United Nations pension system : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 20 Oct. 2004.

A/C.5/59/11 Investments of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 7 Oct. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.14 United Nations pension system : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

PENSIONS–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 117) (continued)

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/606 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.16 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.17 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.31 (15 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/606 (originally A/C.5/59/L.14) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/269.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).

Corrects text.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/269 United Nations pension system.

Decides, upon the affirmative recommendation of the Board, that the Inter-Parliamentary Union shall be admitted as a new member organization of the Fund, effective 1 Jan. 2005; requests the Board to review the benefit of the 2-track system vis-à-vis the United States dollar track for both the beneficiaries and the Fund as a whole; decides not to consider any further proposals to enhance or improve pension benefits until action is taken on the issues contained in section I, paragraph 4, and section II, paragraphs 2 and 3, of its resolution 57/286; approves additional resources in the amount of US\$5,340,700 for the biennium 2004-2005 for administrative costs of the Fund, noting that the revised estimates for the biennium would amount to a total appropriation of \$41,011,800 for administrative costs; urges the Board to explore the possibility of meeting annually for a shorter duration and to report its conclusions, including all financial and administrative implications associated with that possibility; takes note with satisfaction of the progress report on the Fund's management charter, which introduced specific goals and objectives, a detailed action plan for achieving such goals and the status report on the implementation of each goal. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

PERSONNEL QUESTIONS–UN

See: UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

PERSONNEL QUESTIONS–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 116)

Reports

A/59/30(Vol.I) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 30) Report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2004. Volume 1.

Issued: 2004.

PERSONNEL QUESTIONS–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 116) (continued)

A/59/30(Vol.II) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 30) Report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2004. Volume 2.

Issued: 2004. - Contains comments of the International Civil Service Commission on the report of the Panel on the Strengthening of the International Civil Service (A/59/153).

A/59/153 Report of the Panel on the Strengthening of the International Civil Service : note / by the Secretariat.

Issued: 25 June 2004. - Transmits report of the Panel on the Strengthening of the International Civil Service.

A/59/399 Report of the Panel on the Strengthening of the International Civil Service : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Secretary-General conveying the views of the organizations of the UN System on the findings and recommendations of the Panel on the Strengthening of the International Civil Service (A/59/153).

A/59/522 Administrative and financial implications of the decisions and recommendations contained in the report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2004 : statement submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 21 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/59/429 Administrative and financial implications of the decisions and recommendations contained in the report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2004 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.26 United Nations common system : report of the International Civil Service Commission : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.42 Strengthening of the international civil service : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/647 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/647/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.14 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.17 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.42 (1 Apr. 2005).

PERSONNEL QUESTIONS–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 116) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/647 (originally A/C.5/59/L.26) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/268.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).

Corrects text.

A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, the draft decision in A/59/647/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.42) was adopted without vote: decision 59/561.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/268 United Nations common system : report of the International Civil Service Commission.

Decides that no new strategy or pilot project in broad banding or pay-for-performance should be undertaken until the General Assembly has had an opportunity to review the results of the pilot study on broad banding and pay-for-performance being conducted by the Commission; approves the increases in the maximum reimbursement levels for 15 countries, as well as other recommendations in respect of the reimbursement of expenses under the education grant; requests the Commission, in reviewing and modernizing the system of grants and allowances, to attach priority to enhancing transparency and administrative simplicity; approves, with effect from 1 Jan. 2005, the revised base scale of gross and net salaries for staff in the Professional and higher categories, as contained in annex VI to the annual report of the Commission; decides to revert to the consideration of the report of the Panel on the Strengthening of the International Civil Service and the recommendations therein and the note by the Secretary-General on the findings and recommendations of the Panel during the 1st part of its resumed 59th session. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

PITCAIRN QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

PITCAIRN QUESTION (Agenda item 20)
(continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/478 entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/134.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-VIII] Pitcairn.

Requests the administering Power to continue its assistance for the improvement of the economic, social, educational and other conditions of the Territory and to continue its discussions with the representatives of Pitcairn on how best to support their economic security. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

**PLATFORM FOR ACTION OF THE FOURTH
WORLD CONFERENCE ON WOMEN**

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT-CONFERENCES (4TH :
1995 : BEIJING)-FOLLOW-UP

POVERTY-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 105b)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.38 Human rights and extreme poverty : draft resolution / Peru.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gambia, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Kuwait, Latvia, Lesotho, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mexico, Mongolia, Monaco, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nepal, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Norway, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Swaziland, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Thailand, Togo, Tunisia, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Uruguay, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Zambia (A/59/503/Add.2).

**Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and
Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)**

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

POVERTY-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 105b)
(continued)

A/C.3/59/SR.53 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.38) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/186.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/186 Human rights and extreme poverty.

Reaffirms that extreme poverty and exclusion from society constitute a violation of human dignity and that urgent national and international action is therefore required to eliminate them; emphasizes that extreme poverty is a major issue to be addressed by Governments, civil society and the UN system, including international financial institutions, and in this context reaffirms that political commitment is a prerequisite for the eradication of poverty; requests the independent expert on the question of human rights and extreme poverty to forward his reports on his activities, which he will submit to the Commission on Human Rights at its 61st and 62nd, to the General Assembly at its 61st session; decides to consider this question further at its 61st session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

**POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADES (1997-
2006) (Agenda item 89a)**

Reports

A/59/326 Implementation of the 1st United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (1997-2006) and preparations for the International Year of Microcredit, 2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 2 Sept. 2004.

A/59/326/Add.1 Implementation of the 1st United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (1997-2006) and preparations for the International Year of Microcredit, 2005 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : preparations for the International Year of Microcredit, 2005.
Issued: 21 Oct. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.49 Role of microcredit in the eradication of poverty : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.64 (A/59/487/Add.1).

A/C.2/59/L.50 Implementation of the 1st United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (1997-2006) : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.72 (A/59/487/Add.1).

POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADES (1997-2006) (Agenda item 89a) (continued)

A/C.2/59/L.64 Role of microcredit and microfinance in the eradication of poverty : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Majdi Ramadan (Lebanon), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.49.

A/C.2/59/L.72 Implementation of the 1st United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (1997-2006) : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Majdi Ramadan (Lebanon), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.50.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/487 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/487/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.32 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.33 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.39 (14 Dec. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.40 (16 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, action on 2 draft resolutions in A/59/487/Add.1 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/59/L.64), as orally corrected, adopted without vote: resolution 59/246; draft resolution II (originally A/C.2/59/L.72), adopted without vote: resolution 59/247.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/246 Role of microcredit and microfinance in the eradication of poverty.

Recognizes the importance of scaling up microcredit and other microfinance instruments; reiterates its invitation to Member States, relevant organization of the UN system, non-governmental organizations, the private sector and civil society to contribute, including through making voluntary contributions, in observing the International Year of Microcredit, to raise public awareness and knowledge about microcredit and microfinance; decides to devote one plenary meeting at its 61st session to the consideration of the outcome of and follow-up to the International Year of Microcredit; requests the Secretary-General to prepare a report on the observance of the Year and on the implementation of the present resolution and to submit it to the Assembly at its 61st session. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADES (1997-2006) (Agenda item 89a) (continued)

A/RES/59/247 Implementation of the 1st United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (1997-2006).

Reiterates that eradicating poverty is the greatest global challenge facing the world today and an indispensable requirement for sustainable development, in particular for developing countries; reaffirms that good governance at the national and international level is fundamental for achieving poverty eradication and sustainable development; urges developed countries that have not done so to make concrete efforts to reach the targets of 0.7 per cent of their gross national product as official development assistance to developing countries and 0.15 to 0.20 per cent of their gross national product to least developed countries; calls upon the developed countries to promote capacity-building and facilitate access to and transfer of technologies and corresponding knowledge; reaffirms that the eradication of poverty should be addressed in an integrated way, as set out in the Plan of Implementation of the World Summit on Sustainable; recognizes the important potential contribution of the World Solidarity Fund to the achievement of the internationally agreed development goals; reaffirms its support for the New Partnership for Africa's Development; calls upon the Governments of the least developed countries and their development partners to implement fully the commitments contained in the Brussels Declaration and the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010; calls for the full implementation of General Assembly resolution 57/270 B of 23 June 2003 on the integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major UN conferences and summits in the economic and social fields; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include this item in the provisional agenda of its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

POVERTY MITIGATION (Agenda item 89)

Reports

A/59/207 Communication for development programmes in the United Nations System : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 4 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the Director-General of Unesco prepared on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 50/130 of 20 December 1995, including the recommendations of the 8th Inter-Agency Round Table on Communication for Development.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

**POVERTY MITIGATION (Agenda item 89)
(continued)**

A/59/155 (E/2004/96) Letter, 15 July 2004, from Canada and Mexico. Refers to report entitled "Unleashing entrepreneurship: making business work for the poor" presented to the Secretary-General by the Commission on the Private Sector and Development and transmits an extract from the report of relevance to the work of the UN particularly in the economic and social field.

A/59/158 Letter, 15 July 2004, from the Lao People's Democratic Republic. Concerns ministerial communiqué of the Group of Landlocked Developing Countries, adopted on 13 June 2004, on the sideline of UNCTAD XI, held in São Paulo, Brazil (document TD/409) and requests its circulation in the General Assembly.

A/59/398 Identical letters, 20 Sept. 2004, from Brazil, Chile, France and Spain addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the General Assembly. Transmits report entitled "Action against hunger and poverty" prepared by the Technical Group on Innovative Financing Mechanisms deriving from the 2004 Geneva Declaration which was subscribed by the Presidents of Brazil, Chile, France and Spain, with the support of the Secretary-General of the UN.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/767 Letter, 28 Mar. 2005, from Jamaica. Transmits Final Communiqué adopted by the 38th Meeting of the Chairmen/Coordinators of the Group of 77 Chapters, held in Geneva, 1-2 Mar. 2005.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.56 Importance of further strengthening efforts towards achieving the international agreed development goals, including the Millennium Development Goals, in the promotion of peace : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Canada, Finland, France, Germany, Japan, Luxembourg, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and Turkey. - The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors (A/59/487).

**POVERTY MITIGATION (Agenda item 89)
(continued)**

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/487 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.32 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.33 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.37 (3 Dec. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.40 (16 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/59/487): decision 59/538.

**PREPARATORY COMMISSION FOR THE
COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR-TEST-BAN TREATY
ORGANIZATION-UN (Agenda item 56r)**

Reports

A/59/296 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 25 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report of the Executive Secretary of the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear Test-Ban Treaty Organization covering the year 2003.

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/550 Letter, 1 Nov. 2004, from Australia, Finland, Japan and the Netherlands. Transmits joint ministerial statement of 23 Sept. 2004 in support of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty, issued in New York, 23 Sept. 2004, and the list of signatories.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.7 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization : draft resolution / Austria, Denmark, Finland, Italy, Japan, the Netherlands, Norway, Sierra Leone and Slovenia.

A/59/L.7/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Australia, Bangladesh, Croatia, Estonia, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Israel, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Monaco, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine and United Kingdom.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

**PREPARATORY COMMISSION FOR THE
COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR-TEST-BAN TREATY
ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 56r)
(continued)**

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

At the 40th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.7 was adopted (104-1-0): resolution 59/6.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/6 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization.

Decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 61st session the sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the UN and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization". (Adopted 104-1-0, 40th plenary meeting, 22 Oct. 2004)

PROCUREMENT REFORM–UN

See: UN–ADMINISTRATION

**PROGRAMME OF ACTION FOR THE
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OF SMALL
ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES (1994)**

See: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–DEVELOPING
ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES (1994 :
BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP

**PROTOCOL FOR THE PROHIBITION OF THE USE
IN WAR OF ASPHYXIATING, POISONOUS OR
OTHER GASES, AND OF BACTERIOLOGICAL
METHODS OF WARFARE (1925)**

See: CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WARFARE–
TREATIES (1925)

PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES

See: NARCOTIC DRUGS

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION–DEVELOPMENT
(Agenda item 12)**

Reports

A/59/346 Public administration and development : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.27 Public administration and development : draft resolution / Argentina, Azerbaijan, Belize, Bolivia, Costa Rica, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Gabon, Gambia, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Italy, Jordan, Kenya, Mexico, Morocco, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Panama, Paraguay, Qatar, Republic of Korea and South Africa.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION–DEVELOPMENT
(Agenda item 12) (continued)**

A/59/L.27/Rev.1 Public administration and development : revised draft resolution / Argentina, Azerbaijan, Belize, Benin, Bolivia, Costa Rica, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Gabon, Gambia, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Italy, Jordan, Kenya, Mexico, Morocco, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Panama, Paraguay, Qatar, Republic of Korea and South Africa.

A/59/L.27/Rev.1/Add.1 Public administration and development : revised draft resolution : addendum.
Additional sponsor: Chile.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution

A/59/L.27/Rev.1, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/55.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/55 Public administration and development.
Stresses the importance of UN Public Service Day and the UN Public Service Awards in the process of revitalizing public administration by building a culture of innovation, partnership and responsiveness; also stresses the valuable contribution that the Global Forum on Reinventing Government has made to the exchange of lessons learned in public administration reform, and reiterates its appreciation to the Government of the Republic of Korea for hosting the 6th Global Forum on Reinventing Government in 2005; requests the Secretary-General to continue to facilitate, through the UN Online Network in Public Administration and Finance, the dissemination of valuable practices in public administration; further requests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on progress made by revitalizing public administration during the last ten years, since the resumed 50th session of the Assembly, on public administration and development, and to ensure that the findings are brought to the attention of Member States on the occasion of the special event in 2005. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

PUBLIC INFORMATION–UN

See: INFORMATION

PUBLIC SECURITY

See: CRIME PREVENTION

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (Agenda item 103)

Reports

A/59/18 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 18) Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, 64th session, 23 February–12 March 2004 [and] 65th session, 2–20 August 2004.
Issued: 2004.

**RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (Agenda item 103)
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General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/C.3/59/4 Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Italy. Transmits letter addressed to the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance by the Permanent Representative of Italy to the International Organizations in Geneva, on 25 Oct. 2004; refers to the study by the Special Rapporteur (A/59/330) and states that Italian Government has made the fight against racism, xenophobia, Islamophobia and anti-Semitism a priority of its political action.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.67 Measures to be taken against political platforms and activities based on doctrines of superiority and violent nationalist ideologies which are based on racial discrimination or ethnic exclusiveness and xenophobia, including neo-Nazism : draft resolution / Belarus.

A/C.3/59/L.67/Rev.1 Measures to be taken against political platforms and activities based on doctrines of superiority and violent nationalist ideologies which are based on racial discrimination or ethnic exclusiveness and xenophobia, including neo-Nazism : revised draft resolution / Azerbaijan, Belarus, Cuba, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Russian Federation and Tajikistan.

**RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (Agenda item 103)
(continued)**

A/C.3/59/L.69 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : draft resolution / Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Burkina Faso, Chile, China, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Iceland, Japan, Namibia, New Zealand, Pakistan, Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Senegal, South Africa, Thailand, Turkey, Ukraine and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/59/501).

A/C.3/59/L.71 Global efforts for the total elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance and the comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/501 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.35 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.36 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.52 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.53 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions and draft decision in A/59/501 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.67/Rev.1), adopted without vote: resolution 59/175; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/59/L.69), adopted without vote: resolution 59/176; draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/59/L.71), adopted (183-3-2): resolution 59/177; draft decision entitled "Report of the Secretary-General under agenda item 103", adopted without vote: decision 59/527.

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (Agenda item 103)
(continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/175 Measures to be taken against political platforms and activities based on doctrines of superiority and violent nationalist ideologies which are based on racial discrimination or ethnic exclusiveness and xenophobia, including neo-Nazism.

Expresses its determination to resist such political platforms and activities which can undermine the enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms and of equality of opportunity; urges States to take all available measures in accordance with their obligations under international human rights instruments to combat political platforms and activities based on doctrines of superiority and violent nationalist ideologies which are based on racial discrimination or ethnic exclusiveness and xenophobia, *inter alia*, through the dissemination of human rights principles at all levels of society through education, as well as by other means; expresses support for the activities of the Special Rapporteur, and calls upon all States to cooperate with him in all aspects with a view to enabling him to fulfil his mandate; requests the Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the attention of the Member States and relevant human rights bodies and mechanisms of the UN system. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/176 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination.

Expresses its concern at the fact that a great number of reports are overdue and continue to be overdue, in particular initial reports, which constitutes an obstacle to the full implementation of the Convention; strongly urges States parties to the Convention to accelerate their domestic ratification procedures with regard to the amendment to the Convention concerning the financing of the Committee and to notify the Secretary-General expeditiously in writing of their agreement to the amendment, as decided upon at the 14th Meeting of States Parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination on 15 Jan. 1992, endorsed by the General Assembly in its resolution 47/111 and further reiterated at the 16th Meeting of States Parties on 16 Jan. 1996; urges States parties to comply fully with their obligations under the Convention and to take into consideration the concluding observations at its 61st session, the reports of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination on its 66th and 67th and its 68th and 69th sessions, the report of the Secretary-General on the financial situation of the Committee and the report of the Secretary-General on the status of the Convention. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (Agenda item 103)
(continued)

A/RES/59/177 Global efforts for the total elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance and the comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action.

Expresses its profound concern about and its unequivocal condemnation of all forms of racism and racial discrimination, including related acts of racially motivated violence, xenophobia and intolerance, as well as propaganda activities and organizations that attempt to justify or promote racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance in any form; decides that the General Assembly, through its role in policy formulation, the Economic and Social Council, through its role in overall guidance and coordination, in accordance with their respective roles under the Charter of the UN and Assembly resolution 50/227 of 24 May 1996, and the Commission on Human Rights shall constitute a 3-tiered intergovernmental process for the comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action; decides that the Economic and Social Council shall oversee system-wide coordination of the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action; also decides that the Commission on Human Rights, as a functional commission of the Economic and Social Council, shall have a central role in the monitoring of the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action within the UN system and in advising the Council thereon; urges Member States to consider implementing the recommendations contained in the reports of the Special Rapporteur, and invites other relevant stakeholders to implement those recommendations. (Adopted 183-3-2, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION–ELIMINATION (Agenda item 103a)

Reports

A/59/18 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 18) Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, 64th session, 23 February–12 March 2004 [and] 65th session, 2–20 August 2004.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/275 Status of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 17 Aug. 2004.

A/59/276 Financial situation of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 17 Aug. 2004.

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION–ELIMINATION (Agenda item 103a) (continued)

A/59/329 The fight against racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance and the comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 7 Sept. 2004. - Transmits interim report prepared by Doudou Diène, Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 58/160 of 2 Mar. 2004.

A/59/330 Combating racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance and comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 4 Oct. 2004. - Transmits a study on the question of political platforms which promote or incite racial discrimination, submitted by Doudou Diène, Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 58/159.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.67 Measures to be taken against political platforms and activities based on doctrines of superiority and violent nationalist ideologies which are based on racial discrimination or ethnic exclusiveness and xenophobia, including neo-Nazism : draft resolution / Belarus.

A/C.3/59/L.67/Rev.1 Measures to be taken against political platforms and activities based on doctrines of superiority and violent nationalist ideologies which are based on racial discrimination or ethnic exclusiveness and xenophobia, including neo-Nazism : revised draft resolution / Azerbaijan, Belarus, Cuba, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Russian Federation and Tajikistan.

A/C.3/59/L.69 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : draft resolution / Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Burkina Faso, Chile, China, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Iceland, Japan, Namibia, New Zealand, Pakistan, Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Senegal, South Africa, Thailand, Turkey, Ukraine and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/59/501).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/501 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.35 (3 Nov. 2004).

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION–ELIMINATION (Agenda item 103a) (continued)

A/C.3/59/SR.36 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.38 (8 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.43 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.51 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.52 (23 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/501 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.67/Rev.1), adopted without vote: resolution 59/175; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/59/L.69), adopted without vote: resolution 59/176.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/175 Measures to be taken against political platforms and activities based on doctrines of superiority and violent nationalist ideologies which are based on racial discrimination or ethnic exclusiveness and xenophobia, including neo-Nazism.

Expresses its determination to resist such political platforms and activities which can undermine the enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms and of equality of opportunity; urges States to take all available measures in accordance with their obligations under international human rights instruments to combat political platforms and activities based on doctrines of superiority and violent nationalist ideologies which are based on racial discrimination or ethnic exclusiveness and xenophobia, inter alia, through the dissemination of human rights principles at all levels of society through education, as well as by other means; expresses support for the activities of the Special Rapporteur, and calls upon all States to cooperate with him in all aspects with a view to enabling him to fulfil his mandate; requests the Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the attention of the Member States and relevant human rights bodies and mechanisms of the UN system. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION–ELIMINATION (Agenda item 103a) (continued)

A/RES/59/176 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination.

Expresses its concern at the fact that a great number of reports are overdue and continue to be overdue, in particular initial reports, which constitutes an obstacle to the full implementation of the Convention; strongly urges States parties to the Convention to accelerate their domestic ratification procedures with regard to the amendment to the Convention concerning the financing of the Committee and to notify the Secretary-General expeditiously in writing of their agreement to the amendment, as decided upon at the 14th Meeting of States Parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination on 15 Jan. 1992, endorsed by the General Assembly in its resolution 47/111 and further reiterated at the 16th Meeting of States Parties on 16 Jan. 1996; urges States parties to comply fully with their obligations under the Convention and to take into consideration the concluding observations at its 61st session, the reports of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination on its 66th and 67th and its 68th and 69th sessions, the report of the Secretary-General on the financial situation of the Committee and the report of the Secretary-General on the status of the Convention. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 103b)

Reports

A/59/375 Global efforts for the total elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance and the comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Sept. 2004.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/501 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.35 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.36 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.38 (8 Nov. 2004).

RACISM

See: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

RADIATION EFFECTS (Agenda item 73)

Reports

A/59/46 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 46) Report of the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation.
Issued: 2004.

RADIATION EFFECTS (Agenda item 73) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/59/L.8 Effects of atomic radiation : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Canada, China, Czech Republic, France, Guatemala, Ireland, Japan, Kazakhstan, Malaysia, Mexico, Monaco, Peru, Poland, Singapore, Slovakia, Sweden, Thailand, Ukraine and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Austria, Belarus, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Finland, Greece, Iceland, India, Israel, Netherlands and Norway (A/59/468).

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/468 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.10 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.11 (18 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution in A/59/468 (originally A/C.4/59/L.8) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/114.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/114 Effects of atomic radiation.

Requests the Scientific Committee to continue its work and invites the Scientific Committee to submit its programme of work to the General Assembly; requests the Scientific Committee to continue the review of the important problems in the field of ionizing radiation and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session; requests UNEP to continue providing support for the effective conduct of the work of the Scientific Committee; invites the Scientific Committee to continue its consultations with scientists and experts from interested Member States in the process of preparing its future scientific reports; invites Member States, the organizations of the UN system and non-governmental organizations concerned to provide further relevant data about doses, effects and risks from various sources of radiation, which would greatly help in the preparation of future reports; urges UNEP to review and strengthen the present funding of the Scientific Committee, pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 58/88, so that the Committee can discharge the responsibilities and mandate entrusted to it by the General Assembly. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

REFUGEE ASSISTANCE

See: REFUGEES

REFUGEES (Agenda item 100)

See also: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE
EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE
HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE
UNRWA–ACTIVITIES

Reports

A/59/12 (GAOR, 59th sess, Suppl. no. 12) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, 2003. Issued: 2004.

A/59/12/Add.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 12A) Report of the Executive Committee of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, 55th session (4-8 October 2004). Issued: 2004.

A/59/317 Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 31 Aug. 2004.

A/59/554 New international humanitarian order : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Nov. 2004.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/593 Letter, 3 Dec. 2004, from Armenia. Refers to the concluding observations of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on the 2nd periodic report of Azerbaijan on the implementation of the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (E/C.12/1/Add.104, 26 Nov. 2004) and concerns Azerbaijan's alleged discriminatory policies against ethnic minorities, including alleged illegal occupation of properties belonging to Armenians and other ethnic minorities.

A/59/674 Letter, 13 Jan. 2005, from Algeria. Transmits resolution, the Plan of Action and the Commitment to Cooperation and Coordination, adopted at the 6th Pan-African Conference of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies, held in Algiers, 6-13 Sept. 2004.

A/59/690 Letter, 2 Feb. 2005 from Azerbaijan. Refers to letter of 3 Dec. 2004 from Armenia (A/59/593), in which reference was made to the concluding observations of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on the 2nd periodic report of Azerbaijan (E/C.12/1/Add.104) and concerned Azerbaijan's alleged discriminatory policies against ethnic minorities, including alleged illegal occupation of properties belonging to Armenians and other ethnic minorities; refutes allegations contained therein.

REFUGEES (Agenda item 100) (continued)

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/C.3/59/10 Identical letters, 17 Nov. 2004, from Armenia addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits letter from refugees of the northern Martakert and eastern Martuni regions of the former Nagorno Karabakh Autonomous Region, as well as the Armenian populated territories of Shahumyan and Getashen, bordering Nagorno Karabakh; states that if and when a discussion on the situation of the Nagorno Karabakh conflict zone is presented at the General Assembly, it is essential for the discussion to include the situation and the needs and realities of all refugees in the entire conflict zone.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.72 Enlargement of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : draft resolution / Ghana and Romania.
Additional sponsors: Ethiopia and Togo (A/59/498).

A/C.3/59/L.73 Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Belize, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Gambia, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sudan, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Togo, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Antigua and Barbuda, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Benin, Brazil, Burundi, Egypt, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Lesotho, Mongolia, Pakistan, Republic of Moldova, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Sierra Leone, Solomon Islands, Switzerland, Tajikistan and Uruguay (A/59/498).

REFUGEES (Agenda item 100) (continued)

A/C.3/59/L.74 New international humanitarian order : draft resolution / Bosnia and Herzegovina, Djibouti, Jordan, Lebanon, Pakistan.

Additional sponsors: Bangladesh, Benin, Mexico, Qatar and Thailand (A/59/498).

A/C.3/59/L.78 Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa : draft resolution / Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, Finland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, South Africa [on behalf of the African Group], Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Cuba, Czech Republic, France, Ghana, Greece, Iceland, Sierra Leone and Spain (A/59/498).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/498 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.39 (9 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.40 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.51 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.52 (23 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/498 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.72), adopted without vote: resolution 59/169; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/59/L.73), adopted without vote: resolution 59/170; draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/59/L.74), adopted without vote: resolution 59/171; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.3/59/L.78), adopted without vote: resolution 59/172.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/169 Enlargement of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

Decides to increase the number of members of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the UN High Commissioner for Refugees from 66 to 68 States; requests the Economic and Social Council to elect the additional members at its resumed organizational session for 2005. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

REFUGEES (Agenda item 100) (continued)

A/RES/59/170 Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

Urges all States and relevant non-governmental and other organizations, to cooperate and to mobilize resources with a view to enhancing the capacity of, and reducing the heavy burden borne by, countries that have received large numbers of refugees and asylum-seekers, including by holding international consultations aimed at developing a comprehensive plan of action, as appropriate, to respond to a specific mass influx or protracted refugee situation, and calls upon the Office to continue to play its catalytic role in mobilizing assistance from the international community to address the root causes as well as the economic, environmental and social impact of large-scale refugee populations in developing countries, in particular the least developed countries, and countries with economies in transition; strongly reaffirms the fundamental importance and the purely humanitarian and non-political character of the function of the Office of the High Commissioner of providing international protection to refugees and seeking permanent solutions to refugee problems, and recalls that these solutions include voluntary repatriation and, where appropriate and feasible, local integration and resettlement in a third country, while reaffirming that voluntary repatriation, supported by necessary rehabilitation and development assistance to facilitate sustainable reintegration, remains the preferred solution. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/171 New international humanitarian order.

Urges Governments, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and others concerned to extend cooperation and provide support to the efforts of the Secretary-General, inter alia, through the relevant UN agencies and organizational mechanisms set up to address the assistance and protection needs of victims of complex emergencies as well as the safety and security of UN and other humanitarian workers; encourages intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations as well as the private sector to assist and support national and international efforts to respond to humanitarian challenges and alleviate human suffering; invites Member States, the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs of the Secretariat, relevant entities of the UN system, and intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, including the Independent Bureau for Humanitarian Issues, to reinforce activities and cooperation so as to continue to develop an agenda for humanitarian action; requests the Secretary-General to support the process of developing an agenda for humanitarian action and to report to the General Assembly at its 61st session on the overall progress made. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

REFUGEES (Agenda item 100) (continued)

A/RES/59/172 Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa.

Condemns all acts that pose a threat to the personal security and well-being of refugees and asylum-seekers, calls upon States of refuge, in cooperation with international organizations to take all necessary measures to ensure respect for the principles of refugee protection; urges the international community, in the spirit of international solidarity and burden-sharing, to continue to fund generously the refugee programmes of the Office of the High Commissioner and, taking into account the substantially increased needs of programmes in Africa, to ensure that Africa receives a fair and equitable share of the resources designated for refugees; expresses grave concern about the plight of internally displaced persons in Africa, calls upon States to take concrete action to prevent internal displacement and to meet the protection and assistance needs of internally displaced persons, recalls in that regard the Guiding Principles on Internal Displacement, and urges the international community, led by relevant UN organizations, to contribute generously to national projects and programmes aimed at alleviating the plight of internally displaced persons; requests the Secretary-General to submit a comprehensive report on assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

REGIONAL DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 65i)

See also: CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES–
REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.47 Regional disarmament : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Egypt, Indonesia, Jordan, Nepal, Peru, Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Pakistan and Turkey.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XXIV in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.47) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/89.

REGIONAL DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 65i) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/89 Regional disarmament.

Stresses that sustained efforts are needed to make progress on entire range of disarmament issues; calls upon States to conclude agreements for nuclear non-proliferation, disarmament and confidence-building measures at regional and subregional levels; supports and encourages efforts aimed at promoting confidence-building measures at the regional and subregional levels to ease regional tensions and to further disarmament and nuclear non-proliferation measures at the regional and subregional levels. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

REGISTER OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS

See: ARMS TRANSFERS–TRANSPARENCY

RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/366 Elimination of all forms of religious intolerance : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 16 Sept. 2004. - Transmits interim report prepared by the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights, Asma Jahangir, submitted in accordance with General Assembly resolution 58/184 of 22 Dec. 2003; refers to 39 communications transmitted to 29 States and also to the replies received from Governments.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.59 Elimination of religious intolerance : draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, San Marino, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Thailand, Tunisia, Ukraine and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Georgia, Grenada, Haiti, Mali, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mozambique, Nauru, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Palau, Panama, Philippines, Republic of Moldova, Serbia and Montenegro, South Africa, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, United States and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). - Cameroon, Mali, Senegal and Tunisia withdrew as sponsors (A/59/503/Add.2).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.50 (22 Nov. 2004).

**RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE (Agenda item 105b)
(continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution XVII in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.59), as a whole, was adopted (186-0-0): resolution 59/199.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/199 Elimination of all forms of religious intolerance.

Urges States to ensure that their constitutional and legal systems provide effective guarantees of freedom of thought, conscience, religion or belief, including the provision of effective remedies in cases where the right to freedom of thought, conscience, religion or belief is violated; urges States to devote particular attention to combating all practices motivated by religion or belief which lead, directly or indirectly, to human rights violations and to discrimination against women; requests the Commission on Human Rights to continue its consideration of measures to implement the Declaration; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the Special Rapporteur receives the necessary resources to enable her to discharge her mandate fully; decides to consider the question of the elimination of all forms of religious intolerance at its 60th session. (Adopted 186-0-0, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

**REPERTORY OF PRACTICE OF UNITED NATIONS
ORGANS**

See: UN-CHARTER

RETURNEES

See: REFUGEES

REVERSE TRANSFER OF RESOURCES

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

RIGHT TO DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/255 The right to development : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.37 The right to development : draft resolution / Malaysia [on behalf of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries].

Additional sponsors: Benin, Cambodia and Tajikistan (A/59/503/Add.2).

**Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and
Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)**

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

**RIGHT TO DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 105b)
(continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution III in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.37) was adopted (181-2-4): resolution 59/185.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/185 The right to development.

Endorses the agreed conclusions and recommendations adopted by the Working Group on the Right to Development at its 5th session, and calls for their immediate, full and effective implementation by the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights and other relevant actors; stresses the need to strive for greater acceptance, operationalization and realization of the right to development at the international and national levels, and calls upon States to institute the measures required for the implementation of the right to development as a fundamental human right; calls upon the UN agencies, funds and programmes, as well as the specialized agencies, to mainstream the right to development in their operational programmes and objectives, and stresses the need for the international financial and multilateral trading systems to mainstream the right to development in their policies and objectives; requests the Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the attention of Member States, UN organs and bodies, specialized agencies, funds and programmes, international development and financial institutions, in particular the Bretton Woods institutions, and non-governmental organizations. (Adopted 181-2-4, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

RIGHT TO FOOD (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/385 The right to food : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Sept. 2004. - Transmits interim report of the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on the Right to Food, Jean Ziegler, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 58/186.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.64 The right to food : draft resolution / Algeria, Azerbaijan, Botswana, Cameroon, Central African Republic, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Ecuador, El Salvador, Ghana, Islamic Republic of Iran, Madagascar, Mauritania, Mexico, Myanmar, Namibia, Nigeria, Pakistan, Peru, Qatar, Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Togo, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

RIGHT TO FOOD (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/C.3/59/L.64/Rev.1 The right to food : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Andorra, Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Bhutan, Botswana, Brazil, Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, China, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Dominica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gambia, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea Bissau, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mexico, Mozambique, Myanmar, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, Paraguay, Peru, Qatar, Romania, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Togo, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Dominican Republic, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guinea, Haiti, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Lebanon, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Malaysia, Nepal, Nicaragua, Philippines, Portugal, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Slovenia, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Suriname, Swaziland, Switzerland, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago and Tunisia. - Malaysia withdrew as a sponsor of the draft resolution (A/59/503/Add.2).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.49 (19 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution XX in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.64/Rev.1) was adopted (182-3-0): resolution 59/202.

RIGHT TO FOOD (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/202 The right to food.

Expresses its concern that women are disproportionately affected by hunger, food insecurity and poverty, in part as a result of gender inequality, that in many countries, girls are twice as likely as boys to die from malnutrition and preventable childhood diseases, and that it is estimated that almost twice as many women as men suffer from malnutrition; urges States to give adequate priority in their development strategies and expenditures to the realization of the right to food; supports the realization of the mandate of the Special Rapporteur as extended by the Commission on Human Rights in its resolution 2003/25 of 22 Apr. 2003; requests the Secretary-General and the High Commissioner to provide all the necessary human and financial resources for the effective fulfilment of the mandate of the Special Rapporteur; invites Governments, relevant UN agencies, funds and programmes, treaty bodies, civil society actors, including non-governmental organizations, as well as the private sector, to cooperate fully with the Special Rapporteur in the fulfilment of his mandate, inter alia, through the submission of comments and suggestions on ways and means of realizing the right to food. (Adopted 182-3-0, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

RIGHT TO HEALTH (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/422 The right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 8 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of Paul Hunt, Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights, submitted in accordance with Commission resolution 2004/27.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/C.3/59/SR.30 (29 Oct. 2004).

RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION

See: SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 101)

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS–TREATIES–IMPLEMENTATION

Reports

A/59/41 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 41) Report of the Committee on the Rights of the Child.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/41/Add.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 41) Report of the Committee on the Rights of the Child : addendum.
Issued: 6 Sept. 2004.

A/59/41/Corr.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 41) Report of the Committee on the Rights of the Child : corrigendum.
Issued: 23 July 2004. - Corrects text.

**RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 101)
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A/59/190 Status of the Convention on the Rights of the Child : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 30 July 2004.

A/59/274 Follow-up to the United Nations special session on children : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 17 Aug. 2004.

A/59/331 Comprehensive assessment of the United Nations System response to children affected by armed conflict : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 3 Sept. 2004.

A/59/426 Report of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict.
Issued: 8 Oct. 2004.

A/59/597 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 ; international convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings : programme budget implications arising from the decision of the 6th Committee at its 27th meeting, on 19 November 2004 ; International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 ; rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev. 1 ; revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed sessions of 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 6 Dec. 2004.

A/59/695 (S/2005/72) Children and armed conflict : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Feb. 2005.

General documents

A/59/184 (S/2004/602) Letter, 26 July 2004, from Colombia, Myanmar, Nepal, the Philippines, Sri Lanka, the Sudan and Uganda. Concerns the 2 corrigenda to the report on children and armed conflict (A/58/546/Corr.1-S/2003/1053/Corr.1 and A/58/546/Corr.2-S/2003/1053/Corr.2); states that the corrigenda show a double standard in relation to the UN work in protecting children and thus undermine the credibility, accuracy and sincerity of the report; concern also use by the Secretariat of the Geneva Conventions and the Additional Protocols in indicating a definition of "armed conflict".

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

**RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 101)
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A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/C.3/59/L.82 Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/L.29/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.82/Add.1 Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/L.29/Rev.1 : statement : addendum / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/22 Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.28 The situation of and assistance to Palestinian children : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belize, Brunei Darussalam, Cuba, Egypt, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mali, Morocco, Namibia, Niger, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen, Zimbabwe and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Barbados, Burkina Faso, China, Comoros, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Malawi, Mauritania, Nigeria, Somalia and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/59/499).

A/C.3/59/L.29 Rights of the child : draft resolution / Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Croatia, Monaco, Norway, Republic of Moldova and Romania (A/59/499).

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A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev.1 Rights of the child : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Ukraine, Uruguay and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Australia, Belarus, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Grenada, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Liechtenstein, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Mongolia, Mozambique, Namibia, Nepal, New Zealand, Philippines, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Serbia and Montenegro, Somalia, South Africa, Switzerland, Thailand, Togo, Tunisia and Zambia (A/59/499).

A/C.3/59/L.81 Rights of the child : amendments to draft resolution A/C.3/L.29/Rev.1 / United States of America.

The amendments were rejected by the 3rd Committee (A/59/499).

A/C.3/59/L.83 [Rights of the child] : proposed amendments to draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev.1 / Algeria, Egypt, Malaysia, Saudi Arabia and Sudan.

The amendments were rejected by the 3rd Committee (A/59/499).

A/C.5/59/L.21 Draft decisions submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/499 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.16 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.17 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.18 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.19 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.20 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.21 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.33 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.52 (23 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/642 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.29 (13 Dec. 2004).

**RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 101)
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Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolution and draft decision in A/59/499 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.28), adopted (117-5-62): resolution 59/173; draft decision entitled "Report of the Committee on the Rights of the Child", adopted without vote: decision 59/525.

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/499 (originally A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev.1), as a whole, was adopted (166-2-1): resolution 59/261.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/173 The situation of and assistance to Palestinian children.

Stresses the urgent need for Palestinian children to live a normal life free from foreign occupation, destruction and fear in their own State; demands, in the meanwhile, that Israel, the occupying Power, respect relevant provisions of the Convention on the Rights of the Child and comply fully with the provisions of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 Aug. 1949, in order to ensure the well-being and protection of Palestinian children and their families; calls upon the international community to provide urgently needed assistance and services in an effort to alleviate the dire humanitarian crisis being faced by Palestinian children and their families and to help in the reconstruction of relevant Palestinian institutions. (Adopted 117-5-62, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 101)
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A/RES/59/261 Rights of the child.

Expresses its concern about the great number of reservations to the Convention, and urges States parties to withdraw reservations that are incompatible with the object and purpose of the Convention and to consider reviewing other reservations with a view to withdrawing them; decides: (a) to request the Secretary-General to prepare an updated report on the progress achieved in realizing the commitments set out in the document entitled "A world fit for children"; (b) to request the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on the rights of the child, containing information on the status of the Convention and the issues addressed in the present resolution; (c) to request the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict to continue to submit reports to the General Assembly and the Commission on Human Rights and to ensure that they contain relevant, accurate and objective information on the situation of children affected by armed conflict; (d) to invite the Chairman of the Committee on the Rights of the Child to present an oral report on the work of the Committee to the General Assembly at its 60th session; (e) to focus its general debate regarding the promotion of the rights of the child, at future sessions, on specific challenges, beginning, at its 60th session, with the contribution that the implementation of the Convention on the Rights of the Child can make to the eradication of poverty and hunger; (f) to continue its consideration of the question at its 60th session. (Adopted 166-2-1, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

RIO DECLARATION ON ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOPMENT (1992)

See: ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–
CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO,
BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP

RULE OF LAW–HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT
(Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/402 Strengthening of the rule of law : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Oct. 2004.

RULES OF PROCEDURE–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY

See: UN–CHARTER

RWANDA

See: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–ACCOUNTS
INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–FINANCING
INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–REPORTS

SAFETY OF HUMANITARIAN PERSONNEL

See: HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

SAINT HELENA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/478 entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/134.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-IX] Saint Helena.

Welcomes the continuing constitutional review process led by the Government of Saint Helena in cooperation with the administering Power; requests the administering Power and relevant international organizations to continue to support the efforts of the territorial Government to address the socio-economic development challenges, including the high unemployment and the limited transport and communications problems. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

SANCTIONS–INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
(Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/436 Human rights and unilateral coercive measures : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 15 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/C.3/59/9 Letter, 11 Nov. 2004, from Armenia. Refers to the Secretary-General's report to the General Assembly entitled "Human rights and unilateral coercive measures" (A/59/436) and states that the information on Nagorno-Karabakh situation provided by Azerbaijan is misleading.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.40 Human rights and unilateral coercive measures : draft resolution / Malaysia [on behalf of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries].

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

SANCTIONS–INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (Agenda item 105b) (continued)

A/C.3/59/SR.48 (19 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution VI in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.40) was adopted (132-53-0): resolution 59/188.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/188 Human rights and unilateral coercive measures.

Urges all States to refrain from adopting or implementing any unilateral measures not in accordance with international law and the Charter of the UN, in particular those of a coercive nature with all their extraterritorial effects, which create obstacles to trade relations among States, thus impeding the full realization of the rights set forth in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and other international human rights instruments, in particular the right of individuals and peoples to development; rejects unilateral coercive measures with all their extraterritorial effects as tools for political or economic pressure against any country, in particular against developing countries, because of their negative effects on the realization of all the human rights of vast sectors of their populations, in particular children, women and the elderly; urges the Commission on Human Rights to take fully into account the negative impact of unilateral coercive measures, including the enactment of national laws and their extraterritorial application, in its task concerning the implementation of the right to development; requests the Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the attention of all Member States, to continue to collect their views and information on the implications and negative effects of unilateral coercive measures on their populations and to submit an analytical report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session, highlighting the practical and preventive measures in this respect; decides to examine the question on a priority basis at its 60th session. (Adopted 132-53-0, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

SCALE OF ASSESSMENTS–UN MEMBERS

See: UN–BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY–INTERNATIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 61)

General documents

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY–INTERNATIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 61) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.32 Role of science and technology in the context of international security and disarmament : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Bhutan, Burkina Faso, Congo, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Fiji, Haiti, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Kenya, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mauritius, Myanmar, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Peru, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Viet Nam and Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Cambodia, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guyana, Madagascar (A/59/455).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/455 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/455 (originally A/C.1/59/L.32) was adopted (106-48-21): resolution 59/62.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/62 Role of science and technology in the context of international security and disarmament.

Affirms that scientific and technological progress should be used for benefit of all mankind to promote sustainable economic and social development of all States and to safeguard international security; urges all Member States to undertake multilateral negotiations with participation of all interested States to establish universally acceptable, non-discriminatory guidelines for international transfers of dual-use goods and technologies and high technology with military applications; encourages UN bodies to contribute to promoting application of science and technology for peaceful purposes. (Adopted 106-48-21, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

SEA-BED–ARMS RACE (Agenda item 65b)

Reports

A/59/117 Further measures in the field of disarmament for the prevention of an arms race on the seabed and the ocean floor and in the subsoil thereof : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 June 2004. – Includes information received from Governments.

A/59/117/Add.1 Further measures in the field of disarmament for the prevention of an arms race on the seabed and the ocean floor and in the subsoil thereof : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 29 Sept. 2004.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

SECRETARIAT – WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

SECURITY ASSURANCES–NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES

See: NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES–SECURITY

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES (Agenda item 104)

See also: DECOLONIZATION

NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES–
REPORTS

Reports

A/59/191 Use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 July 2004. – Transmits a brief report prepared by the UN Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights; includes summaries of correspondences from Croatia, Mauritius and Cuba.

A/59/376 Right of peoples to self-determination : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/66 (S/2004/219) Letter, 16 Mar. 2004, from Azerbaijan. Transmits memorandum on the legal aspects of the conflict in and around the Nagorno Karabakh region.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/427 (S/2004/806) Identical letters, 8 Oct. 2004, from Palestine addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns statement made by a senior adviser to the Israeli Prime Minister that allegedly revealed the intention of Israel to use the disengagement plan as a means of "freezing" the peace process and ensuring that there would be no political process with the Palestinians; requests that such revelations should be directly, clearly and urgently addressed by the international community, including by the Quartet.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES (Agenda item 104) (continued)

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.68 Use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Burundi, Chile, Costa Rica, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Guinea-Bissau, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Madagascar, Myanmar, Namibia, Nigeria, Peru, Russian Federation, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Viet Nam and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Benin, Botswana, Cambodia, China, Comoros, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Gambia, Kenya, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malawi, Pakistan, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Swaziland, Togo, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Zambia (A/59/502).

A/C.3/59/L.70 The right of the Palestinian people to self-determination : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belize, Brunei Darussalam, China, Comoros, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Egypt, Eritrea, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saint Lucia, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Timor-Leste, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Viet Nam, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ecuador, Guinea-Bissau, Nigeria and Zimbabwe (A/59/502).

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES (Agenda item 104) (continued)

A/C.3/59/L.70/Rev.1 The right of the Palestinian people to self-determination : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Armenia, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belize, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, China, Comoros, Congo, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Ecuador, Egypt, Eritrea, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malawi, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saint Lucia, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Timor-Leste, Tunisia, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, Viet Nam, Yemen, Zambia, Zimbabwe and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Central African Republic, Cyprus, Estonia, Finland, France, Greece, Grenada, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Swaziland, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/59/502).

A/C.3/59/L.75 Universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination : draft resolution / Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Burkina Faso, Egypt, Eritrea, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan and Qatar.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Benin, Bahrain, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Jordan, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Somalia, Thailand and United Arab Emirates (A/59/502).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/502 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.35 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.36 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.38 (8 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.43 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.49 (19 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.51 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.52 (23 Nov. 2004).

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES (Agenda item 104) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/502 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.68), adopted (129-46-13); resolution 59/178; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/59/L.70/Rev.1), adopted (179-5-3); resolution 59/179; draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/59/L.75), adopted without vote: resolution 59/180.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/178 Use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination.

Welcomes the appointment of Shaista Shameem as Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on the use of mercenaries as a means of impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination, and encourages her to continue and further advance the valuable work done and the important contributions made by Enrique Bernales Ballesteros in the 16 years of his mandate; requests the new Special Rapporteur to circulate to States and consult with them on the new proposal for a legal definition of a mercenary drafted by the former Special Rapporteur and to report her findings to the Commission on Human Rights and the General Assembly; requests the Office of the High Commissioner, as a matter of priority, to publicize the adverse effects of the activities of mercenaries on the right of peoples to self-determination and, when requested and where necessary, to render advisory services to States that are affected by those activities; urges all States to cooperate fully with the Special Rapporteur in the fulfilment of her mandate; requests the Special Rapporteur to consult States and intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations in the implementation of the present resolution and to report, with specific recommendations, to the General Assembly at its 60th session her findings on the use of mercenaries to undermine the right of peoples to self-determination. (Adopted 129-46-13, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/179 The right of the Palestinian people to self-determination.

Reaffirms the right of the Palestinian people to self-determination, including the right to their independent State of Palestine; urges all States and the specialized agencies and organizations of the UN system to continue to support and assist the Palestinian people in the early realization of their right to self-determination. (Adopted 179-5-3, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES (Agenda item 104) (continued)

A/RES/59/180 Universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination.

Declares its firm opposition to acts of foreign military intervention, aggression and occupation, since these have resulted in the suppression of the right of peoples to self-determination and other human rights in certain parts of the world; deplores the plight of millions of refugees and displaced persons who have been uprooted as a result of the aforementioned acts, and reaffirms their right to return to their homes voluntarily in safety and honour; requests the Commission on Human Rights to continue to give special attention to the violation of human rights, especially the right to self-determination, resulting from foreign military intervention, aggression or occupation. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO–ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO

SHANGHAI COOPERATION ORGANIZATION–OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 151)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.3 Observer status for the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in the General Assembly : draft resolution / China, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/517 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.2 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/517 (originally A/C.6/59/L.3) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/48.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/48 Observer status for the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in the General Assembly. Decides to invite the Shanghai Cooperation Organization to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer; requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary action to implement the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

SIERRA LEONE–HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–SIERRA LEONE

SMALL ARMS–ILLICIT TRAFFIC (Agenda item 65z)

Reports

A/59/181 Assistance to States for curbing illicit traffic in small arms and collecting them : the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 July 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.7 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.8 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.43 The illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects : draft resolution / Argentina, Bangladesh, Bolivia, Botswana, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Japan, Kenya, Liberia, Mexico, Mongolia, Mozambique, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Republic of Moldova, Senegal, South Africa, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Algeria, Andorra, Australia, the Bahamas, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Congo, Djibouti, Guyana, India, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Malta, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Papua New Guinea, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Samoa, Sierra Leone, Suriname, Thailand, Ukraine, Uruguay and Venezuela (A/59/459).

**SMALL ARMS–ILLICIT TRAFFIC (Agenda item 65z)
(continued)**

A/C.1/59/L.43/Rev.1 The illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects : revised draft resolution / Afghanistan, Algeria, Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Bahamas, Bangladesh, Belize, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, India, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Liberia, Malta, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Peru, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Samoa, Senegal, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Suriname, Thailand, Uganda, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Venezuela, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Monaco, Nepal, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Somalia, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey and United Kingdom (A/59/459).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.12 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.21 (3 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XXI in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.43/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/86.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/86 The illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects.

Decides that the UN conference to review progress made in the implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects shall be held in New York for a period of 2 weeks 26 June–7 July 2006; also decides that the preparatory committee for the conference shall hold a two-week session in New York 9–20 Jan. 2006; further decides that the 2nd biennial meeting of States to consider national, regional and global implementation of the Programme of Action shall be held in New York 11–15 July 2006. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**SMALL ARMS–ILLICIT TRAFFIC–ASSISTANCE
(Agenda item 65y)**

Reports

A/59/181 Assistance to States for curbing illicit traffic in small arms and collecting them : the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 July 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.7 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.21 Assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and collecting them : draft resolution / Benin, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Côte d'Ivoire, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Mali [on behalf of the Economic Community of West African States], Niger, Nigeria, Senegal, Sierra-Leone and Togo.

A/C.1/59/L.21/Rev.1 Assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and collecting them : revised draft resolution / Benin, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Côte d'Ivoire, El Salvador, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Mali [on behalf of the Economic Community of West African States], Niger, Nigeria, Senegal, Sierra Leone and Togo.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Austria, Belgium, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Central African Republic, Cyprus, Denmark, Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Fiji, France, Gabon, Greece, Haiti, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Malawi, Malta, Mauritius, Netherlands, Norway, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, San Marino, Slovakia, Somalia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom and Zimbabwe (A/59/459).

**SMALL ARMS–ILLICIT TRAFFIC–ASSISTANCE
(Agenda item 65y) (continued)**

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution IX (originally A/C.1/59/L.21/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/74.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/74 Assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and collecting them.

Encourages international community to support implementation of moratorium on importation, exportation and manufacture of small arms and light weapons in West Africa; encourages establishment in the Sahelo-Saharan subregion of national commissions to combat illicit proliferation of small arms; also encourages involvement of civil society in efforts of national commissions to combat illicit traffic in small arms; further encourages cooperation among State organs, international organizations and civil society in combating illicit traffic in small arms; calls upon international community to provide technical and financial support to strengthen capacity of civil organizations to take actions to combat illicit trade in small arms. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES–
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

See: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–DEVELOPING
ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES (1994 :
BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 94)

See also: LITERACY–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (2003–
2012)
POVERTY–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (1997–
2006)
SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT–CONFERENCES
(1995 : COPENHAGEN)–FOLLOW-UP
SOCIAL SITUATION

Reports

A/59/176 Preparations for and observance of the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family in 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 July 2004.

General documents

A/59/73 Letter, 5 Apr. 2004, from El Salvador. Transmits note dated 17 Mar. 2004 from the Minister for Foreign Affairs concerning the launching of the Global Commission on International Migration, with a view to discussing ways of resolving various problems resulting from international migration.

**SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 94)
(continued)**

A/59/592 Letter, 2 Dec. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits the Doha Declaration of the International Conference for the Observance of the 10th Anniversary of the International Year of the Family, issued on 30 Nov. 2004.

A/59/599 Letter, 7 Dec. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits final report of the Doha International Conference for the Family, Doha, 20–30 Nov. 2004.

A/59/628 Letter, 17 Dec. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits texts of speeches delivered by the President of the Supreme Council for Family Affairs and the First Deputy Prime Minister for Foreign Affairs of Qatar at the session of the Doha International Conference for the Family, Doha, 29–30 Nov. 2004.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7–10 May 2005.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28–30 June 2005.

**Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and
Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)**

A/59/492 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.4 (5 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

**SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT–CONFERENCES (1995 :
COPENHAGEN)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 93)**

Reports

A/59/120 Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the 24th special session of the General Assembly : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 25 June 2004.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11–12 June 2004.

**SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT–CONFERENCES (1995 :
COPENHAGEN)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 93)
(continued)**

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.16 Outcome of the 10-year review of the World Summit for Social Development and of the 24th special session of the General Assembly : draft decision / South Africa.

The draft decision was withdrawn by its sponsor (A/59/491).

A/C.3/59/L.17 Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and the 24th special session of the General Assembly : draft resolution / Chile.

A/C.3/59/L.17/Rev.1 Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and the 24th special session of the General Assembly : revised draft resolution / Chile, Colombia, China, Congo, Ecuador, Guatemala, Japan, Morocco, Peru and Republic of Korea.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Belgium, Belize, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, Egypt, El Salvador, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Grenada, Guinea, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Mozambique, Myanmar, Namibia, Nepal, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, San Marino, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Tajikistan, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Togo, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe (A/59/491).

**SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT–CONFERENCES (1995 :
COPENHAGEN)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 93)
(continued)**

**Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and
Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)**

A/59/491 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.1 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.4 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.5 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.18 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/491 (originally A/C.3/59/L.17/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/146.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/146 Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the 24th special session of the General Assembly.

Underlines the significance of the 43rd session of the Commission for Social Development, which will mark the 10th anniversary of the World Summit for Social Development and at which the Commission will undertake a review of the implementation of the Copenhagen Declaration on Social Development and the Programme of Action and the outcome of the 24th special session of the General Assembly, and recommends that the Commission reflect the outcome of its review, on an exceptional basis, in a short declaration to be elaborated during its 43rd session, reaffirming the agreed commitments and the need for continued implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the 24th special session; stresses the vital importance of achieving social development for all and of integrating social development objectives, as set out in the Copenhagen Declaration and the Programme of Action and in the further initiatives for social development, into economic policy-making, including into policies that influence domestic and global market forces and the global economy; recognizes that, while action taken to implement the outcomes of the major UN summits, conferences and special sessions in the economic, social and related fields held during the past 10 years will further promote social development, strengthened and effective international and regional cooperation and assistance for development and progress towards increased participation, greater social justice and improved equity in societies will also be required. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

SOCIAL SITUATION (Agenda item 94a)

See also: AGEING PERSONS–INTERNATIONAL YEARS
(1999)

DISABLED PERSONS

FAMILY

YOUTH

General documents

A/59/592 Letter, 2 Dec. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits the Doha Declaration of the International Conference for the Observance of the 10th Anniversary of the International Year of the Family, issued on 30 Nov. 2004.

A/59/599 Letter, 7 Dec. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits final report of the Doha International Conference for the Family, Doha, 20-30 Nov. 2004.

A/59/628 Letter, 17 Dec. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits texts of speeches delivered by the President of the Supreme Council for Family Affairs and the First Deputy Prime Minister for Foreign Affairs of Qatar at the session of the Doha International Conference for the Family, Doha, 29-30 Nov. 2004.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/492 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.1 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.4 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.5 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.13 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.18 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.44 (16 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.67 (6 Dec. 2004).

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

SOMALIA–ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–SOMALIA

SOUTH ASIAN ASSOCIATION FOR REGIONAL COOPERATION–OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 162)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.21 Observer status for the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation in the General Assembly : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/544 Report of the 6th Committee.

SOUTH ASIAN ASSOCIATION FOR REGIONAL COOPERATION–OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 162) (continued)

A/C.6/59/SR.19 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.21 (5 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in **A/59/544** (originally **A/C.6/59/L.21**) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/53.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/53 Observer status for the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation in the General Assembly.

Decides to invite the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer; requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary action to implement the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY–OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 152)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.5 Observer status for the Southern African Development Community in the General Assembly : draft resolution / Angola, Botswana, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, the United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Uganda and United Kingdom (**A/59/518**).

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/518 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.2 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in **A/59/518** (originally **A/C.6/59/L.5**) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/49.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/49 Observer status for the Southern African Development Community in the General Assembly.

Decides to invite the Southern African Development Community to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer; requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary action to implement the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY–UN (Agenda item 56s)

Reports

A/59/303 Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.42 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Southern African Development Community : draft resolution / Angola, Botswana, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Japan, Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

A/59/L.42/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Southern African Development Community : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Jamaica, Rwanda, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, Timor-Leste, Togo.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.38 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.39 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.40 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.72 (15 Dec. 2004).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.42 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/140.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/140 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Southern African Development Community.

Expresses its appreciation to UN funds and programmes as well as the international community for the financial, technical and material support given to the Southern African Development Community; calls upon the international community to strengthen support for the measures taken by the Community in addressing HIV/AIDS, including commitments on the outcome of the special session of the General Assembly on HIV/AIDS, as well as support for the implementation of the Maseru Declaration on the Fight against HIV/AIDS; calls upon the international community to support the efforts of the Community in capacity-building and in addressing the new challenges, opportunities and consequences presented to the economies in the region arising from the process of globalization and liberalization; requests the Secretary-General, in consultation with the Executive Secretary of the Community, to enhance contacts aimed at promoting and harmonizing further cooperation between UN and the Community; also requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 61st session a report on cooperation between UN and the Southern African Development Community. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 15 Dec. 2004)

SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE–NUCLEAR-WEAPON- FREE ZONES

See: NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONES–SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE

SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE ISRAELI PRACTICES AFFECTING THE HUMAN RIGHTS OF THE POPULATION OF THE OCCUPIED TERRITORIES

See: TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS

SPORT AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION– INTERNATIONAL YEARS (2005) (Agenda item 47)

Reports

A/59/268 Sport for peace and development : International Year of Sport and Physical Education : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 16 Aug. 2004.

A/59/268/Add.1 Sport for peace and development : International Year of Sport and Physical Education : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 22 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.9 Sport as a means to promote education, health, development and peace : draft resolution / Algeria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Burkina Faso, China, Cuba, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Egypt, France, Greece, Mali, Morocco, Qatar, Russian Federation, Somalia, South Africa, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia and Turkey.

A/59/L.9/Add.1 Sport as a means to promote education, health, development and peace : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Bahrain, Belgium, Brunei Darussalam, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Eritrea, Georgia, Ghana, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malaysia, Malta, Monaco, Mongolia, Myanmar, Oman, Pakistan, Palau, Peru, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Rwanda, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sudan, Suriname, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, Uruguay, Viet Nam and Yemen.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.41 (26 Oct. 2004).

**SPORT AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION–
INTERNATIONAL YEARS (2005) (Agenda item 47)
(continued)**

A/59/PV.42 (27 Oct. 2004).

At the 42nd meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.9, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/10.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/10 Sport as a means to promote education, health, development and peace.

Decides to launch, on 5 Nov. 2004, the International Year for Sport and Physical Education, as a means to promote education, health, development and peace; invites Governments, the UN, its funds and programmes, the specialized agencies, where appropriate, and sport-related institutions to organize events to underline their commitment and to seek the assistance of sports personalities in this regard; acknowledges that the Olympic Games contribute to understanding between peoples and civilizations, and welcomes in this regard the contribution of the 2004 Olympic Games organized in Athens; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution and on the events organized at the national, regional and international levels to celebrate the year 2005, under the item entitled "International Year of Sport and Physical Education" (Adopted without vote, 42nd plenary meeting, 27 Oct. 2004)

STAFF RULES–UN

See: UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

STAFF SECURITY (Agenda item 149)

Reports

A/59/52 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 52) Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Scope of Legal Protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel, 12-16 April 2004.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/226 Scope of legal protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Aug. 2004.

A/C.6/59/L.9 Scope of legal protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel : report of the Working Group on the Scope of Legal Protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel.
Issued: 15 Oct. 2004.

A/C.6/59/WG.2/CRP.1 Draft report of the Working Group on the Scope of Legal Protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel.
Issued: 12 Oct. 2004.

STAFF SECURITY (Agenda item 149) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.20 Scope of legal protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Denmark, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Monaco, Nauru, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Sierra Leone, Samoa, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Tuvalu, Ukraine and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Brazil, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Estonia, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Latvia, Lesotho, Lithuania, Mali, Malta, Nigeria, Poland, Serbia and Montenegro, Solomon Islands, Thailand and Uganda (A/59/515).

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/515 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/59/515/Corr.1 Report of the 6th Committee : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.6/59/SR.10 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.13 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.26 (17 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/515 (originally A/C.6/59/L.20) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/47.

STAFF SECURITY (Agenda item 149) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/47 Scope of legal protection under the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel.

Urges States to take all necessary measures to prevent crimes against UN and associated personnel from occurring; also urges States to ensure that crimes against UN and associated personnel do not go unpunished; affirms the obligation of all States to comply fully with their obligations under the relevant rules and principles of international law; calls upon all States to become parties to and to respect fully their obligations under the relevant international instruments; recommends that the Secretary-General continue to seek the inclusion of key provisions of the Convention; recommends also that the Secretary-General advise the Security Council or the General Assembly, where circumstances would support a declaration of exceptional risk; urges the Secretary-General and relevant bodies to continue to take such other practical measures as are within their authority to strengthen protection for UN and associated personnel; decides that the Ad Hoc Committee established under resolution 56/89 shall reconvene for one week, 11-15 Apr. 2005, with a mandate to expand the scope of legal protection under the Convention on the Safety of UN and Associated Personnel. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

STATE IMMUNITIES (Agenda item 142)

Reports

A/59/22 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 22) Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on Jurisdictional Immunities of States and Their Property, 1-5 March 2004.
Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.16 Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property : draft resolution.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/508 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.13 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.14 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.21 (5 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.25 (9 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/508 (originally A/C.6/59/L.16) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/38.

STATE IMMUNITIES (Agenda item 142) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/38 Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property.

Agrees with the general understanding reached in the Ad Hoc Committee that the UN Convention on Jurisdictional Immunities of States and Their Property does not cover criminal proceedings; adopts the UN Convention on Jurisdictional Immunities of States and Their Property and requests the Secretary-General as depositary to open it for signature; invites States to become parties to the Convention. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

STATE RESPONSIBILITY-INTERNATIONAL LAW (Agenda item 139)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.22 Responsibility of States for internationally wrongful acts : draft resolution.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/505 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.15 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.16 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.25 (9 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.26 (17 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/505 (originally A/C.6/59/L.22) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/35.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/35 Responsibility of States for internationally wrongful acts.

Commends the articles on responsibility of States for internationally wrongful acts to the attention of Governments; requests the Secretary-General to invite Governments to submit their written comments on any future action regarding the articles; also requests the Secretary-General to prepare an initial compilation of decisions of international courts, tribunals, and other bodies that refer to the articles; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 62nd session an item entitled "Responsibility of States for internationally wrongful acts". (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

STRADDLING FISH STOCKS (Agenda item 49b)

Reports

A/59/298 Sustainable fisheries, including through the Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 26 Aug. 2004.

STRADDLING FISH STOCKS (Agenda item 49b)
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Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.23 Sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments : draft resolution / Austria, Brazil, Canada, Cyprus, Denmark, Fiji, Finland, Iceland, Ireland, Malta, Marshall Islands, Monaco, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Sweden, Tonga, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and United States of America.

A/59/L.23/Add.1 Sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Australia, Belgium, Belize, Cameroon, Germany, Greece, Italy, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nauru, Nicaragua, Papua New Guinea, Poland, Saint Lucia, Samoa, Sierra Leone, Spain and Ukraine.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.54 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.55 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.56 (17 Nov. 2004).

At the 56th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.23, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/25.

STRADDLING FISH STOCKS (Agenda item 49b)
(continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/25 Sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments.

Reaffirms the importance it attaches to the conservation, management and sustainable use of the marine living resources of the world's oceans and seas, in accordance with international law; calls upon all States that have not done so, in order to achieve the goal of universal participation, to become parties to the Convention, reaffirms the importance of the Johannesburg Plan; urges all States to apply the precautionary approach and the ecosystem approach widely to the conservation, management and exploitation of fish stocks; calls upon all States to ensure that their vessels comply with the conservation and management measures that have been adopted; requests the Secretary-General to convene a one-week review conference in the first part of 2006, with a view to assessing the effectiveness of the Agreement in securing the conservation and management of straddling fish stocks and highly migratory fish stocks; calls upon all States that have not yet become parties to that Agreement to do so as a matter of priority; urges parties to the Compliance Agreement to exchange information in the implementation of that Agreement; emphasizes once again its serious concern that illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing remains one of the greatest threats to marine ecosystems; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session, under the item entitled "Oceans and the law of the sea", the sub-item entitled "Sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the UN Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments". (Adopted without vote, 56th plenary meeting, 17 Nov. 2004)

STRENGTHENING OF UN SYSTEM

See: UN SYSTEM–STRENGTHENING

SUDAN–HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–SUDAN

SUMMARY EXECUTIONS (Agenda item 105b)

Reports

A/59/319 Interim report of the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 1 Sept. 2004. - Transmits interim report on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions submitted by the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights, Asma Jahangir, in accordance with paragraph 22 of General Assembly resolution 57/214.

**SUMMARY EXECUTIONS (Agenda item 105b)
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Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.57 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Swaziland, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Ukraine and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

A/C.3/59/L.57/Rev.1 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, the Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Swaziland, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Armenia, Canada, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, New Zealand, Turkey and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/59/503/Add.2).

A/C.3/59/L.79 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : amendments to draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.57 / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, China, Djibouti, Egypt, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania and Zimbabwe.

A/C.3/59/L.80 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : amendments to draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.57/Rev.1 / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, China, Djibouti, Egypt, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Kuwait and Viet Nam. - The amendment was rejected by the Committee (A/59/503/Add.2).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.26 (27 Oct. 2004).

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A/C.3/59/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.41 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.50 (22 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution XV in A/59/503/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/59/L.57/Rev.1), as a whole, was adopted (142-0-43): resolution 59/197.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/197 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions.

Strongly condemns once again all the extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions that continue to occur throughout the world; demands that all Governments ensure that the practice of extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions is brought to an end and that they take effective action to combat and eliminate the phenomenon in all its forms; urges the Special Rapporteur to continue, within his mandate, to bring to the attention of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights and, as appropriate, the Special Adviser to the Secretary-General on the Prevention of Genocide, situations of extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions that are of particularly serious concern or in which early action might prevent further deterioration; requests the Secretary-General to provide the Special Rapporteur with adequate human, financial and material resources to enable him to carry out his mandate effectively, including through country visits; also requests the Secretary-General to continue, in close collaboration with the High Commissioner, in conformity with the mandate of the High Commissioner established by the General Assembly in its resolution 48/141 of 20 Dec. 1993, to ensure that personnel specialized in human rights and humanitarian law issues form part of UN missions, where appropriate, in order to deal with serious violations of human rights, such as extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions. (Adopted 142-0-43, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

SUPPORT ACCOUNT FOR PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

See: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 85)

See also: BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY–TREATIES (1992)

CLIMATE

DESERTIFICATION–TREATIES (1996)

DEVELOPMENT EDUCATION–INTERNATIONAL
DECADES

DISASTER PREVENTION

ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE

DEVELOPMENT–CONFERENCES (1992 :
RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP

MOUNTAIN AREAS–SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–DEVELOPING
ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES
(1994 : BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP

Reports

A/59/25 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 25) United Nations Environment Programme : report of the Governing Council, 8th special session, 29-31 March 2004.

Issued: 2004.

A/59/81 (E/2004/63) Products harmful to health and the environment : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 10 May 2004.

A/59/167 Activities undertaken during the International Year of Freshwater, 2003, and further efforts to achieve the sustainable development of water resources : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 22 July 2004.

A/59/262 Universal membership of the Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum of the United Nations Environment Programme : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 13 Aug. 2004.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

A/59/158 Letter, 15 July 2004, from the Lao People's Democratic Republic. Concerns ministerial communiqué of the Group of Landlocked Developing Countries, adopted on 13 June 2004, on the sideline of UNCTAD XI, held in São Paulo, Brazil (document TD/409) and requests its circulation in the General Assembly.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 85) (continued)

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/541 (S/2004/873) Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits Declaration of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-building Measures in Asia, adopted at their ministerial meeting, held in Almaty, 22 Oct. 2004.

A/59/767 Letter, 28 Mar. 2005, from Jamaica. Transmits Final Communiqué adopted by the 38th Meeting of the Chairmen/Coordinators of the Group of 77 Chapters, held in Geneva, 1-2 Mar. 2005.

A/59/818 Letter, 6 June 2005, from Brazil. Transmits the Brasilia Declaration, adopted at the South American and Arab Countries Summit held in Brasília, 10-11 May 2005; establishes a partnership to pursue development, justice and international peace.

A/59/844 Letter, 13 June 2005, from the United Kingdom. Reports that the United Kingdom hosted a meeting of experts on 16 May 2005 with representatives of international and regional organizations from 22 countries to discuss the principle of an arms trade treaty; attaches the Chairman's conclusion of the meeting, reflecting the overall direction and content of discussion but not representing a binding commitment for the participants.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.16 Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its 8th special session : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.62 (A/59/483).

A/C.2/59/L.62 Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its 8th special session : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.16.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/483 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.14 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.15 (19 Oct. 2004).

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A/C.2/59/SR.16 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.39 (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/483 (originally A/C.2/59/L.62) was adopted without vote; resolution 59/226.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/226 Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its 8th special session.

Emphasizes the need for the UNEP, within its mandate, to further contribute to sustainable development programmes, the implementation of Agenda 21 and the Johannesburg Plan of Implementation at all levels and to the work of the Commission on Sustainable Development; calls upon all countries to further engage in the negotiations of the intergovernmental strategic plan for technology support and capacity-building; emphasizes the need to further enhance coordination and cooperation among the relevant UN organizations in the promotion of the environmental dimension of sustainable development; calls upon UNEP to continue to contribute, within its mandate and as a member of the Inter-Agency Task Force, to the preparations for the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States, to be held in Mauritius 10-14 Jan. 2005; reiterates the need for stable, adequate and predictable financial resources for UNEP; requests the Secretary-General to keep the resource needs of and the UN Office at Nairobi under review so as to permit the delivery, in an effective manner, of necessary services to the Environment Programme and to the other UN organs and organizations in Nairobi. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

**SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–DEVELOPING
ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES (1994 :
BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 85b)**

Reports

A/59/173 Promoting an integrated management approach to the Caribbean Sea area in the context of sustainable development : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 26 July 2004.

General documents

A/59/409 Accreditation of non-governmental organizations and other major groups to the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : note / by the Secretariat.

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ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES (1994 :
BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 85b)
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A/59/409/Corr.1 Accreditation of non-governmental organizations and other major groups to the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : note : corrigendum / by the Secretariat.
Corrects text.

A/59/872 Report of the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits report of the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States (A/CONF.207/11).

A/C.2/59/4 Letter, 26 Oct. 2004, from New Zealand.

Transmits the outcome of the informal consultations for the preparatory process for the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing Countries, held 17-19 May and 7-8 and 11 Oct. 2004 (A/CONF.207/L.1).

A/C.2/59/5 Accreditation of an intergovernmental organization to the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : note / by the Secretariat.

Concerns request from the Commonwealth Foundation to be invited to participate as an observer in the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.63 International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : draft resolution / Jamaica [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/59/L.63/Add.1 International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Belgium, Croatia, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Turkey, Tuvalu, United Kingdom.

A/C.2/59/L.10 Further implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.27 (A/59/483/Add.2).

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ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES (1994 :
BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 85b)
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A/C.2/59/L.17 Promoting an integrated management approach to the Caribbean Sea area in the context of sustainable development : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.34 (A/59/483/Add.2).

A/C.2/59/L.27 Further implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.10.

A/C.2/59/L.34 Promoting an integrated management approach to the Caribbean Sea area in the context of sustainable development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Ewa Anzorge (Poland), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.17.

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/483/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/483/Add.2/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee :
corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/C.2/59/SR.14 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.15 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.16 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.27 (5 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.32 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.34 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.37 (3 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, action on 2 draft resolutions in A/59/483/Add.2 and a draft decision was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/59/L.27), adopted without vote: resolution 59/229; draft resolution II (originally A/C.2/59/L.34), as a whole, adopted without vote: resolution 59/230; draft decision entitled "Accreditation of non-governmental organizations to the International Meeting in Mauritius", adopted without vote: decision 59/534.

A/59/PV.113 (14 July 2005).

At the 113th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.63 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/311.

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ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES (1994 :
BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 85b)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/229 Further implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States.

Recalls its decision, in resolution 58/213 B, to convene the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States, 10-14 Jan. 2005; decides to hold two days of informal consultations in Mauritius, on 8-9 Jan. 2005, to facilitate the effective preparation of the International Meeting; urges that representation and participation at the International Meeting be at the highest possible level; decides that non-governmental organizations whose work is relevant to the subject of the International Meeting may participate as observers in the International Meeting, subject to the approval of the General Assembly; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 59th session the report of the International Meeting, and decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/230 Promoting an integrated management approach to the Caribbean Sea area in the context of sustainable development.

Calls upon States to continue to prioritize action on marine pollution from land-based sources as part of their national sustainable development strategies and programmes; calls upon the UN system and the international community to assist Caribbean countries and their regional organizations in their efforts to ensure the protection of the Caribbean Sea from degradation as a result of pollution from ships; calls upon all relevant States to take the necessary steps to bring into force, and to support the implementation of, the Protocol Concerning Pollution from Land-based Sources and Activities to the Convention for the Protection and Development of the Marine Environment of the Wider Caribbean; calls upon all States to become contracting parties to relevant international agreements to enhance maritime safety and promote the protection of the marine environment of the Caribbean Sea from pollution, damage and degradation from ships and ship-generated waste; calls upon the international community, the UN system and the multilateral financial institutions, and invites the GEF to support actively national and regional activities towards the above-mentioned approach; urges the UN system and the international community to continue to provide aid and assistance to the countries of the Caribbean region in the implementation of their long-term programmes of disaster prevention, preparedness, mitigation, management, relief and recovery; calls upon Member States to improve their emergency response capabilities and the containment of environmental damage, particularly in the Caribbean Sea, in the event of natural disasters or of an accident or incident relating to maritime navigation. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–DEVELOPING ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCES (1994 : BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 85b) (continued)

A/RES/59/311 International Meeting to Review Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States.

Endorses the Mauritius Declaration and the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States; urges Governments and all relevant international and regional organizations to take timely actions to ensure the effective implementation of and follow-up to the Mauritius Declaration and the Mauritius Strategy for Implementation; calls for the full and effective implementation of the commitments, programmes and targets adopted at the International Meeting; recommends that the outcomes of the International Meeting be taken into consideration at the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly; supports the convening by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of regional meetings of small island developing States in 2005 or 2006, in partnership with relevant regional organizations and stakeholders, for the follow-up to the implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for Implementation. (Adopted without vote, 113th plenary meeting, 14 July 2005)

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–ENVIRONMENT–CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)

See: ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP

TAJIKISTAN–ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–TAJIKISTAN

TECHNOLOGY–MILITARY APPLICATION

See: SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY–INTERNATIONAL SECURITY

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 76)

See also: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION
PALESTINE QUESTION

Reports

A/59/338 The occupied Syrian Golan : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Sept. 2004.

A/59/339 Applicability of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 August 1949, to the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the other occupied Arab territories : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Sept. 2004.

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 76) (continued)

A/59/343 Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the occupied Syrian Golan : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Sept. 2004.

A/59/344 Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Sept. 2004.

A/59/345 Israeli practices affecting the human rights of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Sept. 2004.

A/59/381 Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 Sept. 2004. - Transmits the 36th report of the Special Committee, submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 58/96.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/427 (S/2004/806) Identical letters, 8 Oct. 2004, from Palestine addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns statement made by a senior adviser to the Israeli Prime Minister that allegedly revealed the intention of Israel to use the disengagement plan as a means of "freezing" the peace process and ensuring that there would be no political process with the Palestinians; requests that such revelations should be directly, clearly and urgently addressed by the international community, including by the Quartet.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/59/L.14 Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.
Additional sponsors: Bangladesh, Mali, Namibia, Senegal and South Africa (A/59/471).

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 76) (continued)

A/C.4/59/L.15 Applicability of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 August 1949, to the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the other occupied Arab territories : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mali, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

A/C.4/59/L.15/Rev.1 Applicability of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 August 1949, to the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the other occupied Arab territories : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mali, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Bangladesh, Namibia, Senegal and South Africa (A/59/471).

A/C.4/59/L.16 Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the occupied Syrian Golan : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

A/C.4/59/L.16/Rev.1 Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the occupied Syrian Golan : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mali, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: South Africa and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). - Mali withdrew from sponsoring the draft resolution (A/59/471).

A/C.4/59/L.17 Israeli practices affecting the human rights of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mali, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

A/C.4/59/L.17/Rev.1 Israeli practices affecting the human rights of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mali, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsor: South Africa (A/59/471).

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 76) (continued)

A/C.4/59/L.18 The occupied Syrian Golan : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.
Additional sponsors: Bangladesh, Namibia, Senegal, South Africa and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/59/471).

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/471 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.22 (8 Nov. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.23 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.24 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.25 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/471 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.4/59/L.14), adopted (84-9-80); resolution 59/121; draft resolution II (originally A/C.4/59/L.15/Rev.1), adopted (160-7-11); resolution 59/122; draft resolution III (originally A/C.4/59/L.16/Rev.1), adopted (155-8-15); resolution 59/123; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.4/59/L.17/Rev.1), adopted (149-7-22); resolution 59/124; draft resolution V (originally A/C.4/59/L.18), adopted (160-2-15); resolution 59/125.

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 76) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/121 Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories.

Reiterates its demand that Israel cooperate with the Special Committee in implementing its mandate; deplores those practices of Israel that violate the human rights of the Palestinian people and other Arabs of the occupied territories; requests the Special Committee, pending complete termination of the Israeli occupation, to continue to investigate Israeli policies and practices in the Occupied Palestinian Territory; also requests the Special Committee to submit regularly periodic reports on the current situation; further requests the Special Committee to continue to investigate the treatment of prisoners and detainees in the Occupied Palestinian Territory; requests the Secretary-General: (a) to provide the Special Committee with all necessary facilities so that it may investigate Israeli practices referred to in the present resolution; (b) to continue to make available staff to assist the Special Committee in the performance of its tasks; (c) to circulate regularly to Member States the periodic reports; (d) to ensure the widest circulation of the reports of the Special Committee and of information regarding its activities and findings; (e) to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the tasks entrusted to him in the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session the item entitled "Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories". (Adopted 84-9-80, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/122 Applicability of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 August 1949, to the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the other occupied Arab territories.

Demands that Israel accept the de jure applicability of the Convention in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and other Arab territories occupied by Israel since 1967, and that it comply scrupulously with the provisions of the Convention; calls upon all High Contracting Parties to the Convention, in accordance with article 1 common to the four Geneva Conventions and as mentioned in the Advisory Opinion of the International Court of Justice of 9 July 2004, to continue to exert all efforts to ensure respect for its provisions by Israel, the occupying Power, in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and other Arab territories occupied by Israel since 1967; reiterates the need for speedy implementation of the relevant recommendations contained in its resolutions of the 10th emergency special session; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 160-7-11, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 76) (continued)

A/RES/59/123 Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem and the Occupied Syrian Golan.

Reaffirms that Israeli settlements in the Palestinian territory, including East Jerusalem, and in the occupied Syrian Golan are illegal and an obstacle to peace and economic and social development; calls upon Israel to accept the de jure applicability of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 Aug. 1949, to the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and to the occupied Syrian Golan; reiterates its demand for the complete cessation of all Israeli settlement activities in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and in the occupied Syrian Golan, and calls for the full implementation of the relevant Security Council resolutions; demands that Israel, the occupying Power, comply with its legal obligations; stresses the need for full implementation of Security Council resolution 904 (1994); reiterates its calls for the prevention of all acts of violence by Israeli settlers, especially against Palestinian civilians and property, particularly in the light of recent developments; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution (Adopted 155-8-15, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/124 Israeli practices affecting the human rights of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem.

Demands that Israel, the occupying Power, comply fully with the provisions of the 4th Geneva Convention of 1949 and cease immediately all measures and actions taken in violation and in breach of the Convention, including the extrajudicial executions; condemns all acts of violence; condemns the events that occurred in the Jenin refugee camp in April 2002; condemns also the killing of Palestinian civilians and the widespread demolition of homes in the Rafah refugee camp in May 2004 and in the Jabaliya refugee camp in Oct. 2004; demands that Israel, cease all practices and actions which violate the human rights of the Palestinian people; demands that Israel, comply with its legal obligations under international law, and that it cease the construction of the wall in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including in and around East Jerusalem and make reparation for all damage caused by the construction of the wall; stresses the need to preserve the territorial integrity of all the Occupied Palestinian Territory and to guarantee the freedom of movement of persons and goods within the Palestinian territory, and the freedom of movement to and from the outside world; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 149-7-22, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 76) (continued)

A/RES/59/125 The occupied Syrian Golan.

Calls upon Israel, the occupying Power, to comply with the relevant resolutions on the occupied Syrian Golan, in particular Security Council resolution 497 (1981); also calls upon Israel to desist from changing the physical character, demographic composition, institutional structure and legal status of the occupied Syrian Golan and in particular to desist from the establishment of settlements; determines that all legislative and administrative measures and actions taken or to be taken by Israel, that purport to alter the character and legal status of the occupied Syrian Golan are null and void, constitute a flagrant violation of international law and of the Geneva Convention and have no legal effect; calls upon Israel to desist from imposing Israeli citizenship and Israeli identity cards on the Syrian citizens; deplores the violations by Israel of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 Aug. 1949; calls once again upon Member States not to recognize any of the legislative or administrative measures and actions referred to above; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 160-2-15, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–NATURAL RESOURCES (Agenda item 91)

See also: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

Reports

A/59/89 (E/2004/21) Economic and social repercussions of the Israeli occupation on the living conditions of the Palestinian people in the occupied Palestinian territory, including Jerusalem, and of the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan: note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 7 June 2004. - Transmits report prepared by the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia, submitted in response to the Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/59 of 24 July 2003 and General Assembly resolution 58/229 of 23 Dec. 2003.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–NATURAL RESOURCES (Agenda item 91) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.41 Permanent sovereignty of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and of the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan over their natural resources: draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

Additional sponsors: Brunei Darussalam, Cuba and Senegal (A/59/489).

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/489 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.31 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.32 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/489 (originally A/C.2/59/L.41) was adopted (156-5-11): resolution 59/251.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/251 Permanent sovereignty of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and of the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan over their natural resources.

Reaffirms the inalienable rights of the Palestinian people and the population of the occupied Syrian Golan over their natural resources, including land and water; calls upon Israel, the occupying Power, not to exploit, damage, cause loss or depletion of or endanger the natural resources in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and in the occupied Syrian Golan; recognizes the right of the Palestinian people to claim restitution as a result of any exploitation, damage, loss or depletion, or endangerment of their natural resources; requests the Secretary-General to report to it at its 60th session on the implementation of the present resolution, and decides to include this item in the provisional agenda of its 60th session. (Adopted 156-5-11, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

TERRORISM (Agenda item 148)

Reports

A/59/37 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 37) Report of the Ad Hoc Committee established by General Assembly resolution 51/210 of 17 December 1996, 8th session (28 June-2 July 2004). Issued: 2004.

A/59/210 Measures to eliminate international terrorism: report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 5 Aug. 2004.

TERRORISM (Agenda item 148) (continued)

A/59/210/Corr.1 Measures to eliminate international terrorism : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 5 Oct. 2004. - Corrects the provisional agenda item in the masthead.

A/59/766 Report of the Ad Hoc Committee established by General Assembly resolution 51/210 of 17 December 1996 : International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism.

Issued: 2004.

A/C.6/59/L.10 Measures to eliminate international terrorism : report of the Working Group.

Issued: 8 Oct. 2004.

A/C.6/59/WG.1/CRP.1 Measures to eliminate international terrorism : draft report of the Working Group.

Issued: 6 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/59/83 (S/2004/387) Letter, 12 May 2004, from the Sudan. Transmits the Khartoum Declaration on Combating Terrorism and Transnational Organized Crime, issued by the States members of the Intergovernmental Authority on Development, Khartoum, 17-19 Jan. 2004.

A/59/124 (S/2004/532) Letter, 1 July 2004, from Uzbekistan. Transmits the Tashkent Declaration of Heads of Shanghai Cooperation Organization States, adopted at their summit held in Tashkent, Uzbekistan, 17 June 2004.

A/59/337 (S/2004/721) Letter, 8 Sept. 2004, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement made by President V. Putin on 4 Sept. 2004 in connection with the recent terrorist acts in the Russian Federation.

A/59/368 (S/2004/747) Letter, 16 Sept. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits joint statement entitled "Central Asia + Japan", signed by the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of Japan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan at a meeting held in Astana, 28 Aug. 2004.

A/59/371 Letter, 21 Sept. 2004, from Cuba. Transmits letter concerning the reprieve granted by the former President of Panama to 4 Cubans who were tried and sentenced in Panama for the alleged attempted assassination of Fidel Castro in Nov. 2000; states that Cuba has decided to indefinitely sever its diplomatic relations with Panama.

A/59/380 (S/2004/757) Identical letters, 23 Sept. 2004, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports latest suicide attack allegedly perpetrated by Palestinian against Israeli citizens in northern Jerusalem, resulted in the deaths of 2 Israeli security forces and injuries to 30 civilians, 22 Sept. 2004; states that Al-Aqsa Martyrs Brigade claimed the responsibility for the attack; states further that the attack was followed by more armed incidents in the Gaza Strip were 3 military personnel were killed.

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A/59/383 (S/2004/758) Letter, 22 Sept. 2004, from Costa Rica. Transmits memorandum explaining why Costa Rica is proposing the setting up of a post of UN High Commissioner on Terrorism; describes its possible mandate, resources and procedures for its establishment.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/537 (S/2004/868) Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement by the Heads of the member States of the Commonwealth of Independent States on combating international terrorism.

A/59/538 Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement by the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation on combating international terrorism.

A/59/541 (S/2004/873) Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits Declaration of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-building Measures in Asia, adopted at their ministerial meeting, held in Almaty, 22 Oct. 2004.

A/59/548 (S/2004/880) Letter, 2 Nov. 2004, from Israel. Reports recent suicide attack allegedly committed by the 16-years-old Palestinian against Israeli citizens in Tel Aviv, resulted in the deaths of 3 civilians and injuries to more than 30 others, 1 Nov. 2004; concerns also an alleged growth in anti-Semitic propaganda and the promotion of martyrdom.

A/59/559 (S/2004/890) Identical letters, 8 Nov. 2004, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports latest attacks allegedly perpetrated by the Hizbollah against targets on the Israeli side of the Blue Line, 7 Nov. 2004, following the earlier similar attacks on 9 and 28 Oct. 2004.

A/59/571 (S/2004/906) Letter, 17 Nov. 2004, from Israel. Reports recent alleged violations of the Blue Line from Lebanese territory, including a rocket attack near the Israeli town of Shlomi, 15 Nov. 2004; reiterates call upon the international community to expect full compliance with Security Council resolutions against terrorism.

A/59/663 (S/2005/5) Letter, 3 Jan. 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits final communiqué and the Manama Declaration, adopted by the Supreme Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council at its 25th session, held in Bahrain, 20-21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/667 (S/2005/14) Letter, 11 Jan. 2005, from Israel. Reports alleged violation of the Blue Line from Lebanese territory, resulted in the death of an Israeli soldier and of a French UN officer, who was killed in the ensuing exchange of fire, 9 Jan. 2005; concerns also Israeli position regarding its compliance with Security Council resolution 425 (1978).

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A/59/678 (S/2005/40) Letter, 19 Jan. 2005, from Israel. Concerns recent alleged attacks against Israel citizens in the Gaza Strip, on the Israeli side of the Blue Line, involving Hizbullah, and in the town of Sderot, resulted in the deaths of 7 civilians and 1 military person, and injuries to many others, 9-18 Jan. 2005; calls upon the international community to reaffirm its rejection of terrorist tactics.

A/59/717 (S/2005/130) Letter, 28 Feb. 2005, from Israel. Reports an attack allegedly committed by a Palestinian suicide bomber in Tel Aviv, resulted in the deaths of 5 people and injuries to more than 50 others, 25 Feb. 2005; calls upon the Palestinian leadership and the international community to reaffirm its rejection of terrorist tactics.

A/59/726 (S/2005/143) Note verbale, 7 Mar. 2005, from the Syrian Arab Republic. Refers to document dated 28 Feb. 2005 from Israel (A/59/717-S/2005/130) and denies allegations on Syria's connection to recent armed incident in Tel-Aviv; states that it constitutes distortion of the facts and levels accusations against the Syrian Arab Republic without facts or evidence.

A/59/738 Letter, 15 Mar. 2005, from Cuba. Transmits statement concerning denial of visas by the United States authorities to Olga Salanueva and Adriana Pérez, spouses of René González and Gerardo Hernández.

A/59/739 (S/2005/170) Letter, 11 Mar. 2005, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Refers to the letters of 11 Jan. and 28 Feb. 2005 from Israel (A/59/667-S/2005/14 and A/59/717-S/2005/130) and rejects the allegations contained therein.

A/59/741 (S/2005/172) Letter, 11 Mar. 2005, from Kazakhstan. Transmits, as Chair of the meeting of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, joint communiqué of the meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, held in Astana on 25 Feb. 2005; underlines the importance of strengthening the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in order to ensure stability and peace in Central Asia.

A/59/754 (S/2005/197) Letter, 10 Mar. 2005, from Croatia. Transmits the Zagreb Declaration on International Cooperation on Counter-Terrorism, Corruption and the Fight against Transnational Organized Crime, adopted at the expert workshop on "International cooperation on counter-terrorism, corruption and the fight against transnational organized crime", held on 7-9 Mar. 2005 in Zagreb; includes conclusions of the expert workshop.

A/59/761 (S/2005/215) Letter, 22 Mar. 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits press statement issued at the 94th regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held in Riyadh, 13 Mar. 2005.

A/59/775 (S/2005/238) Letter, 11 Apr. 2005, from Spain. Transmits Madrid Agenda, adopted at the International Summit of Democracy, Terrorism and Security, held at Madrid, 8-11 Mar. 2005, organized by the Madrid Club.

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A/59/781 (S/2005/250) Identical letters, 15 Apr. 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports recent armed incident perpetrated by the gunman who allegedly infiltrated an Israel Defence Forces outpost near the Israeli-Syrian border, 15 Apr. 2005; states that the responsibility for the incident lies with Syria and calls upon international support for zero tolerance regarding terrorism.

A/59/792 (S/2005/271) Identical letters, 25 Apr. 2005, from the Syrian Arab Republic addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits response to Israeli letter dated 15 Apr. 2005 (A/59/781-S/2005/250) concerning armed incident on Israeli-Syrian border.

A/59/802 (S/2005/312) Identical letters, 12 May 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports violations of the Blue Line from Lebanese territory, when a mortar shell was fired allegedly by members of a militia in southern Lebanon at the northern Israeli town of Shlomi, 11 May 2005; states that Lebanon failed to prevent cross-border attacks from its territory and to fully disarm and dismantle armed militias.

A/59/805 (S/2005/327) Identical letters, 19 May 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports latest attacks allegedly perpetrated by Hamas against Israeli communities in the Gaza Strip and western Negev, 18 May 2005; calls on the international community to reaffirms its absolute rejection of armed attacks and to make every effort to bring its perpetrators to justice.

A/59/808 (S/2005/330) Letter, 21 May 2005, from Cuba. Transmits text of an address entitled "A different behaviour", given by President Fidel Castro at the José Martí Anti-imperialist Tribune on 20 May 2005.

A/59/811 Note verbale, 18 May 2005, from Mauritius. Transmits Port Louis Declaration adopted by the Regional Ministerial Conference of French-speaking Countries of Africa for the Promotion of the Ratification and Implementation of the UN Conventions on Combating Terrorism, Corruption and Transnational Organized Crime and of the Universal Counter-Terrorism Instruments and the report of this conference held at Port Louis 25-27 Oct. 2004.

A/59/812 (S/2005/341) Letter, 24 May 2005, from Cuba. Transmits "Summary of main points concerning the presence of the terrorist Luis Posada Carriles in the territory of the United States of America"; states that Cuba would take it very seriously if the United States Government were to permit Luis Pasada Carriles to remain in the United States.

A/59/814 Letter, 16 May, 2005, from Chile and Mali. Transmits document entitled "Santiago commitment: cooperating for democracy" adopted at the 3rd Ministerial Conference of the Community of Democracies, Santiago, 28-30 Apr. 2005.

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A/59/817 Letter, 25 May 2005, from Uzbekistan. Transmits note from the Permanent Mission of Uzbekistan concerning events which occurred on 12-13 May 2005 in the Andijan region, connected with an alleged attempt by extremist forces to destabilize the situation in Uzbekistan and throughout Central Asia; states that an independent parliamentary commission to investigate the circumstances connected with events in Andijan has been set up on 23 May 2005.

A/59/819 (S/2005/352) Identical letters, 27 May 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns recent democratic processes occurring in Lebanon as positive developments for the region, in connection with the 5th anniversary of Israel's complete withdrawal from southern Lebanon.

A/59/824 (S/2005/363) Letter, 31 May 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits joint communiqué of the 15th session of the Ministerial Meeting between the Gulf Cooperation Council States and the European Union, held in Manama, Bahrain, 5 Apr. 2005.

A/59/829 (S/2005/375) Identical letters, 7 June 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns continuing alleged armed attacks by Palestinians against Israeli civilians and reports an incident when Qassam rockets were fired at the Israeli town of Sderot, resulted in injuries to 3 Israelis, 7 June 2005; reports also shelling on the same day of the Israeli community of Ganei Tal, resulted in 3 deaths and injuries to 6 people.

A/59/845 (S/2005/386) Note verbale, 13 June 2005, from Bahrain. Transmits press statement issued at the 95th regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held in Riyadh, 11 June 2005.

A/59/848 (S/2005/389) Letter, 14 June 2005, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Refutes allegations contained in the letter dated 12 May 2005 from Israel (A/59/802-S/2005/312) and states that it considers them deliberate attempts to distract international community's attention from Israeli policies in the region.

A/59/849 (S/2005/394) Letter, 15 June 2005, from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Transmits information concerning the case of the alleged terrorist Luis Posada Carriles, who is currently in the territory of the United States.

A/59/854 (S/2005/410) Identical letters, 22 June 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns alleged surge in armed attacks by Palestinians in the last 2 days and reports the thwarting of an alleged planned suicide bombing by a Palestinian woman entering Israel on a medical permit, and 2 other attacks against Israelis, resulted in 2 deaths and an injury, 20 June 2005.

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A/59/858 (S/2005/423) Identical letters, 29 June 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns incident along Israel's northern border with Lebanon, allegedly involving the Hizbullah group which crossed the Blue Line with intention of placing explosive charges in Israeli territory near Har Dov mountain area, 29 June 2005.

A/59/863 (S/2005/427) Letter, 30 June 2005, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement by the heads of State of Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation and Tajikistan, adopted on 23 June 2005 by the Council on Collective Security of the Collective Security Treaty Organization (CSTO) concerning continued efforts to ensure international peace in the area of CSTO responsibility.

A/59/867 Letter, 6 July 2005, from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Refers to annex in letter dated 25 May 2005 (A/59/814) entitled "Santiago Ministerial Commitment: cooperating for democracy" and expresses Venezuela's reservations to this commitment.

A/59/870 (S/2005/452) Identical letters, 13 July 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports the suicide bombing in a shopping mall in Netanya, Israel, allegedly involving member of the Islamic Jihad organization, 12 July 2005; calls on the international community to urge the Palestinian Authority to take all steps to dismantle terrorist organizations and to condemn the regional States that have allegedly been supporting Palestinian terrorist groups.

A/59/873 (S/2005/457) Identical letters, 14 July 2005, from Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports launching of rockets allegedly from the Hamas and Al-Aqsa Martyrs' brigade groups into the Israeli village of Nativ Ha'asara resulting in the death of a woman; urges the international community to support the fight against terrorism and further urges the Palestinian Authority to take all steps to dismantle terrorist organizations.

A/59/875 Letter, 15 July 2005, from China and the Russian Federation. Transmits joint statement on the international order of the 21st century, signed by the Presidents of the People's Republic of China and the Russian Federation, 1 July 2005.

A/59/882 (S/2005/488) Note verbale, 25 July 2005, from Cape Verde. Transmits action plan adopted by the Regional Expert Workshop on the Ratification and Implementation of the Universal Instruments Against Terrorism, Transnational Organized Crime and Corruption as well as on the Drafting of Reports of the Counter-Terrorism Committee of the UN Security Council, held in Praia, 8-10 Dec. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

TERRORISM (Agenda item 148) (continued)

A/59/894 Letter, 3 Aug. 2005, from the Chairman of the 6th Committee. Transmits letter dated 3 Aug. 2005 from the Vice Chairman of the 6th Committee attaching report of the coordinator on the results of the informal consultations on a draft comprehensive convention on international terrorism, held 25-29 July 2005.

A/59/895 (S/2005/527) Note verbale, 12 Aug. 2005, from Egypt. Transmits recommendations adopted by the National Workshop on Legal Instruments to Combat Terrorism, held in Cairo, 21-22 Dec. 2004.

A/59/902 (S/2005/546) Letter, 25 Aug. 2005, from Israel. Concerns violation of the Blue Line from Lebanese territory, when a rocket fired allegedly by terrorists hit the Israeli village of Margaliot, 25 Aug. 2005, and calls upon the international community to urge the Government of Lebanon to act against terrorism.

A/59/904 (S/2005/548) Letter, 15 Aug. 2005, from the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

A/59/905 (S/2005/552) Letter, 29 Aug. 2005, from Israel. Concerns a suicide bombing in the Israeli city of Be'er Sheva committed allegedly by the Islamic Jihad, resulted in injuries to 2 security agents and 46 civilians, 28 Aug. 2005; calls upon the international community to reiterate its intolerance of terrorism and to further demand from the Palestinian Authority to take steps to prevent terrorism.

A/59/907 (S/2005/565) Letter, 6 Sept. 2005, from Cuba. Transmits declaration made by the National Assembly of People's Power regarding the 5 Cuban nationals imprisoned in the United States.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.19 Measures to eliminate international terrorism : draft resolution.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/514 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.7 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.8 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.9 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.10 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.26 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.27 (19 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/514 (originally A/C.6/59/L.19) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/46.

A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/766 entitled "International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/290.

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Resolutions

A/RES/59/46 Measures to eliminate international terrorism.

Strongly condemns all acts, methods and practices of terrorism in all its forms and manifestations as criminal and unjustifiable, wherever and by whomsoever committed; reiterates its call upon all States to adopt further measures to prevent terrorism and to strengthen international cooperation in combating terrorism; also reiterates its call upon all States, with the aim of enhancing the efficient implementation of relevant legal instruments, to intensify, as and where appropriate, the exchange of information on facts related to terrorism; reiterates its call upon States to refrain from financing, encouraging, providing training for or otherwise supporting terrorist activities; reminds States of their obligations under relevant international conventions and protocols and Security Council resolutions, to ensure that perpetrators of terrorist acts are brought to justice; decides that the Ad Hoc Committee shall continue to elaborate the draft comprehensive convention on international terrorism and to resolve the outstanding issues relating to the elaboration of the draft international convention for the suppression of acts of nuclear terrorism as a means of further developing a comprehensive legal framework of conventions; decides also that the Ad Hoc Committee shall meet 28 Mar.-1 Apr. 2005 in order to fulfil the mandate referred to in paragraph 18 above; requests the Ad Hoc Committee to report to the General Assembly at its 59th session in the event of the completion of the draft comprehensive convention on international terrorism or the draft international convention for the suppression of acts of nuclear terrorism. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/290 International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism.

Adopts the International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism annexed to the present resolution, and requests the Secretary-General to open the Convention for signature at UN Headquarters in New York from 14 Sept. 2005 to 31 Dec. 2006; calls upon all States to sign and ratify, accept, approve or accede to the Convention. (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13 Apr. 2005)

TERRORISM–HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–TERRORISM

THIRD DECADE FOR ACTION TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (1993-2002)

See: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

TOKELAU QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

**TOKELAU QUESTION (Agenda item 20)
(continued)**

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution III in A/59/478
entitled "Question of Tokelau" was adopted without vote:
resolution 59/133.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/133 Question of Tokelau.

Notes that Tokelau remains firmly committed to the
development of self-government; notes the decision of the
General Fono in Nov. 2003, following extensive
consultation, to explore formally with New Zealand the
option of self-government in free association, and the
discussions now under way between Tokelau and New
Zealand pursuant to the General Fono decision;
acknowledges Tokelau's initiative in devising a strategic
economic development plan for the period 2002-2004 to
advance its capacity for self-government; also
acknowledges the continuing assistance that New Zealand
has committed to promoting Tokelau's self-government;
welcomes the establishment of an international trust fund
to support Tokelau's future development needs; calls upon
the administering Power and UN agencies to continue to
provide assistance to Tokelau as it further develops its
economy and governance structures in the context of its
ongoing constitutional evolution; requests the Special
Committee to examine the question of the Non-Self-
Governing Territory of Tokelau and to report thereon to the
General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without
vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

**TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL TREATMENT
(Agenda item 105a)**

Reports

A/59/44 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 44) Report of the
Committee against Torture, 31st session, 10-21
November 2003 [and] 32nd session, 3-21 May 2004.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/310 Status of the Convention against Torture and
Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or
Punishment : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 30 Aug. 2004.

A/59/324 Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading
treatment or punishment : note / by the Secretary-
General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004. - Transmits interim report
submitted by Theo van Boven, Special Rapporteur of the
Commission on Human Rights, in accordance with
General Assembly resolution 58/164 of 22 Dec. 2004.

**TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL TREATMENT
(Agenda item 105a) (continued)**

General documents

A/59/96 Letter, 11 May 2004, from Uzbekistan. Reports
that Uzbekistan adopted action plan to comply with the
UN Convention against Torture and Other Cruel,
Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and
transmits the plan entitled "Human Rights Developments
in Uzbekistan: The Government's Action Plan to comply
with the UN Convention".

A/59/353 United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of
Torture : note / by the Secretariat.

States that the Secretary-General will not submit his
annual report on the operations of the UN Voluntary Fund
for Victims of Torture to the 59th session of the General
Assembly because the meeting of the Board of Trustees of
the Fund has been postponed to 4 to 8 Oct. 2004; states
that a comprehensive report will be submitted to the
Assembly at its 60th session.

A/59/675 Letter, 14 Jan. 2005 from Uzbekistan. Reports
on measures taken by the Government of Uzbekistan
during 2004 for the implementation of the
recommendations of the UN Special Rapporteur on
Torture.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.33 Torture and other cruel, inhuman or
degrading treatment or punishment : draft resolution /
Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Chile,
Costa Rica, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic
Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Estonia, Finland,
Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Ireland, Latvia,
Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Mexico, Netherlands,
Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Romania,
San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Sweden,
Switzerland, Timor-Leste, Turkey, United Kingdom of
Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and
Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Bolivia, Bosnia and
Herzegovina, Croatia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El
Salvador, Iceland, Italy, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia,
New Zealand, Paraguay, Portugal, Republic of Korea,
Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, The former Yugoslav
Republic of Macedonia and Ukraine (A/59/503/Add.1).

TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL TREATMENT
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A/C.3/59/L.33/Rev.1 Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mauritius, Mexico, Mozambique, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Uruguay and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Angola, Armenia, Bangladesh, Belarus, Benin, Burkina Faso, Congo, Egypt, Eritrea, Georgia, Ghana, Grenada, Iraq, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Mali, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Mongolia, Niger and Republic of Moldova (A/59/503/Add.1).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/503/Add.1 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.26 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.46 (18 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution III in A/59/503/Add.1 (originally A/C.3/59/L.33/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/182.

TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL TREATMENT
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/182 Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment.

Condemns all forms of torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment, including through intimidation, which are and shall remain prohibited at any time and in any place whatsoever and can thus never be justified, and calls upon all Governments to implement fully the prohibition of torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment; urges Governments to take effective measures to prevent torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment, including their gender-based manifestations; requests the Special Rapporteur to continue to consider including in his report information on the follow-up by Governments to his recommendations, visits and communications, including progress made and problems encountered; requests the Secretary-General to transmit to all Governments the appeals of the General Assembly for contributions to the Fund, to continue to include the Fund on an annual basis among the programmes for which funds are pledged at the UN Pledging Conference for Development Activities and to assist the Board of Trustees of the Fund in its appeal for contributions and in its efforts to make better known the existence of the Fund. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

TOXIN WEAPONS

See: BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS--TREATIES (1972)

TRAFFIC IN DRUGS

See: NARCOTIC DRUGS

TRAFFIC IN GIRLS

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

TRAFFIC IN WOMEN

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

TRAINING PROGRAMMES--NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES

See: NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES--FELLOWSHIPS

TRANSNATIONAL CRIME

See: CRIME PREVENTION

TRAVEL CONTROLS--UN ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

See: UN--HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS

TURKMENISTAN--HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS--TURKMENISTAN

**TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS QUESTION
(Agenda item 20)**

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/478 entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/134.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-X] Turks and Caicos Islands.

Welcomes the continuing constitutional review process led by the Government of the Turks and Caicos Islands in cooperation with the administering Power. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

UN-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106a)

See also: UN-FINANCING

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

UN-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106a) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UN-ADMINISTRATION (Agenda item 107)

See also: UN-ACCOUNTS

UN-BUDGET (2004-2005)

UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS

UN-FINANCIAL REPORTS

UN-FINANCING

UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

UN-PROGRAMME PLANNING

Reports

A/58/294 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the functioning of the Headquarters Committee on Contracts : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 19 Aug. 2003. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994 and 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999.

A/58/708 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on strengthening the investigation functions in the United Nations : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 10 Feb. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/282 of 20 Dec. 2002.

A/59/216 Procurement reform : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 6 Aug. 2004.

A/59/227 Outsourcing practices : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2004.

UN–ADMINISTRATION (Agenda item 107)
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A/59/229 Inspection of programme management and administrative practices of the International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report conveyed by the Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services on the inspection of programme management and administrative practices of the International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO.

A/59/347 Audit of safeguarding air safety standards while procuring air services for the United Nations peacekeeping missions : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of safeguarding air safety standards while procuring air services for the UN peacekeeping missions.

A/59/415 Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2006-2007 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 7 Oct. 2004.

A/59/540 Procurement reform : outsourcing practices : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 28 Oct. 2004.

A/59/600 Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2006-2007 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 8 Dec. 2004.

A/59/716 Gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 28 Feb. 2005.

A/59/721 Procurement practices within the United Nations System : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 2 Mar. 2005. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Procurement practices within the UN system" (JIU/REP/2004/9), prepared by Muhammad Yussuf.

A/59/786 Gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 20 Apr. 2005.

General documents

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/721/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Procurement practices within the United Nations System" : note / by the Secretary-General.
Transmits comments of the Secretary-General and of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (A/59/721).

UN–ADMINISTRATION (Agenda item 107)
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Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.29 Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2006-2007 : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.31 Questions deferred for future consideration : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.

A/C.5/59/L.40 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on strengthening the investigation functions in the United Nations : draft resolution / submitted by the Rapporteur following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.43 Questions deferred for future consideration : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.

A/C.5/59/L.44 Procurement reform : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.45 Outsourcing practices : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.78 Questions deferred for future consideration : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.

A/C.5/59/L.79 Questions deferred for future consideration : draft decision / submitted by the Vice-Chairman.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/652 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/652/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/652/Add.2 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/652/Add.3 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.29 (13 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.34 (7 Mar. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.42 (1 Apr. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.43 (6 Apr. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.60 (9 Sept. 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, action on draft resolution and draft decision in A/59/652 was as follows: draft resolution (originally A/C.5/59/L.29), adopted without vote: resolution 59/278; draft decision (originally A/C.5/59/L.31) was adopted without vote: decision 59/551 A.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).
Corrects text.

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A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, action on draft resolutions and draft decision in A/59/652/Add.1 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.5/59/L.40), adopted without vote: resolution 59/287; draft resolution II (originally A/C.5/59/L.44), adopted without vote: resolution 59/288; draft resolution III (originally A/C.5/59/L.45), adopted without vote: resolution 59/289; draft decision (originally A/C.5/59/L.43), adopted without vote: decision 59/551 B.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, draft decision in A/59/652/Add.2 (originally A/C.5/59/L.78) was adopted without vote: decision 59/551 C.

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, draft decision in A/59/652/Add.3 (originally A/C.5/59/L.79) was adopted without vote: decision 59/551 D.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/278 Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2006-2007.

Decides that the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007 shall contain provisions for recosting on the basis of the existing methodology; decides also that the priorities for the biennium 2006-2007 shall be the following: (a) maintenance of international peace and security; (b) promotion of sustained economic growth and sustainable development, in accordance with the relevant resolutions of the General Assembly and recent UN conferences; (c) development of Africa; (d) promotion of human rights; (e) effective coordination of humanitarian assistance efforts; (f) promotion of justice and international law; (g) disarmament; (h) drug control, crime prevention and combating international terrorism in all its forms and manifestations; decides that the contingency fund shall be set at the level of 0.75 per cent of the preliminary estimate, namely, at US\$27.2 million, that this amount shall be in addition to the overall level of the preliminary estimate and that it shall be used in accordance with the procedures for the use and operation of the contingency fund. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

**UN–ADMINISTRATION (Agenda item 107)
(continued)**

A/RES/59/287 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on strengthening the investigation functions in the United Nations.

Re-emphasizes the principle of separation, impartiality and fairness on the part of those with responsibility for investigation functions; re-emphasizes also that the Office of Internal Oversight Services is the internal body entrusted with investigation in the UN; recognizes that the Office of Internal Oversight Services has established an efficient mechanism to enable all staff members and other persons engaged in activities under the authority of the Organization to convey directly their allegations to the Office of Internal Oversight Services; stresses that sexual exploitation and abuse constitute serious misconduct and fall under category I; decides that the Office of Internal Oversight Services may entrust trained programme managers to conduct investigations on its behalf; also decides that in cases of serious misconduct and/or criminal behaviour, investigations should be conducted by professional investigators; decides that the results of investigation conducted by programme managers should be reported to the Office of Internal Oversight Services. (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13 Apr. 2005)

UN-ADMINISTRATION (Agenda item 107)
(continued)

A/RES/59/288 Procurement reform.

Requests the Secretary-General to encourage all the organizations of the UN system to further improve their procurement practices, inter alia, by participating in the UN Global Marketplace with a view to creating one common UN global procurement web site; requests the Secretary-General to continue to simplify and streamline the vendor registration process and to share responsibilities among the various UN organizations; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly an overview and general analysis of the functioning of the principle of best value for money; also requests the Secretary-General to implement measures to reduce the time line associated with invoice payment; further requests the Secretary-General to issue ethical guidelines without delay for those involved in the procurement process, requests that those guidelines be shared with Member States through the procurement web site; requests the Secretary-General, taking into account the comments and observations of the Board of Auditors and the Office of Internal Oversight Services, to ensure that information regarding the accountability factor within the procurement reform framework is provided in the next report of the Secretary-General on procurement reform; also requests the Secretary-General to continue to ensure that consistent non-compliance and poor performance by vendors is recorded and that appropriate action is taken with respect to their inclusion in the list of vendors; requests the Secretary-General, in his next report on procurement reform, to provide information on the implementation of the new delegations of authority, including mechanisms used to strengthen effective monitoring, oversight and accountability; requests the Secretary-General, as recommended in the report of the Office of Internal Oversight, to fully document the reasons for not following up on the recovery of liquidated damages for contracts and to apply consistent methods to the collection of liquidated damages from vendors. (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13 Apr. 2005)

UN-ADMINISTRATION (Agenda item 107)
(continued)

A/RES/59/289 Outsourcing practices.

Acknowledges that outsourcing should be used in full compliance with the 4 criteria set out by the General Assembly, and requests the Secretary-General to monitor the quality of activities outsourced; requests the Secretary-General to continue to consider outsourcing actively and to ensure that programme managers satisfy all of the following criteria in their assessment of whether or not an activity of the Organization can be fully, or even partially, outsourced: (a) cost-effectiveness and efficiency: this is considered to be the most basic criterion; unless it can be adequately demonstrated that an activity can be done significantly more economically and, at the very least, equally efficiently, by an external party, outsourcing may not be considered; (b) safety and security: activities that could compromise the safety and security of delegations, staff and visitors may not be considered for outsourcing; (c) maintaining the international character of the Organization: outsourcing may be considered for activities in which the international character of the Organization is not compromised; (d) maintaining the integrity of procedures and processes: outsourcing may not be considered if it will result in any breach of established procedures and processes. (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13 Apr. 2005)

UN-ADMINISTRATION-REVIEW (Agenda item 119)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.28 Review of the implementation of General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/649 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.6 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.9 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/649 (originally A/C.5/59/L.28) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/272.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).

Corrects text.

**UN–ADMINISTRATION–REVIEW (Agenda item 119)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/272 Review of the implementation of General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244.

Decides to maintain the reporting procedures for the Office of Internal Oversight Services in full compliance with its resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244; also decides that when access to a report would be inappropriate for reasons of confidentiality or the risk of violating the due process rights of individuals involved in Office of Internal Oversight Services investigations, the report may be modified, or withheld in extraordinary circumstances, at the discretion of the Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services, who will provide reasons for this to the requesting party; further decides that reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services shall be submitted directly to the General Assembly as submitted by the Office and that the comments of the Secretary-General may be submitted in a separate report; decides to evaluate and review at its 64th session the functions and reporting procedures of the Office of Internal Oversight Services and any other matter which it deems appropriate. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UN–AFRICAN UNION

See: AFRICAN UNION–UN

UN–BUDGET (2004-2005) (Agenda item 108)

See also: UN–ACCOUNTS

UN–ADMINISTRATION

UN–BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS

UN–FINANCIAL REPORTS

UN–FINANCING

UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING

Reports

A/58/300 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : outcome of the work of the Joint Appeals Board during 2001 and 2002 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Aug. 2003.

A/58/556 Plans for 3 additional conference rooms and viable solutions for the natural light into rooms : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 6 Nov. 2003.

A/58/712 Viable options for ensuring sufficient parking space at United Nations Headquarters : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 13 Feb. 2004.

A/58/729 Status of possible funding arrangements for the capital master plan : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 5 Mar. 2004.

A/58/779 Cooperation with the city and state of New York related to the capital master plan : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 30 Apr. 2004.

**UN–BUDGET (2004-2005) (Agenda item 108)
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A/58/886 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Sept. 2004.

A/59/78 Possibility of the financial independence of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal from the Office of Legal Affairs : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 4 May 2004.

A/59/90 Unforeseen and extraordinary expenses : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 27 May 2004.

A/59/170 United Nations Fund for International Partnerships : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 July 2004.

A/59/265 Information and Communication Technology Strategy : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 3 Sept. 2004.

A/59/265/Add.1 Information and Communication Technology Strategy : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : Arrangements for the Galaxy System.
Issued: 14 Mar. 2005.

A/59/294 Progressive implementation of article 20 of the statute of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Aug. 2004.

A/59/336 Strengthening the Department of Public Information, within the existing capacity, in order to support and enhance the United Nations web site in all official languages of the Organization : status of implementation : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 7 Sept. 2004.

A/59/365 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 11 Oct. 2004.

A/59/365/Add.1 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : revised estimates under sections 3, 4, 5, 13, 18, 19, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29D, 29E, 29F, 29G, 31, 33, 34 and 36 and income sections 1 and 2 of the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005.
Issued: 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/365/Add.1/Corr.1 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : revised estimates under sections 3, 4, 5, 13, 18, 19, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29D, 29E, 29F, 29G, 31, 33, 34 and 36 and income sections 1 and 2 of the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005 : corrigendum.
Issued: 30 Sept. 2004. - Corrects text.

**UN–BUDGET (2004-2005) (Agenda item 108)
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- A/59/365/Corr.1** Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 28 Oct. 2004. - Corrects text.
- A/59/373** Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the review of the operations and management of United Nations libraries : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the review of the operations and management of UN libraries.
- A/59/393** Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and 1st resumed substantive session of 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 30 Sept. 2004.
- A/59/393/Add.1** Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed substantive sessions of 2004 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 22 Nov. 2004.
- A/59/395** Review of the structure and functions of all liaison offices or representation in New York of organizations headquartered elsewhere funded from the regular budget : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/396** Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the utilization and management of funds appropriated during the 2002-2003 biennium for strengthening the security and safety of United Nations premises : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 58/295 of 18 June 2004.
- A/59/397** Review of the regular programme of technical cooperation and the Development Account : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/405** Administrative arrangements for the International Trade Centre : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 1 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/411** Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 5 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/411/Corr.1** Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum.
Issued: 5 Oct. 2004. - Corrects text.

**UN–BUDGET (2004-2005) (Agenda item 108)
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- A/59/420** Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the United Nations capital master plan for the period from August 2003 through July 2004 : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 6 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the UN capital master plan, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 57/292 of 20 Dec. 2002.
- A/59/433** Financial situation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 14 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/441** Second annual progress report on the implementation of the capital master plan : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 19 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/441/Add.1** Capital master plan : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 20 May 2005.
- A/59/441/Add.2** Capital master plan : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 23 May 2005.
- A/59/444** Construction of additional office facilities at the Economic Commission for Africa : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 15 July 2003. - Reviews progress made on the project since the previous report (A/58/154).
- A/59/522** Administrative and financial implications of the decisions and recommendations contained in the report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2004 : statement submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 21 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/523** Standards of accommodation for air travel : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/534** Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 27 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/534/Add.1** Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 23 Nov. 2004.
- A/59/534/Add.2** Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : request for a subvention to the Special Court for Sierra Leone : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 7 Dec. 2004.

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A/59/534/Add.3 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 8 Mar. 2005.

A/59/534/Add.3/Corr.1 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : corrigendum.
Issued: 18 Mar. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/534/Add.4 Estimates in respect of special political mission, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.

A/59/539 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 28 Oct. 2004.

A/59/542 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive session of 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 29 Oct. 2004.

A/59/543 Administrative arrangements for the International Trade Centre : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 29 Oct. 2004.

A/59/551 Unforeseen and extraordinary expenses : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 3 Nov. 2004.

A/59/552 Review of the structure and functions of all liaison offices or representation in New York of organizations headquartered elsewhere funded from the regular budget : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 1 Oct. 2004.

A/59/553 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 4 Nov. 2004.

A/59/553/Corr.1 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum.
Issued: 15 Nov. 2004. - Corrects text.

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A/59/556 Capital master plan : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 8 Nov. 2004.

A/59/557 Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials : members of the International Court of Justice ; judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia ; judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda ; ad litem judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia ; ad litem judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 8 Nov. 2004.

A/59/558 Information and communications technology strategy : strengthening the Department of Public Information, within the existing capacity, in order to support and enhance the United Nations web site in all official languages of the organization : status of implementation : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 8 Nov. 2004.

A/59/560 Report of the United Nations International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Nov. 2004. - Transmits report of the Director of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women on its work programme and on the implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

A/59/567 Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan : programme budget implications of recommendations contained in the report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Nov. 2004.

A/59/569 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : United Nations advance team in the Sudan : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Nov. 2004.

A/59/569/Add.1 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 8 Dec. 2004.

A/59/569/Add.1/Corr.1 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum.
Issued: 15 Dec. 2004. - Corrects text.

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A/59/569/Add.2 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives, authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : request for a subvention to the Special Court for Sierra Leone : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 10 Dec. 2004.

A/59/569/Add.3 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 10 Dec. 2004.

A/59/569/Add.4 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 22 Apr. 2005.

A/59/572 Construction of additional office facilities at the Economic Commission for Africa : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 17 Nov. 2004.

A/59/573 Standards of accommodation for air travel : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 17 Nov. 2004.

A/59/578 First performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 26 Nov. 2004.

A/59/578/Add.1 First performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005 : addendum : implementation of the United Nations Official Document system : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 26 Nov. 2004.

A/59/597 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 ; international convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings : programme budget implications arising from the decision of the 6th Committee at its 27th meeting, on 19 November 2004 ; International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 ; rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev. 1 ; revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed sessions of 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 6 Dec. 2004.

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A/59/601 First performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 8 Dec. 2004.

A/59/613 Modalities, format and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.53 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 16 Dec. 2004.

A/59/776 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : standardized access control : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 12 Apr. 2005.

A/59/785 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : standardized access control : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.

A/59/793 Possibility of operating guided tours, bookstores and gift shops at the United Nations Office at Nairobi and the cost implications thereof : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 26 Apr. 2005.

A/59/910 Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.69/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 7 Sept. 2005.

A/C.5/59/2 Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials : members of the International Court of Justice ; judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia ; judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda ; ad litem judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia ; ad litem judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 10 Sept. 2004.

A/C.5/59/2/Corr.1 Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials : members of the International Court of Justice ; judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia ; judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda ; ad litem judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia ; ad litem judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 9 Nov. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/C.5/59/24 Revised estimates and programme budget implications : effects of changes in rates of exchange and inflation : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 13 Dec. 2004.

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A/C.5/59/27 Contingency fund : consolidated statement of programme budget implications and revised estimates : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Dec. 2004.

General documents

- A/59/162** Concise summary of principal findings, conclusions and recommendations contained in the reports prepared by the Board of Auditors for the General Assembly at its 59th session : note / by the Secretary-General.
Transmits concise summary of principal findings, conclusions and recommendations contained in the reports on the audit of the accounts for the financial period ended 31 Dec. 2003.
- A/59/271** Financial viability of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/59/429** Administrative and financial implications of the decisions and recommendations contained in the report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2004 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/59/450** Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.
- A/59/753** Redeployment of posts : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/59/816** (S/2005/350) Identical letters, 26 May 2005, from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Refers to General Assembly resolution 58/284 of 8 Apr. 2004 and forwards the final completion strategy prepared by the Special Court for Sierra Leone and endorsed by the Management Committee of the Court responsible for advising the Secretary-General on the non-judicial aspects of the Court's work.
- A/C.3/59/L.36** Future operations of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.26 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.3/59/L.63** International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.3/59/L.76** Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

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- A/C.3/59/L.82** Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/L.29/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.3/59/L.82/Add.1** Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/L.29/Rev.1 : statement : addendum / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/58/16** Letter, 18 Nov. 2003, from the President of the UN Administrative Tribunal. Transmits observations and recommendations of the UN Administrative Tribunal on personnel issues of judges of the UN Administrative Tribunal and the Tribunal of the ILO; requests the Secretary-General to take steps to provide remuneration to the members of the UN Administrative Tribunal equivalent to that received by the judges of the ILO Administrative Tribunal, and states that this would be in line with the proposals to close the gap between the two Tribunals.
- A/C.5/59/3** Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.5/59/3/Add.1** Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.5/59/3/Corr.1** Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.
Corrects text.
- A/C.5/59/12** Compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials : members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.5/59/13** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan : programme budget implications of recommendations contained in the report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.5/59/16** Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.26 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

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- A/C.5/59/19** Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/20** International Convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings : programme budget implications arising from the decision of the Chairman of the 6th Committee at its 27th meeting of 19 November 2004 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/21** International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 as orally revised : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/22** Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/23** Construction of additional conference facilities at the Vienna International Centre : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.5/59/25** Modalities, format and organization of the High-level plenary meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.53 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/28** Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/28/Add.1** Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : statement : addendum / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/30** Letter, 20 May 2005, from the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs. Transmits the process for accepting the offer of the Government of the United States to borrow up to \$1.2 billion to finance the capital master plan.

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- A/C.5/59/35** Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.69 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/35/Rev.1** Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.69/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/59/L.3** Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : United Nations support to the Cameroon-Nigeria Mixed Commission : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.12** Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : United Nations Advance Team in the Sudan : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.13** Administrative arrangements for the International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.21** Draft decisions submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.25** Consideration of special subjects : draft resolutions / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.27** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan : programme budget implications of recommendations contained in the report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.32** Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.36** Special subjects relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.38** Draft decisions submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.46** Administration of justice at the United Nations : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.47** Recruitment : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.

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A/C.5/59/L.71 Special subjects relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.73 Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and sexual abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.4/59/L.20 : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.74 Capital master plan : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.80 A strengthened and revitalized General Assembly : draft decision / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/448 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/448/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/448/Add.2 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/448/Add.3 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/448/Add.4 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/615 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/638 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/639 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/640 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/641 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/642 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/773 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/774 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/840 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/912 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/L.33 Programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005 : draft report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.5 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.9 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.18 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.19 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.20 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.24 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.25 (19 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.26 (22 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.28 (29 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.29 (13 Dec. 2004).

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A/C.5/59/SR.30 (14 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.31 (15 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.32 (17 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.34 (7 Mar. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.35 (8 Mar. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.38 (17 Mar. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.39 (22 Mar. 2005).

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A/C.5/59/SR.52 (16 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.53 (20 May 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.54 (23 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.60 (9 Sept. 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.46 (29 Oct. 2004).

At the 46th plenary meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/448 (originally A/C.5/59/L.3) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/12.

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/448/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.12) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/58.

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, action on draft resolutions and draft decisions in A/59/448/Add.2 was as follows: draft resolution I entitled "Questions relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005" (originally A/C.5/L.25 and A/C.5/59/L.32), adopted without vote: resolution 59/276; draft resolution II entitled "Programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005", adopted without vote: resolution 59/277; draft decision I (originally A/C.5/L.27), adopted without vote: decision 59/549; draft decision II entitled "Revised estimates and programme budget implications: effects of changes in rates of exchange and inflation" (originally A/C.5/L.25, sect. H), adopted without vote: decision 59/550.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).

Corrects text.

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A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, action on draft resolution and draft decisions in A/59/448/Add.3 was as follows: draft resolution (originally A/C.5/59/L.36), adopted without vote: resolution 59/282; draft decision I entitled "UN Fund for International Partnerships", adopted without vote: decision 59/554; draft decision II entitled "Construction of additional office facilities at the Economic Commission for Africa in Addis Ababa", adopted without vote: decision 59/555; draft decision III entitled "Review of the structure and functions of all liaison offices or representation in New York of organizations headquarters elsewhere funded from the regular budget", adopted without vote: decision 59/556; draft decision IV entitled "Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the review of the operations and management of UN libraries", adopted without vote: decision 59/557; draft decision V entitled "Review of the regular programme of technical cooperation and Development Account", adopted without vote: decision 59/558; draft decision VI entitled "Standards of accommodation for air travel", adopted without vote: decision 59/559; draft decision in A/59/774 (originally A/C.5/59/L.47), adopted without vote: decision 59/560; draft resolution in A/59/773 (originally A/C.5/59/L.46), adopted without vote: resolution 59/283.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/448/Add.4 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.5/59/L.71), adopted without vote: resolution 59/294; draft resolution II (originally A/C.5/59/L.74), adopted without vote: resolution 59/295.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/12 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : United Nations support to the Cameroon-Nigeria Mixed Commission.

Takes note of the revised requirements for UN support to the Cameroon-Nigeria Mixed Commission for the period 1 June-30 Dec. 2004, which amount to US\$5,419,300; endorses the observations and recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, and approves the charging of \$5,419,300 against the unallocated balance of funds appropriated under section 3, Political affairs, of the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005, for special political missions. (Adopted without vote, 46th plenary meeting, 29 Oct. 2004)

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A/RES/59/58 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : United Nations advance team in the Sudan.

Decides to approve the budget for UN advance team in the Sudan for the period 11 Sept.-10 Dec. 2004 in the amount of US\$21,789,400; notes that part of the requirements would be met from the unspent balance of \$998,600 of the amount already provided for the mission; decides to approve a charge, against the provision for special political missions appropriated under section 3, Political affairs, of the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005, in the amount of \$3,002,600, corresponding to the unassigned balance in that provision. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/276 Questions relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005.

Approves the request to change the ceiling to US\$200,000 under the resolution on unforeseen and extraordinary expenses for expenses that may be certified by the President of the Court; approves the participation of UN, along with the other organizations located in the Vienna International Centre, in the arrangements for the proposed new conference facility on the terms proposed by the Secretary-General; approves the budgets of the 25 special political missions presented in the report of the Secretary-General; decides to appropriate an amount of \$678,600 for the 3 special missions presented in the report of the Secretary-General, emanating from the decisions taken or to be taken by the General Assembly; decides that the use of experts and consultants for the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate and for the Security Council Committee established pursuant to Council resolution 1540 (2004) should also be in full compliance with the relevant resolutions of the General Assembly; decides to approve a gross budget for the Joint Inspection Unit for the year 2005 in the amount of \$5,385,700; decides to establish a Department of Safety and Security; decides to maintain existing arrangements with regard to cost-sharing for safety and security; decides that the present cost-sharing arrangements relating to field security for those organizations which are not part of the UN system should be retained. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/277A-C Programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005.

The resolution is divided into 3 parts: A/RES/59/277 A-C. (Adopted at the 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2005)

A/RES/59/277[A] Revised budget appropriations for the biennium 2004-2005.

Resolves that, for the biennium 2004-2005, the amount of US\$3,179,196,100 appropriated by it in its resolutions 58/271 A of 23 Dec. 2003 and 58/295 of 18 June 2004 shall be adjusted by \$428,977,800. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2005)

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A/RES/59/277[B] Revised income estimates for the biennium 2004-2005.

Resolves that, for the biennium 2004-2005, the estimates of income of US\$415,340,500 approved by it in its resolutions 58/271 B of 23 Dec. 2003 and 58/295 of 18 June 2004 shall be increased by \$28,511,400. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2005)

A/RES/59/277[C] Financing of the appropriations for the year 2005.

Resolves that, for the year 2005: budget appropriations totalling US\$2,027,743,750 shall be financed in accordance with regulations 5.1 and 5.2 of the Financial Regulations and Rules of the UN; there shall be set off against the assessment on Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund in the total amount of \$218,725,650. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2005)

A/RES/59/282 Special subjects relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005.

Approves the budgets of the UN Assistance Mission for Iraq and the UN Observer Mission in Bougainville as set out in table I of the report of the Secretary-General; decides to appropriate the amount of US\$83,174,400 for the UN Assistance Mission for Iraq and the UN Observer Mission in Bougainville; takes note of the ongoing efforts for the elaboration of a comprehensive information and communication technology strategy, and reiterates the need for further integration and compatibility of administrative platforms of the inter-agency network and, in this regard, invites the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination to pay due attention to the issue; decides, with retroactive effect from 1 Jan. 2005, to increase the annual salary of the members of the Court and the judges and ad litem judges of the Tribunals by 6.3 per cent, as an interim measure and pending a decision based on the report requested in paragraph 8 below; also decides that, with retroactive effect from 1 Jan. 2005, the annual value of all pensions in payment shall be increased by 6.3 per cent as an interim measure and pending a decision based on the report requested in paragraph 8 below; decides that the conditions of service and compensation for the members of the International Court of Justice and the judges and ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda shall next be reviewed at its 61st session. (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13 Apr. 2005)

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A/RES/59/283 Administration of justice at the United Nations.

Decides that the time limits recommended by OIOS will be mandatory within the appeals process once adequate capacity is in place, and no later than 1 Jan. 2006; also decides that measures should be taken to eliminate the appearance of conflict of interest, and towards this end requests the Secretary-General to proceed with the transfer of the responsibility for formulating decisions on appeals from the Department of Management to the Office of the Secretary-General; decides to amend article 3, paragraph 1, of the statute of the Administrative Tribunal, with effect from 1 Jan. 2006, to read: "The Tribunal shall be composed of seven members, no two of whom may be nationals of the same State. Members shall possess judicial experience in the field of administrative law or its equivalent within their national jurisdiction. Only three members shall sit in any particular case."; also decides that the amendment to article 3 will be applied in the election of new members of the Tribunal with effect from 1 Jan. 2006; decides that the Secretary-General shall form a panel of external and independent experts to consider redesigning the system of administration of justice; also decides that the panel shall be composed of a pre-eminent judge or former judge with administrative law experience, an expert in alternative dispute resolution methods, a leading legal academic in international law, a person with senior management and administrative experience in an international organization and a person with UN field experience; decides that the panel shall start its functions no later than 1 Feb. 2006 and shall submit its findings and recommendations by the end of July 2006; decides that activities requested above that would give rise to additional resource requirements during the biennium 2004-2005 should be included in the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007. (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13 Apr. 2005)

A/RES/59/294 Special subjects and questions relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005.

Decides to appropriate an amount of US\$24,171,700 for the UN Political Office for Somalia and for the subvention to the Special Court for Sierra Leone; approves the budget for the UN Political Office for Somalia in the amount of \$5,394,600 for the period 1 June-31 Dec. 2005; authorizes the Secretary-General, as an exceptional measure, to enter into commitments in an amount not to exceed \$13 million to supplement the financial resources of the Special Court for Sierra Leone, for the period 1 July-31 Dec. 2005. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

A/RES/59/295 Capital master plan.

Decides to convert US\$17,802,000 of the existing commitment authority into an appropriation with assessment for the year 2005 and to renew the existing commitment authority for the balance of \$8,198,000 for the year 2006 so as to provide for the continuation of design work and related project management and management of pre-construction services for the baseline scope and scope options of the capital master plan. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN–BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS (Agenda item 113)

See also: UN–BUDGET (2004/2005)
UN–FINANCING

Reports

A/59/11 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 11) Report of the Committee on Contributions, 64th session (7-25 June 2004).
Issued: 2004.

A/59/67 Multi-year payment plans : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 16 Mar. 2004.

A/59/864 Letter, 24 June 2005, from the Chairman of the Committee on Contributions. Transmits report of the Committee on Contributions on its 65th session dealing with the application of Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

General documents

A/56/767 Letter, 27 Dec. 2001, from the Secretary-General. Concerns unpaid assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia.

A/58/189 Outstanding assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/350 Letter, 10 Sept. 2004, from the Secretary-General. Transmits list of 13 Member States which are in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN for the preceding 2 full years (2002-2003), and the minimum payments required to retain their right to vote.

A/59/430 Letter, 11 Oct. 2004, from the Secretary-General. Transmits list of 13 Member States which are in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN for the preceding 2 full years (2002-2003), and the minimum payments required to retain their right to vote.

A/59/430/Add.1 Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letter dated 11 Oct. 2004 (A/59/430) and reports that Malawi has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/430/Add.2 Letter, 19 Nov. 2004, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11 and 27 Oct. 2004 (A/59/430 and Add. 1) and reports that Chad has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668 Letter, 11 Jan. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Transmits list of 29 Member States which are in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN for the preceding 2 full years (2003-2004), and the minimum payments required to retain their right to vote.

A/59/668/Add.1 Letter, 20 Jan. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letter dated 11 Jan. 2005 (A/59/668) and reports that Congo has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

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A/59/668/Add.2 Letter, 25 Jan. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11 and 20 Jan. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1) and reports that Paraguay has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.3 Letter, 28 Jan. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 and 25 Jan. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-2) and reports that Uruguay has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.4 Letter, 1 Feb. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-3) and reports that Benin has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.5 Letter, 4 Feb. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan. and 1 Feb. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-4) and reports that Ukraine has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.6 Letter, 8 Feb. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan. and 1 and 4 Feb. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-5) and reports that Suriname has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.7 Letter, 23 Feb. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan. and 1, 4 and 8 Feb. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-6) and reports that Cape Verde has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.8 Letter, 24 Feb. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan. and 1, 4, 8 and 23 Feb. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-7) and reports that Côte d'Ivoire has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.9 Letter, 3 Mar. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan. and 1, 4, 8, 23 and 24 Feb. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-8) and reports that the Dominican Republic has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.10 Letter, 7 Mar. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan., 1, 4, 8, 23 and 24 Feb. and 3 Mar. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-9) and reports that Afghanistan and Solomon Islands have made the payment necessary to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

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A/59/668/Add.11 Letter, 25 Apr. 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan., 1, 4, 8, 23 and 24 Feb. and 3 and 7 Mar. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-10) and reports that Dominica has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.12 Letter, 9 May 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan., 1, 4, 8, 23 and 24 Feb., 3 and 7 Mar. and 25 Apr. 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-11) and reports that Nauru has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.13 Letter, 3 June 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan., 1, 4, 8, 23 and 24 Feb., 3 and 7 Mar., 25 Apr. and 9 May 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-12) and reports that Malawi has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.14 Letter, 16 June 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan., 1, 4, 8, 23 and 24 Feb., 3 and 7 Mar., 25 Apr., 9 May and 3 June 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-13) and reports that the Republic of Moldova has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.15 Letter, 20 June 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan., 1, 4, 8, 23 and 24 Feb., 3 and 7 Mar., 25 Apr., 9 May and 3 and 16 June 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-14) and reports that Mauritania and Togo have made the payments necessary to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/668/Add.16 Letter, 29 June 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letters dated 11, 20 25 and 28 Jan., 1, 4, 8, 23 and 24 Feb., 3 and 7 Mar., 25 Apr., 9 May and 3, 16 and 20 June 2005 (A/59/668 and Add.1-15) and reports that Iraq has made the payments necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/59/861 Letter, 1 July 2005, from the Secretary-General. Transmits list of 10 Member States which are in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN for the preceding 2 full years (2003 and 2004), and the minimum payments required to retain their right to vote.

A/59/868 Letter, 8 July 2005, from Niger. Concerns Niger's commitment to meet its financial obligations and requests exemption under article 19 of the Charter of the UN; states that Member States willing to participate in and contribute to deliberations on the UN reform should not be excluded in the decision-making process, in view of the gravity of matters before the Organization.

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A/59/869 Letter, 29 June 2005, from Sao Tome and Principe. Concerns Sao Tome and Principe's commitment to meet its financial obligations and requests exemption under article 19 of the Charter of the UN; states that Member States willing to participate in and contribute to deliberations on the UN reform should not be excluded in the decision-making process, in view of the gravity of matters before the Organization.

A/59/871 Letter, 13 July 2005, from Liberia. Concerns Liberia's commitment to meet its financial obligations and requests exemption under article 19 of the Charter of the UN; states that Member States willing to participate in and contribute to deliberations on the UN reform should not be excluded in the decision-making process, in view of the gravity of matters before the Organization.

A/59/874 Letter, 15 July 2005, from the Secretary-General. Transmits list of 10 Member States which are in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN for the preceding 2 full years (2003 and 2004), and the minimum payments required to retain their right to vote.

A/59/874/Add.1 Letter, 26 July 2005, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's letter dated 15 July 2005 (A/59/874) and reports that Chad has made the payments necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN.

A/C.5/58/40 Letter, 1 July 2003, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter dated 28 June 2004 from the Chairman of the Committee on Contributions regarding its report on the requests for exemption, under Art. 19 of the Charter of the UN, from Burundi, the Central African Republic, the Comoros, Guinea-Bissau, Iraq, the Niger, the Republic of Moldova, Sao Tome and Principe, Somalia and Tajikistan for appropriate action by the 5th Committee.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.66 Requests for exemption under article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations : draft resolution / Central African Republic, Comoros, Georgia, Guinea-Bissau, Niger, Sao Tome and Principe, Somalia and Tajikistan.

A/59/L.66/Add.1 Requests for exemption under article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsor: Liberia.

A/C.5/59/L.2 Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations : requests under Article 19 of the Charter : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman.

A/C.5/59/L.10 Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman.

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**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/421 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/421/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.4 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.23 (11 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.1 (14 Sept. 2004).

At the 1st meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/350 that 13 Member States were in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN within the terms of Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.24 (11 Oct. 2004).

At the 24th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/421 (originally A/C.5/59/L.2) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/1 A.

A/59/PV.27 (12 Oct. 2004).

At the 27th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/430 that 13 Member States were in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN within the terms of Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.43 (27 Oct. 2004).

At the 43rd meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/430/Add.1 that Malawi had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.57 (18 Nov. 2004).

At the 57th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/430/Add.2 that Chad had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/421/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.10) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/1 B.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).

Corrects text.

A/59/PV.77 (18 Jan. 2005).

At the 77th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/668 that 29 Member States were in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN within the terms of Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.81 (15 Feb. 2005).

At the 81st meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/668/Add.1 to Add.6 that Benin, the Congo, Paraguay, Suriname, Ukraine and Uruguay had made the necessary payments to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter.

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A/59/PV.82 (8 Mar. 2005).

At the 82nd meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/668/Add.7 to Add.10 that Afghanistan, Cape Verde, Côte d'Ivoire, the Dominican Republic, Palau and Solomon Islands had made the necessary payments to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.94 (28 Apr. 2005).

At the 94th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/668/Add.11 that Dominica had made the necessary payments to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.97 (11 May 2005).

At the 97th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/668/Add.12 that Nauru had made the necessary payments to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.101 (6 June 2005).

At the 101st meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/668/Add.13 that Malawi had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/668/Add.14 and 15 that Togo, Mauritania and the Republic of Moldova had made the necessary payments to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.111 (11 July 2005).

At the 111th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/861 that 10 Member States were in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN within the terms of Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.113 (14 July 2005).

At the 113th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.66, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/312.

A/59/PV.113/Corr.1 (14 July 2005).

Corrects text.

A/59/PV.114 (18 July 2005).

At the 114th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/874 that 10 Member States were in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the UN within the terms of Art. 19 of the Charter.

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/59/874 that Chad had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Art. 19 of the Charter.

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Resolutions

A/RES/59/1A Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations : requests under Article 19 of the Charter.

Agrees that the failure of the Central African Republic, the Comoros, Guinea-Bissau, Iraq, the Niger, the Republic of Moldova, Sao Tome and Principe, Somalia and Tajikistan to pay the full minimum amount necessary to avoid the application of Art. 19 of the Charter was due to conditions beyond their control; decides that the Central African Republic, the Comoros, Guinea-Bissau, Iraq, the Niger, the Republic of Moldova, Sao Tome and Principe, Somalia and Tajikistan should be permitted to vote in the General Assembly until 30 June 2005; concludes that the failure of Georgia and Liberia to pay the full minimum amount necessary to avoid the application of Art. 19 of the Charter was due to conditions beyond their control, and invites Georgia and Liberia to submit appropriate information to the Committee on Contributions if similar circumstances prevail in the future; decides that Georgia and Liberia should be permitted to vote in the General Assembly until 30 June 2005. (Adopted without vote, 24th plenary meeting, 11 Oct. 2004)

A/RES/59/1B Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations.

Urges all Member States to pay their assessed contributions in full, on time and without imposing conditions; decides to defer until the 1st part of its resumed 59th session consideration of the question of the outstanding assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/312 Requests for exemption under Article 19 of the United Nations Charter.

Agrees that the failure of the Central African Republic, the Comoros, Georgia, Guinea-Bissau, Somalia and Tajikistan to pay the full minimum amount necessary to avoid the application of Article 19 of the Charter was due to conditions beyond their control; decides that the Central African Republic, the Comoros, Georgia, Guinea-Bissau, Somalia and Tajikistan should be permitted to vote in the General Assembly until the Assembly takes a final decision during the main part of its 60th session; agrees that the failure of Liberia, the Niger and Sao Tome and Principe to pay the full minimum amount necessary to avoid the application of Article 19 of the Charter was due to conditions beyond their control, and invites Liberia, the Niger and Sao Tome and Principe to submit appropriate information to the Committee on Contributions if similar circumstances prevail in the future; decides that Liberia, the Niger and Sao Tome and Principe should be permitted to vote in the General Assembly until the Assembly takes a final decision during the main part of its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 113th plenary meeting, 14 July 2005)

**UN-CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2004-2005)
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Reports

A/58/435 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on "From the Optical Disk System to the Official Document System (ODS) : status of implementation and evaluation" : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Oct. 2003. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2003/3) prepared by Louis-Dominique Ouedraogo.

A/58/435/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the transition from the Optical Disk System to the Official Document System : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 23 Oct. 2003.

A/58/620 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on "From the Optical Disk System to the Official Document System (ODS) : status of implementation and evaluation" : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 5 Dec. 2003.

A/59/32 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 32) Report of the Committee on Conferences for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

A/59/133 Report on the integration of global management of conference services : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 7 July 2004. - Transmits, in pursuance to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B, 54/244, 57/292 and 58/250, the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

A/59/133/Corr.1 Report on the integration of global management of conference services : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Aug. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/159 Pattern of conferences : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 Aug. 2004.

A/59/159/Add.1 Draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings for 2005 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 17 Aug. 2004.

A/59/172 Reform of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 July 2004.

A/59/418 Pattern of conferences : reform of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 6 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/59/351 Letter, 9 Sept. 2004, from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences. Concerns requests from several subsidiary organs to meet at UN Headquarters during the 59th session of the General Assembly.

UN-CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2004-2005)
(Agenda item 112) (continued)

A/59/351/Add.1 Letter, 27 Sept. 2004, from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences. Concerns request from the UN Administrative Tribunal to meet at UN Headquarters during the 59th session of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.23 Pattern of conferences : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/644 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.8 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/644 (originally A/C.5/59/L.23) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/265.

UN-CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2004-2005)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/265 Pattern of conferences.

Approves the draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings of the UN for 2005, as submitted by the Committee on Conferences, taking into account the observations of the Committee, and subject to the provisions of the present resolution; authorizes the Committee on Conferences to make any adjustments to the calendar of conferences and meetings for 2005 that may become necessary as a result of actions and decisions taken by the General Assembly at its 59th session; requests the Secretary-General to conduct systematic follow-up regarding the utilization of conference services by those bodies that consistently underutilize their conference-servicing resources over a longer period of time in order to identify the underlying causes for their being unable to reach the benchmark; reiterates its request that the Secretary-General develop further effective measures to strengthen the responsibility and accountability system within the Secretariat in order to ensure the timely submission of documents for processing; requests the Secretary-General to pursue the delivery of summary records in a more efficient and cost-effective manner in full consultation with all the relevant intergovernmental bodies; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the rules concerning the simultaneous distribution of documents in all official languages are followed with respect to both the distribution of printed copies and the posting of parliamentary documentation on the Official Document System of the UN and the UN web site; decides that the issuance of documents on planning, budgetary and administrative matters requiring urgent consideration by the General Assembly shall be accorded priority (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UN-CHARTER (Agenda item 147)

See also: UN SYSTEM-STRENGTHENING

Reports

A/59/33 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 33) Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/189 Repertory of Practice of United Nations Organs and the Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 29 July 2004. - Outlines the efforts undertaken by the Secretariat in 2004 to reduce the backlog in the publication of the Repertory of Practice of United Nations Organs and the Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council.

A/59/334 Implementation of the provisions of the Charter of the United Nations related to assistance to third States affected by the application of sanctions : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 7 Sept. 2004.

UN-CHARTER (Agenda item 147) (continued)

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey.
Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen.
Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.17 Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization : draft resolution / Egypt.

A/C.6/59/L.18 Implementation of the provisions of the Charter of the United Nations related to assistance to third States affected by the application of sanctions : draft resolution / Belarus, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chile, China, Egypt, Russian Federation, Turkey, Uganda and Ukraine.

Additional sponsor: The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (A/59/513).

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/513 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.4 (8 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.6 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.24 (8 Nov. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.26 (17 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, action of draft resolutions in A/59/513 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.6/59/L.17), adopted without vote; resolution 59/44; draft resolution II (originally A/C.6/59/L.18), adopted without vote; resolution 59/45.

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Resolutions

A/RES/59/44 Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization.

Decides that the Special Committee shall hold its next session 14-24 Mar. 2005; requests the Special Committee, at its session in 2005: (a) to continue its consideration of all proposals concerning the question of the maintenance of international peace and security, consider other proposals relating to the maintenance of international peace and security; (b) to consider the question of the implementation of the provisions of the Charter of UN related to assistance to 3rd States affected by the application; (c) to keep on its agenda the question of the peaceful settlement of disputes between States; (d) to continue to consider proposals concerning the Trusteeship Council in the light of the report of the Secretary-General submitted in accordance with General Assembly resolution 50/55 of 11 Dec. 1995, the report of the Secretary-General entitled "Renewing the United Nations: a programme for reform" and the views expressed by States on this subject at previous sessions of the Assembly; (e) to continue to consider ways and means of improving its working methods and enhancing its efficiency with a view to identifying widely acceptable measures for future implementation; requests the Special Committee to submit a report on its work to the General Assembly at its 60th session; requests the Secretary-General to establish a trust fund to eliminate the backlog of the Repertory of Practice of UN Organs, which shall accept voluntary contributions; also requests the Secretary-General to continue his efforts towards making available the Repertory of Practice of UN Organs electronically. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

UN–CHARTER (Agenda item 147) (continued)

A/RES/59/45 Implementation of the provisions of the Charter of the United Nations related to assistance to the third States affected by the application of sanctions.

Takes note of the decision of the Economic and Social Council, in its resolution 2000/32 of 28 July 2000, to continue its consideration of the question of assistance to third States affected by the application of sanctions; invites the organizations of the UN system, international financial institutions, other international organizations, regional organizations and Member States to address more specifically the special economic problems of third States affected by sanctions imposed under Chapter VII of the Charter; requests the Special Committee on the Charter of UN and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization, at its session in 2005, to continue to consider on a priority basis and in an appropriate substantive manner and framework the question of the implementation of the provisions of the Charter related to assistance to third States affected by the application of sanctions under Chapter VII of the Charter; decides to consider at the 60th session of the General Assembly, further progress in the elaboration of effective measures aimed at the implementation of the provisions of the Charter related to assistance to third States affected by the application of sanctions under Chapter VII of the Charter; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on the implementation of the present resolution to the General Assembly at its 60th session, under the item entitled "Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of UN and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization". (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

UN–FINANCIAL REPORTS (Agenda item 106)

See also: CAPITAL MASTER PLAN

INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–FORMER
YUGOSLAVIA–ACCOUNTS

INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–
ACCOUNTS

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING
UN–ACCOUNTS

UN–FINANCING

UN. OFFICE FOR PROJECT SERVICES–
ACCOUNTS

UN HABITAT AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS
FOUNDATION–ACCOUNTS

UN INTERNATIONAL DRUG CONTROL
PROGRAMME. FUND–ACCOUNTS

UNDP–ACCOUNTS

UNEP–ACCOUNTS

UNFPA–ACCOUNTS

UNHCR–ACCOUNTS

UNICEF–ACCOUNTS

UNITAR–ACCOUNTS

UNRWA–ACCOUNTS

Reports

A/59/5(Vol.I) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5) Financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 1, United Nations.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/5(Vol.II) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5) Financial report and audited financial statements for the 12-month period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 [and] report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 2, United Nations peacekeeping operations.
Issued: 2005.

A/59/5(Vol.II)/Corr.1 Financial report and audited financial statements for the 12-month period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 [and] report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 2, United Nations peacekeeping operations : corrigendum.
Issued: 6 Apr. 2005. - Corrects text and inserts annex 1 and annex 2.

A/59/5(Vol.III) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5) Financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 3, International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/5(Vol.IV) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5) Financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 4, United Nations University.
Issued: 2004.

**UN–FINANCIAL REPORTS (Agenda item 106)
(continued)**

A/59/161 Report of the Board of Auditors on the capital master plan for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2004. - Transmits report of the Board of Auditors, submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/292 of 20 Dec. 2002.

A/59/318 First report on the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors on the accounts of the United Nations for the financial period ended 31 December 2003 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Sept. 2004.

A/59/318/Add.1 First report on the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors on the financial statements of the United Nations funds and programmes for the financial period ended 31 December 2003 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 3 Sept. 2004.

A/59/400 Financial reports and audited financial statements and reports of the Board of Auditors for the period ended 31 December 2003 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 1 Oct. 2004.

A/59/704 Report on the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors concerning United Nations peacekeeping operations for the financial period ended 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Feb. 2005.

A/59/736 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : report of the Board of Auditors : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 22 Apr. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.50 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/588/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.28 (29 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.46 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

**UN–FINANCIAL REPORTS (Agenda item 106)
(continued)**

A/C.5/59/SR.56 (1 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/588/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.50) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 B.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/264B Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial report and audited financial statement and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors on UN Peacekeeping Operations; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the report of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors; further requests the Secretary-General to ensure the full implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors including those relating to the issue of the management of rations in peacekeeping operations as a whole and the management of air operations, and the related recommendations of the Advisory Committee in a prompt and timely manner. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN–FINANCING (Agenda item 110)

See also: UN–ACCOUNTS

UN–ADMINISTRATION
UN–BUDGET (2004-2005)
UN–BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS
UN–FINANCIAL REPORTS
UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING

Reports

A/59/524 Improving the financial situation of the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 22 Oct. 2004.

A/59/524/Add.1 Improving the financial situation of the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 12 May 2005.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/C.5/59/SR.12 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.15 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.51 (12 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.54 (23 May 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, the Assembly decided to defer consideration of this item and include it in the draft agenda of its 60th session: decision 59/569.

UN–HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS (Agenda item 145)

Reports

A/59/26 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 26) Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country.
Issued: 2004.

General documents

A/59/909 Letter, 6 Sept. 2005, from Cuba. Concerns decision of the host country to deny representatives of the National Assembly of People's Power of the Republic of Cuba visas to attend the 2nd World Conference of Speakers of Parliament to be held on 7-9 Sept. 2005 at UN Headquarters, New York.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/59/L.15 Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country : draft resolution / Bulgaria, Canada, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire and Cyprus.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/59/511 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/59/SR.26 (17 Nov. 2004).

UN–HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS (Agenda item 145) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/511 (originally A/C.6/59/L.15) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/42.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/42 Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country.

Considers that the maintenance of appropriate conditions for the work of the delegations and the missions accredited to UN and the observance of their privileges and immunities, are in the interest of UN and all Member States, and requests the host country continue to solve problems that arise and to take all measures necessary to prevent any interference with the functioning of missions; notes that the Committee conducted an initial detailed review of the implementation of the Parking Programme for Diplomatic Vehicles, as recommended by the Legal Counsel; expresses its appreciation for the efforts made by the host country; notes that during the reporting period some travel restrictions previously imposed by the host country on staff were removed, and in this regard notes the positions of affected States, of the Secretary-General and of the host country; notes also that the Committee anticipates that the host country will enhance its efforts to ensure the issuance of entry visas to representatives of Member States, pursuant to article IV, section 11, of the Agreement between UN and United States regarding the Headquarters of UN; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session the item entitled "Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country". (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (Agenda item 114)

See also: UN–ADMINISTRATION

UN–BUDGET (2004-2005)

Reports

A/56/956 Possible discrimination due to nationality, race, sex, religion and language in recruitment, promotion and placement : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 8 July 2002. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the inspection of possible discrimination due to nationality, race, sex, religion and language in recruitment, promotion and placement.

A/58/666 Composition of the Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 9 Dec. 2003.

A/58/704 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the policies and procedures for recruiting Department of Peacekeeping Operations staff : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Feb. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 57/287 of 20 Dec. 2002.

**I–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT
agenda item 114) (continued)**

A/59/211 Measures to prevent discrimination on the basis of nationality, race, gender, religion or language in the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 5 Aug. 2004.

A/59/213 Amendments to the Staff Rules : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 5 Aug. 2004.

A/59/213/Add.1 Amendments to the Staff Rules : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 6 Oct. 2004.

A/59/217 Consultants and individual contractors : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 6 Aug. 2004.

A/59/222 Employment of retired former staff : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 10 Aug. 2004.

A/59/253 Impact of the human resources management reform : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 24 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office for Internal Oversight Services on the impact of human resources management reform.

A/59/263 Human resources management reform : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 13 Aug. 2004.

A/59/263/Add.1 Human resources management reform : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : contractual arrangements.
Issued: 13 Aug. 2004.

A/59/263/Add.2 Human resources management reform : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : improving gender distribution in the Secretariat.
Issued: 13 Aug. 2004.

A/59/264 Improvement of equitable geographical representation in the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 13 Aug. 2004.

A/59/291 Comprehensive report on the staffing of field missions, including the use of 300 and 100 series appointments : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 Aug. 2004.

A/59/299 Composition of the Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 26 Aug. 2004.

A/59/357 Improvement of the status of women in the United Nations system : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Sept. 2004.

**UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT
(Agenda item 114) (continued)**

A/59/388 Report on the availability in local labour markets of the skills for which international recruitment for the General Service category takes place : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the study of the availability in local labour markets of the skills for which international recruitment for the General Service category takes place.

A/59/446 Human resources management : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 20 Oct. 2004.

A/59/526 Review of the Headquarters agreements concluded by the organizations of the United Nations System : human resources issues affecting staff : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 25 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/2) prepared by Ion Gorita and Wolfgang Münch.

A/59/661 Investigation into allegations of sexual exploitation and abuse in the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo / by the Office of Internal Oversight Services.
Issued: 5 Jan. 2005.

A/59/716 Gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 28 Feb. 2005.

A/59/724 Comprehensive assessment of the system of geographical distribution and assessment of the issues relating to possible changes in the number of posts subject to the system of geographical distribution : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 4 Mar. 2005.

A/59/762 Staffing of field missions, including the use of 300 and 100 series appointments : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 14 Apr. 2005.

A/59/782 Special measures for protection from sexual exploitation and sexual abuse : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 15 Apr. 2005.

A/59/786 Gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 20 Apr. 2005.

A/C.5/58/L.13 List of staff of the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 7 Nov. 2003.

A/C.5/59/L.34 List of staff of the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 28 Jan. 2005.

UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT
(Agenda item 114) (continued)

General documents

A/56/956/Add.1 Possible discrimination due to nationality, race, sex, religion and language in recruitment, promotion and placement : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits comments of the Joint Inspection Unit on the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services (A/56/956).

A/59/526/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Review of the Headquarters Agreements Concluded by the Organizations of the United Nations System : Human Resources Issues Affecting Staff" (JIU/REP/2004/2) : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits comments of the Secretary-General and of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2004/2).

A/C.5/59/4 Human resources management : views of the staff representatives of the United Nations Secretariat : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits document submitted by the staff unions and associations of the UN Secretariat, pursuant to the provisions of para. 2 (a) of General Assembly resolution 35/213 of 17 Dec. 1980.

A/C.5/59/CRP.3 Statistical information requested at the 39th meeting of the 5th Committee at the 58th session of the General Assembly concerning the geographical distribution of posts at the decision-making levels, retirement and gender mainstreaming.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.30 Human resources management : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.47 Recruitment : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/650 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/774 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.14 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.15 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.16 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.17 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.43 (6 Apr. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.52 (16 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.53 (20 May 2004).

UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT
(Agenda item 114) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/650 (originally A/C.5/59/L.30) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/266.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).

Corrects text.

A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, draft decision in A/59/774 (originally A/C.5/59/L.47) was adopted without vote: decision 59/560.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/266 Human resources management.

Requests the Secretary-General to reconstitute the Accountability Panel so as to strengthen the internal system of accountability, including with respect to human resources policies and objectives, and to ensure that the Panel has the authority necessary to hold programme managers accountable for their performance in achieving the objectives contained in human resources action plans; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the highest standards of efficiency, competence and integrity serve as the paramount consideration in the employment of staff, with due regard for the principle of equitable geographical distribution; reiterates its decision that the recruitment of qualified staff from the General Service to the Professional category should be limited to the P-1 and P-2 levels and should be permitted for up to 10 per cent of the appointments at those levels; reiterates its request that the Secretary-General take all measures necessary to ensure, at the senior and policy-making levels of the Secretariat, equitable representation of Member States; authorizes the Secretary-General, for a trial period of 2 years during which the procedures would be fully developed, to establish a special roster of candidates from unrepresented and underrepresented Member States; requests the Secretary-General to take the steps necessary to ensure that mobility is not used as an instrument of coercion against staff and to ensure that appropriate monitoring and accountability measures are in place; decides to continue to suspend the application of the 4-year maximum limit for appointments of limited duration under the 300 series of the Staff Rules in peacekeeping operations until 30 June 2005; reaffirms that consultants shall not perform functions of staff members of the Organization or have any representative or supervisory responsibility. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UN–PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

See: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS
PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING

UN–PERSONNEL QUESTIONS

See: UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

UN-PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 109)

See also: UN-ACCOUNTS

UN-ADMINISTRATION

UN-FINANCING

Reports

A/59/6(PartOne) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 1 : Plan outline.
Issued: 19 May 2004.

A/59/6(PartOne)/Corr.1 Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 1 : Plan outline ; corrigendum.
Issued: 16 June 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/6(Prog.1) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 1, General Assembly and Economic and Social Council affairs and conference management.
Issued: 19 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.2) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 2, Political affairs.
Issued: 8 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.3) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 3, Disarmament.
Issued: 16 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.4) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 4, Peacekeeping operations.
Issued: 8 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.5) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 5, Peaceful uses of outer space.
Issued: 12 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.6) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 6, Legal affairs.
Issued: 12 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.7) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 7, Economic and social affairs.
Issued: 29 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.8) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 8, Least developed countries, landlocked developing countries and small island developing States.
Issued: 19 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.9) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 9, United Nations Support for the New Partnership for Africa's Development.
Issued: 27 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.10) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 10, Trade and development.
Issued: 3 May 2004.

UN-PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 109) (continued)

A/59/6(Prog.10)/Rev.1 Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 10, Trade and development.
Issued: 1 Oct. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.11) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 11, Environment.
Issued: 17 May 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.12) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 12, Human settlements.
Issued: 27 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.13) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 13, International drug control, crime prevention and criminal justice.
Issued: 8 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.14) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 14, Economic and social development in Africa.
Issued: 19 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.15) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 15, Economic and social development in Asia and the Pacific.
Issued: 3 May 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.16) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 16, Economic development in Europe.
Issued: 22 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.17) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 17, Economic and social development in Latin America and the Caribbean.
Issued: 19 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.18) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 18, Economic and social development in Western Asia.
Issued: 19 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.19) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 19, Human rights.
Issued: 27 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.20) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 20, Protection of and assistance to refugees.
Issued: 26 Apr. 2004.

A/59/6(Prog.21) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 21, Palestine refugees.
Issued: 8 Apr. 2004.

**UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 109)
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- A/59/6(Prog.22)** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 22, Humanitarian assistance.
Issued: 19 Apr. 2004.
- A/59/6(Prog.22)/Corr.1** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 22, Humanitarian assistance : corrigendum.
Issued: 8 June 2004. - Corrects text.
- A/59/6(Prog.23)** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 23, Public information.
Issued: 19 Apr. 2004.
- A/59/6(Prog.24)** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 24, Management and support services.
Issued: 11 May 2004.
- A/59/6(Prog.25)** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 25, Internal oversight.
Issued: 20 Apr. 2004.
- A/59/6(Prog.26)** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan. Programme 26, Jointly financed activities.
Issued: 30 Apr. 2004.
- A/59/6/Rev.1** (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 6) Biennial programme plan and priorities for the period 2006-2007.
Issued: 2005.
- A/59/6/Rev.1/Corr.1** Biennial programme plan and priorities for the period 2006-2007 : corrigendum.
Issued: 20 June 2005. - Corrects text in Programme 24.
- A/59/16** (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 16) Report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination, 44th session (7 June-2 July 2004).
Issued: 2004.
- A/59/69** Programme performance of the United Nations for the biennium 2002-2003 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 13 Apr. 2004.
- A/59/79** Strengthening the role of evaluation findings in programme design, delivery and policy directives : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 5 May 2004. - Transmits, in conformity with General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244, report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, reviewing evaluation capacity and practice in the Secretariat during the biennium 2002-2003.
- A/59/87** Priority-setting : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 25 May 2004.
- A/59/562** Defining the administrative functions of the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 10 Nov. 2004.

**UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 109)
(continued)**

- A/59/567** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan : programme budget implications of recommendations contained in the report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Nov. 2004.

General documents

- A/59/806** Proposed biennial programme plan and priorities for the period 2006-2007 : Programme 27, Safety and security : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.5/59/13** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007. Part 2 : biennial programme plan : programme budget implications of recommendations contained in the report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.5/59/14** Letter, 4 Nov. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter dated 2 Nov. 2004 from the Chairman of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) containing the results of the review by the 4th Committee of programme 23 (Public information) of the proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007.
- A/C.5/59/15** Letter, 9 Nov. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter dated 3 Nov. 2004 from the Chairman of the 2nd Committee concerning programme 10 (Trade and development) of the proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007, under agenda item 109, "Programme planning".
- A/C.5/59/17** Letter, 16 Nov. 2004, from the Acting President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter dated 5 Nov. 2004 from the Chairman of the 1st Committee concerning the revised version of programme 3, Disarmament, of the proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007, as approved by the 1st Committee, for consideration under agenda item 109 (Programme planning).
- A/C.5/59/26** Letter, 20 Dec. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter of 17 Dec. 2004 from the Facilitator of the open-ended consultations, held 8-17 Dec. 2004, with a view to reaching consensus with respect to the text of Programme 19, Human rights, of the proposed strategic framework for the period 2006-2007 and encloses text of revised programme 19.

Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/59/L.20** Programme planning : draft resolution / by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

- A/59/618** Report of the 1st Committee.
- A/C.1/59/PV.3** (5 Oct. 2004).
- A/C.1/59/PV.23** (5 Nov. 2004).

**UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 109)
(continued)**

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/621 Report of the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.12 (19 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.13 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.14 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.15 (25 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.19 (29 Oct. 2004).

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

A/59/610 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.22 (2 Nov. 2004).

**Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and
Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)**

A/59/609 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.42 (11 Nov. 2004).

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/651 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.22 (9 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.23 (11 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, the Assembly took note of the
report of the 2nd Committee (A/59/610); decision 59/542.

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, the Assembly took note of the
following reports: report of the 1st Committee (A/59/618);
decision 59/544; report of the 4th Committee (A/59/621);
decision 59/545; report of the 3rd Committee (A/59/609);
decision 59/546; draft resolution in A/59/651 (originally
A/C.5/59/L.20) was adopted without vote: resolution
59/275.

**UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 109)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/275 Programme planning.

Requests the Secretary-General to prepare and
propose a plan outline, reflecting the longer-term
objectives of the Organization, and a biennial programme
plan in the context of the strategic framework for the
biennium 2008-2009; requests the Secretary-General to
make recommendations to the General Assembly by the
end of its 59th session on how to ensure the ongoing
discharge of key functions of the Office for the
Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs of the Secretariat at
Headquarters as defined by the Committee for Programme
and Coordination; endorses the conclusions and
recommendations of the Committee for Programme and
Coordination on strengthening the role of evaluation
findings in programme design, delivery and policy
directives, on in-depth evaluation of the programme on
public administration, finance and development, on the
triennial review of the implementation of the
recommendations made by the Committee on the in-depth
evaluation of sustainable development and on the triennial
review of the implementation of the recommendations
made by the Committee on the in-depth evaluation of the
population programme, and on the further development of
topics for a pilot thematic evaluation. (Adopted without
vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UN–PUBLIC INFORMATION

See: INFORMATION

**UN. AD HOC COMMITTEE FOR THE NEGOTIATION
OF A CONVENTION AGAINST CORRUPTION**

See: CRIME PREVENTION

**UN. AD HOC COMMITTEE ON A COMPREHENSIVE
AND INTEGRAL INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION
ON THE PROTECTION AND PROMOTION OF THE
RIGHTS AND DIGNITY OF PERSONS WITH
DISABILITIES**

See: DISABLED PERSONS–HUMAN RIGHTS

**UN. AD HOC COMMITTEE ON THE ELABORATION
OF A CONVENTION AGAINST TRANSNATIONAL
ORGANIZED CRIME**

See: CRIME PREVENTION

**UN. ADVISORY BOARD ON DISARMAMENT
MATTERS (Agenda item 67a)**

See also: DISARMAMENT–GENERAL AND COMPLETE
DISARMAMENT–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY
(10TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1978)–FOLLOW-UP
UN INSTITUTE FOR DISARMAMENT
RESEARCH

Reports

A/59/361 Work of the Advisory Board on Disarmament
Matters : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 14 Sept. 2004.

**UN. ADVISORY BOARD ON DISARMAMENT
MATTERS (Agenda item 67a) (continued)**

General documents

A/C.5/59/3 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/3/Add.1 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/3/Corr.1 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General. Corrects text.

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/461 Report of the 1st Committee.

**UN. ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS—MEMBERS
(Agenda item 17a)**

General documents

A/59/101 Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/5 Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : note / by the Secretary-General.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/582 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.21 (5 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.69 (8 Dec. 2004).

At the 69th meeting, the following persons were appointed as members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a 3-year term of office beginning 1 Jan. 2005: Ronald Elkhuizen (Netherlands), Jorge Flores Callejas (Honduras), Jerry Kramer (Canada), Sun Minqin (China), Rajat Saha (India) and Jun Yamazaki (Japan): decision 59/407.

**UN. COMMITTEE FOR PROGRAMME AND
COORDINATION—MEMBERS (Agenda item 16)**

General documents

A/59/131 Election of 7 members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination : note / by the Secretary-General.

**UN. COMMITTEE FOR PROGRAMME AND
COORDINATION—MEMBERS (Agenda item 16)
(continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.50 (8 Nov. 2004).

At the 50th meeting, the following States were elected members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination: Algeria, China, Ghana, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya and Republic of Korea for 3-year terms of office beginning on 1 Jan. 2005: decision 59/404.

**UN. COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCES—MEMBERS
(Agenda item 17g)**

General documents

A/59/107 Appointment of members of the Committee on Conferences : note / by the Secretary-General.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.50 (8 Nov. 2004).

At the 50th meeting, the following States were appointed as members of the Committee on Conferences for a 3-year term of office commencing on 1 Jan. 2005: Austria, China, Egypt, Jamaica, Kenya, Nepal and United States: decision 59/405.

**UN. COMMITTEE ON CONTRIBUTIONS—
MEMBERS (Agenda item 17b)**

General documents

A/59/102 Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/102/Add.1 Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

Concerns appointment of a person to fill the vacancy of Sergei I. Mareyev, who will resign on 31 Dec. 2004.

A/59/102/Add.2 Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/6 Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/6/Add.1 Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/6/Add.2 Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions : note / by the Secretary-General.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/583 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/583/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.21 (5 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.56 (1 June 2005).

**UN. COMMITTEE ON CONTRIBUTIONS–
MEMBERS (Agenda item 17b) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.69 (8 Dec. 2004).

At the 69th meeting, the following persons were appointed as members of the Committee on Contributions for a 3-year term of office beginning 1 Jan. 2005: David Dutton (Australia), Paul Ekorong a Dong (Cameroon), Bernardo Greiver del Hoyo (Uruguay), Hassan Mohammed Hassan (Nigeria), Eduardo Héctor Iglesias (Argentina) and Eduardo Manuel da Fonseca Fernandes Ramos (Portugal); Vyacheslav Anatolievich Logutov (Russian Federation) was appointed for a term beginning 1 Jan. 2005 and ending on 31 Dec. 2005: decision 59/408 A.

A/59/PV.101 (6 June 2005).

At the 101st meeting, Henrique da Silveira Pinto (Brazil) was appointed as a member of the Committee on Contributions for a term of office beginning on 6 June 2005 and ending on 31 Dec. 2005: decision 59/408 B.

UN. COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION

See: INFORMATION

**UN. COMMITTEE ON THE EXERCISE OF THE
INALIENABLE RIGHTS OF THE PALESTINIAN
PEOPLE**

See: PALESTINE QUESTION

**UN. COMMITTEE ON THE PEACEFUL USES OF
OUTER SPACE**

See: OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES–
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

**UN. CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT–REPORTS
(2004) (Agenda item 67c)**

Reports

A/59/27 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 27) Report of the Conference on Disarmament, 19 January–26 March, 10 May–25 June and 26 July–8 September 2004.
Issued: 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.27 Report of the Conference on Disarmament : draft resolution / Myanmar.

Additional sponsors: Bosnia and Herzegovina, El Salvador (A/C.1/59/INF/2).

A/C.1/59/L.27/Rev.1 Report of the Conference on Disarmament : draft resolution / Myanmar.

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/461 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.16 (25 Oct. 2004).

**UN. CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT–REPORTS
(2004) (Agenda item 67c) (continued)**

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution I in A/59/461 (originally A/C.1/59/L.27/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/104.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/104 Report of the Conference on Disarmament.

Calls upon the Conference to intensify consultations and explore possibilities with a view to reaching an agreement on a programme of work; takes note of the strong collective interest of the Conference in commencing substantive work as soon as possible during its 2005 session; requests all States members of the Conference to cooperate with the current President and successive Presidents in their efforts to guide the Conference to the early commencement of substantive work in its 2005 session; requests the Secretary-General to continue to ensure the provision to the Conference of adequate administrative, substantive and conference support services; requests the Conference to submit a report on its work to the General Assembly at its 60th session.
(Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**UN. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INFORMATION–
ACTIVITIES**

See: INFORMATION

**UN. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INFORMATION–
PROGRAMME ON PALESTINE**

See: PALESTINE QUESTION

**UN. DISARMAMENT COMMISSION–REPORTS
(2004) (Agenda item 67d)**

Reports

A/59/42 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 42) Report of the Disarmament Commission for 2004.
Issued: 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.42 Report of the Disarmament Commission : draft resolution / Bosnia and Herzegovina, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Georgia, Ireland, Israel, Peru, Republic of Korea and Uzbekistan.

Additional sponsor: Kazakhstan (A/C.1/59/INF/2).

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/461 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2004).

**UN. DISARMAMENT COMMISSION–REPORTS
(2004) (Agenda item 67d) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/461 (originally A/C.1/59/L.42) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/105.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/105 Report of the Disarmament Commission.

Requests the Disarmament Commission to continue its work in accordance with its mandate; requests the Disarmament Commission to meet for a period not exceeding 3 weeks during 2005, namely, from 18 July to 5 Aug., and to submit a substantive report to the General Assembly at its 60th session; requests the Secretary-General to transmit to the Disarmament Commission the annual report of the Conference on Disarmament, together with all the official records of the 59th session of the General Assembly relating to disarmament matters; also requests the Secretary-General to ensure full provision to the Disarmament Commission and its subsidiary bodies of interpretation and translation facilities in the official languages. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

UN. DIVISION FOR PALESTINIAN RIGHTS

See: PALESTINE QUESTION

**UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL–
MEMBERS (Agenda item 15b)**

General documents

A/59/358 Letter, 25 Aug. 2004, from Greece. Reports that Greece would like to relinquish its seat on the Economic and Social Council for the year 2005 in favour of Spain.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.45 (28 Oct. 2004).

At the 45th meeting, Spain was elected member of the Economic and Social Council, beginning on 1 Jan. 2005 and ending 31 Dec. 2005; the following States were elected members of the Council for a 3-year term beginning 1 Jan. 2005: Australia, Brazil, Chad, China, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Guinea, Iceland, India, Lithuania, Mexico, Pakistan, Russian Federation, South Africa, Thailand and United Kingdom: decision 59/403.

A/59/PV.46 (29 Oct. 2004).

At the 46th meeting, Albania and Costa Rica were elected members of the Economic and Social Council, beginning on 1 Jan. 2005 and ending 31 Dec. 2005; the following States were elected members of the Council for a 3-year term beginning on 1 Jan. 2005: Albania, Australia, Brazil, Chad, China, Costa Rica, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Guinea, Iceland, India, Lithuania, Mexico, Pakistan, Russian Federation, South Africa, Thailand and United Kingdom: decision 59/403.

**UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL–
REPORTS (2004) (Agenda item 12)**

See also: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION–DEVELOPMENT

Reports

A/59/3 (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 3) Report of the Economic and Social Council for 2004. Issued: 6 Aug. 2004.

A/59/3/Add.1 (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 3) Report of the Economic and Social Council for 2004 : addendum. Issued: 13 Aug. 2004.

A/59/3/Add.2 (To be issued as GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 3) Report of the Economic and Social Council for 2004 : addendum. Issued: 19 Nov. 2004.

A/59/99 (E/2004/83) Implementation of the Charter of Economic Rights and Duties of States : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 June 2004.

A/59/160 United Nations Population Award 2004 : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 20 July 2004. - Transmits report of the Executive Director of the UN Population Fund, prepared in accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 1982/112.

A/59/393 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and 1st resumed substantive session of 2004 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/393/Add.1 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed substantive sessions of 2004 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 22 Nov. 2004.

A/59/542 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive session of 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 29 Oct. 2004.

**UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL–
REPORTS (2004) (Agenda item 12) (continued)**

A/59/597 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49 ; international convention against the reproductive cloning of human beings : programme budget implications arising from the decision of the 6th Committee at its 27th meeting, on 19 November 2004 ; International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.31 ; rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.29/Rev. 1 ; revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed sessions of 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 6 Dec. 2004.

General documents

A/59/61 Letter, 17 Feb. 2004, from Switzerland. Transmits summary of deliberations of the 2004 European Population Forum organized jointly by the UN Economic Commission for Europe and the UN Population Fund, as a contribution to the review and appraisal of the implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development, Geneva, 12-14 Jan. 2004.

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.47 Smooth transition strategy for countries graduating from the list of least developed countries : draft resolution / Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Qatar [on behalf of the Group 77 and China], Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America.

A/59/L.47/Add.1 Smooth transition strategy for countries graduating from the list of least developed countries : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsor: Estonia.

A/59/L.48 Report of the Committee for Development Policy on its 6th session : draft resolution / Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Qatar (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and United States of America.

**UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL–
REPORTS (2004) (Agenda item 12) (continued)**

A/59/L.48/Add.1 Report of the Committee for Development Policy on its 6th session : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsor: Estonia.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.41 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions was as follows: draft resolution A/59/L.47, as orally corrected, adopted without vote; resolution 59/209; draft resolution A/59/L.48, adopted without vote; resolution 59/210.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/209 Smooth transition strategy for countries graduating from the list of least developed countries.

Re-emphasizes the need for a smooth transition for countries graduating from the list of least developed countries; invites the graduating country, in cooperation with its bilateral and multilateral development and trading partners and with the support of the UN system, to prepare a transition strategy to adjust to the phasing out of the advantages associated with its membership on the list of least developed countries; recommends that the graduating country establish a consultative mechanism to facilitate the preparation of the transition strategy and the identification of the associated actions; requests the Administrator of the UNDP to assist countries graduating from the list by providing the support of the UN Resident Coordinator and the UN Country Team to the consultative mechanism; invites all members of the World Trade Organization to consider extending to a graduated country, as appropriate, the existing special and differential treatment and exemptions available to least developed countries for a period appropriate to the development situation; requests the Committee for Development Policy to continue to monitor the development progress of the graduated country as a complement to its triennial review of the list of least developed countries, with the assistance and support of other relevant entities, and to report thereon to the Economic and Social Council. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/210 Report of the Committee for Development Policy on its 6th session.

Takes note of the recommendation of the Committee for Development Policy that Cape Verde and Maldives be graduated from the group of least developed countries (E/2004/33). (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

**UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY–RULES OF
PROCEDURE**

See: UN-CHARTER

**UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY–WORK PROGRAMME
(Agenda item 52)**

Reports

- A/59/860** Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 2005.
- A/59/860/Add.1** Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.
Issued: 2005.
- A/59/910** Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.69/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 7 Sept. 2005.

General documents

- A/59/425** (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.
- A/59/541** (S/2004/873) Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits Declaration of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-building Measures in Asia, adopted at their ministerial meeting, held in Almaty, 22 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/709** (S/2005/102) Letter, 22 Feb. 2005, from the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya. Transmits proposals by Muammar Qaddafi concerning the reform of the UN; proposes that the General Assembly be a legislative body of the UN, the Security Council an executive body, and the International Court of Justice to be the judicial authority.
- A/59/884** (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.
- A/C.5/59/35** Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.69 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/35/Rev.1** Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.69/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/59/L.69** A strengthened and revitalized General Assembly : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

**UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY–WORK PROGRAMME
(Agenda item 52) (continued)**

- A/59/L.69/Rev.1** A strengthened and revitalized General Assembly : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/L.80** A strengthened and revitalized General Assembly : draft decision / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

- A/C.4/59/SR.26** (11 Mar. 2005).

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

- A/59/912** Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/C.5/59/SR.60** (9 Sept. 2005).

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.18** (4 Oct. 2004).
- A/59/PV.19** (4 Oct. 2004).
- A/59/PV.20** (5 Oct. 2004).
- A/59/PV.117** (12 Sept. 2005).
At the 117th meeting, draft resolution
A/59/L.69/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution
59/313.

**UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY–WORK PROGRAMME
(Agenda item 52) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/313 A strengthened and revitalized General Assembly.

Decides: (a) to convene and organize major thematic debates; (b) to discuss issues pertaining to the maintenance of international peace and security, which enable swift and urgent action by the Assembly; (c) to consider the annual reports as well as special reports of the Security Council; (d) to hold interactive debates on other reports submitted to the General Assembly; decides to strengthen the role and leadership of the President of the General Assembly by: (a) authorizing the President to propose interactive debates on current issues on the agenda; (b) augmenting the resources available to the Office of the President of the General; (c) making available to the President of the General Assembly adequate office and conference space; (d) requesting the Secretary-General to ensure that the President is provided with proper protocol services; decides to establish an ad hoc working group open to all Member States to identify ways to further enhance the role, authority, effectiveness and efficiency of the General Assembly; decides also that the ad hoc working group shall submit a report with specific recommendations to the General Assembly at its 60th session; requests the Secretary-General to provide the ad hoc working group with the necessary services; decides that time limits on speeches in the plenary Assembly and in the Main Committees shall be applied in accordance with rules 72 and 114 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly; requests the Secretary-General to issue the rules of procedure of the General Assembly in a consolidated version in all official languages, in print and online; requests the Secretary-General to implement further the measures set out in paragraph 20 of resolution 57/300 of 20 Dec. 2002 on the consolidation of reports and in paragraph 6 of the annex to resolution 58/316, on documentation. (Adopted without vote, 117th plenary meeting, 12 Sept. 2005)

**UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH SPECIAL SESS.
ON DISARMAMENT : #####)**

See: DISARMAMENT–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH
SPECIAL SESS. ON DISARMAMENT : #####)

**UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (26th SPECIAL SESS. :
2001)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 43)**

Reports

A/59/765 Progress made in the implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 4 Apr. 2005.

General documents

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

**UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (26th SPECIAL SESS. :
2001)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 43) (continued)**

A/59/852 High-level Meeting of the General Assembly on HIV/AIDS : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

Transmits summaries of the discussions of the 5 round tables of the High-level Meeting of the General Assembly to review the progress achieved in realizing the commitments set out the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS.

A/59/CRP.1 High-level meeting on HIV/AIDS : discussion paper for the round table on orphans and children made vulnerable by HIV/AIDS, to be convened by the United Nations Children's Fund and the World Food Programme.

A/59/CRP.2 High-level meeting on HIV/AIDS : discussion paper for the round table on prevention to be convened by the United Nations Population Fund, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization and the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime.

A/59/CRP.3 High-level meeting on HIV/AIDS : discussion paper for the round table on human rights, gender and HIV/AIDS : to be convened by the United Nations Development Programme, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, the United Nations Development Fund for Women and the Global Coalition on Women and AIDS.

A/59/CRP.4 High-level meeting on HIV/AIDS : discussion paper for the round table on treatment, care and support to be convened by the World Health Organization and the International Labour Organization.

A/59/CRP.5 High-level meeting on HIV/AIDS : discussion paper for round table on resources to be convened by the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, the World Bank and the Global Fund to fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.59 Participation of civil society representatives in the high-level meeting to review the progress achieved in realizing commitments set out in the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS : draft decision / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.80 (20 Jan. 2005).

At the 80th meeting, draft decision A/59/L.59 was adopted without vote: decision 59/553.

A/59/PV.99 (2 June 2005).

A/59/PV.100 (2 June 2005).

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, the Assembly decided to include this item in the draft agenda of the 60th session.

A/59/PV.117/Corr.1 (12 Sept. 2005).
Corrects text.

A/59/PV.117/Corr.2 (12 Sept. 2005).
Corrects text.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (27th SPECIAL SESS. : 2002)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 40)

Reports

A/59/274 Follow-up to the United Nations special session on children : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 17 Aug. 2004.

General documents

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.42 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.43 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–AGENDA (Agenda item 8)

General documents

A/59/50 Preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/50/Corr.1 Preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/59/100 Annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly.

A/59/100/Add.1 Annotated draft agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.

A/59/141 Letter, 24 Feb. 2004, from China. Requests for the inclusion of an item in the provisional agenda of the 59th session entitled "Observer status for the Shanghai Cooperation Organization in the General Assembly".

A/59/142 Letter, 15 Apr. 2004, from the United Republic of Tanzania. Requests for the inclusion of an item in the provisional agenda of the 59th session entitled "Observer status for the Southern African Development Community in the General Assembly".

A/59/150 Provisional agenda of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly to convene at United Nations Headquarters, New York, on Tuesday, 14 September 2004.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–AGENDA (Agenda item 8) (continued)

A/59/194 Letter, 6 Aug. 2004, from Belize, Burkina Faso, Chad, the Gambia, Grenada, Malawi, the Marshall Islands, Nicaragua, Palau, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Senegal, Solomon Islands, Swaziland and Tuvalu. Requests for the inclusion in the agenda of the 59th session of a supplementary item entitled "Question of the representation of the 23 million people of Taiwan in the UN".

A/59/195 Letter, 10 Aug. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Requests for the inclusion in the provisional agenda of the 59th session of an item entitled "Observer status for the Collective Security Treaty Organization in the General Assembly".

A/59/195/Corr.1 Letter, 10 Aug. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Requests for the inclusion in the provisional agenda of the 59th session of an item entitled "Observer status for the Collective Security Treaty Organization in the General Assembly" : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

A/59/196 Letter, 12 Aug. 2004, from Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Republic of Moldova, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, and Uzbekistan. Requests for the inclusion in the agenda of the 59th session of a supplementary item entitled "Declaration by the United Nations of 8 and 9 May as days of remembrance and reconciliation".

A/59/200 Supplementary list of items for inclusion in the agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly.

A/59/231 Letter, 26 Aug. 2004, from Angola, Brazil, Cape Verde, Guinea-Bissau, Mozambique, Portugal, Timor-Leste and Sao Tome and Principe. Requests for the inclusion in the agenda of the 59th session of an additional item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the community of Portuguese-speaking countries".

A/59/232 Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Benin, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Côte d'Ivoire, the Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Liberia, Mali, Niger, Nigeria, Senegal, Sierra Leone and Togo. Requests for the inclusion of an additional item in the agenda of the 59th session entitled "Observer status for the Economic Community of West African States in the General Assembly".

A/59/233 Letter, 4 Oct. 2004, from Saint Lucia. Requests for the inclusion in the agenda of the 59th session of an additional item entitled "Observer status for the Organization of Eastern Caribbean States in the General Assembly".

A/59/234 Letter, 12 Oct. 2004, from Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka. Requests for the inclusion of an additional item entitled "Observer status for the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation in the General Assembly" in the agenda of the 59th session.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–AGENDA (Agenda item 8) (continued)

- A/59/235** Letter, 12 Oct. 2004, from Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela. Requests for the inclusion of an additional item entitled "Andean Zone of Peace" in the agenda of the 59th session.
- A/59/236** Letter, 14 Oct. 2004, from Azerbaijan. Requests for the inclusion in the agenda of the 59th session of an additional item entitled "The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan".
- A/59/236/Add.1** Letter, 14 Oct. 2004, from Azerbaijan. Requests for the inclusion in the agenda of the 59th session of an additional item entitled "The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan" : addendum.
- A/59/237** Request for the inclusion of an additional sub-item in the agenda of the 59th session : elections to fill vacancies in principal organs : election of a member of the International Court of Justice : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/59/238** Letter, 5 Nov. 2004, from Afghanistan, Costa Rica, Georgia, Kyrgyzstan and Nepal. Requests for the inclusion of an additional sub-item entitled "Rendering assistance to the poor mountain countries to overcome obstacles in socio-economic and ecological areas" in the agenda of the 59th session.
- A/59/239** Request for the inclusion of an additional sub-item in the agenda of the 59th session : financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/59/240** Request for the inclusion of an additional sub-item in the agenda of the 59th session : appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: confirmation of the appointment of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/59/241** Request for the inclusion of an additional sub-item in the agenda of the 59th session : election of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/59/251** Agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly / adopted by the General Assembly at its 2nd plenary meeting, on 17th September 2004.
- A/59/251/Add.1** Agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/251/Add.2** Agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/251/Add.3** Agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/251/Add.4** Agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/251/Add.5** Agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/251/Add.6** Agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–AGENDA (Agenda item 8) (continued)

- A/59/251/Add.7** Agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/252** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly / adopted by the General Assembly at its 2nd plenary meeting, on 17 September 2004.
- A/59/252/Add.1** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/252/Add.2** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/252/Add.3** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/252/Add.3/Corr.1** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum : corrigendum.
Corrects text.
- A/59/252/Add.3/Rev.1** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/252/Add.4** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/252/Add.5** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/252/Add.6** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/252/Add.7** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/252/Add.8** Allocation of agenda items for the 59th session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/59/351** Letter, 9 Sept. 2004, from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences. Concerns requests from several subsidiary organs to meet at UN Headquarters during the 59th session of the General Assembly.
- A/59/351/Add.1** Letter, 27 Sept. 2004, from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences. Concerns request from the UN Administrative Tribunal to meet at UN Headquarters during the 59th session of the General Assembly.
- A/59/355** Letter, 10 Sept. 2004, from the President of the 58th session of the General Assembly. Concerns submission of agenda and work organization documents of the 59th session of the General Assembly.
- A/59/424** Letter, 8 Oct. 2004, from Canada. Requests, as the current Chair of the Kimberley Process Certification Scheme for Rough Diamonds, that the debate on the role of diamonds in fuelling conflict be split from the debate on the prevention of conflict and that the debate be rescheduled once the report by the Chair has been presented.
- A/INF/59/1** Opening dates of forthcoming regular sessions of the General Assembly and dates of the general debate : note / by the Secretariat.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–AGENDA (Agenda item 8) (continued)

A/INF/59/3 Programme of work of the General Assembly : schedule of plenary meetings : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

A/INF/59/3/Rev.1 Programme of work of the General Assembly : schedule of plenary meetings : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

A/INF/59/3/Rev.2 Programme of work of the General Assembly : schedule of plenary meetings : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

Discussion in the General Committee

A/59/250 Organization of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 1st report of the General Committee.

A/59/250/Add.1 Organization of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 2nd report of the General Committee.

A/59/250/Add.2 Organization of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 3rd report of the General Committee.

A/59/250/Add.3 Organization of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 4th report of the General Committee.

A/59/250/Add.4 Organization of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 5th report of the General Committee.

A/BUR/59/1 Organization of the 59th regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : memorandum / by the Secretary-General.

A/BUR/59/SR.1 (15 Sept. 2004).

A/BUR/59/SR.2 (15 Sept. 2004).

A/BUR/59/SR.3 (30 Sept. 2004).

A/BUR/59/SR.4 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/BUR/59/SR.5 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/BUR/59/SR.6 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/BUR/59/SR.7 (29 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.1 (14 Sept. 2004).

At the 1st meeting, the Assembly authorized the subsidiary organs of the Assembly listed in the letter of the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/59/351) to meet during the main part of the 59th session of the General Assembly: decision 59/501.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–AGENDA (Agenda item 8) (continued)

A/59/PV.2 (17 Sept. 2004).

At the 2nd meeting, the Assembly adopted a number of provisions concerning the organization of the 59th session: decision 59/502; at the same meeting, the Assembly decided the following: to adopt the agenda (A/59/251) and the allocation of agenda items (A/59/252) for the 59th session; to defer consideration of the item entitled "Question of the Comorian island of Mayotte" and to include it in the provisional agenda of its 60th session; to defer consideration of the item entitled "Question of the Malagasy islands of Glorieuses, Juan de Nova, Europa and Bassas da India" and to include it in the provisional agenda of its 60th session: decision 59/503 A.

A/59/PV.18 (4 Oct. 2004).

At the 18th meeting, the Assembly decided to authorize the UN Administrative Tribunal to meet during the substantive part of the 59th session of the General Assembly: decision 59/501; the Assembly also decided the following: to include in the agenda of the current session an additional sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the UN and the community of Portuguese-speaking countries" under agenda item 56 and to consider the sub-item directly in plenary meeting; to include in the agenda of the current session an additional item entitled "Observer status for the Economic Community of West African States in the General Assembly" and allocate this item to the 6th Committee: decision 59/503 A.

A/59/PV.30 (14 Oct. 2004).

At the 30th meeting, the Assembly decided to hear an introductory statement by the Executive Director of the UN Population Fund at the commemoration of the 10th anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development under agenda item 45: decision 59/502.

A/59/PV.32 (15 Oct. 2004).

At the 32nd plenary meeting, the Assembly decided the following: to consider separately agenda item 21 entitled "The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict" and agenda item 24 entitled "Prevention of armed conflict": decision 59/502; to include an additional item entitled "Observer status for the Organization of Eastern Caribbean States in the General Assembly" in the agenda of the current session under heading I and to be allocated to the 6th Committee: decision 59/503 A.

A/59/PV.46 (29 Oct. 2004).

At the 46th meeting, the Assembly decided the following: to consider separately agenda item 36 entitled "The situation in the Middle East" and agenda item 37 entitled "Question of Palestine": decision 59/502; to include an additional item entitled "Andean Zone of Peace" and to consider it directly in plenary meeting; to include an additional item entitled "Observer status for the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation in the General Assembly" and to allocate it to the 6th Committee; to include an additional item entitled "Election of a member of the International Court of Justice" as sub-item (c) of agenda item 15 and to consider it directly in plenary meeting; to include an additional item entitled "The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan" and to consider it directly in plenary meeting: decision 59/503 A.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–AGENDA (Agenda item 8) (continued)

A/59/PV.62 (30 Nov. 2004).

At the 62nd meeting, the Assembly decided the following: to include an additional sub-item entitled "Promotion of sustained economic growth and sustainable development in accordance with the resolutions of the General Assembly and recent UN conferences" as a sub-item of agenda item 85 under heading B and to allocate this additional sub-item to the 2nd Committee: decision 59/503 A.

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, the Assembly decided that the following agenda items remain for consideration during the 59th session of the General Assembly: 3 (b), 4 to 6, 10 to 12, 15 (c), 17 (h), (i) and (j), 19, 20, 24, 26, 27, 36, 37, 40, 43, 45, 48, 52 to 55, 56 (g), 56 (n), 75, 77, 84, 85 (b), 105 (b), 106 to 137, 146, 148, 150, 153 to 156, 158 and 163: decision 59/552.

A/59/PV.77 (18 Jan. 2005).

At the 77th meeting, the Assembly decided to reopen consideration of agenda item 39: decision 59/503 B.

A/59/PV.80 (20 Jan. 2005).

At the 80th meeting, the Assembly decided to reopen consideration of agenda item 18: decision 59 503 B.

A/59/PV.84 (29 Mar. 2005).

At the 84th meeting, the Assembly decided to include an additional item entitled "Financing of the UN Mission in the Sudan" as an agenda item 164 and to allocate this additional item to the 5th Committee: decision 59/503 B.

A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, the Assembly decided to consider agenda item 148 directly in plenary meeting: decision 59/503 B.

A/59/PV.95 (5 May 2005).

At the 95th meeting, the Assembly decided to include in the agenda of the current session an additional sub-item entitled "Confirmation of the appointment of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme" as a sub-item of agenda item 17 and to consider this sub-item directly in plenary meeting: decision 59/503 B.

A/59/PV.98 (27 May 2005).

At the 98th meeting, the Assembly decided the following: 1) to consider agenda 84 directly in plenary meeting; 2) to include in the agenda of the current session an additional sub-item entitled "Election of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees", as a sub-item of agenda item 16: decision 59/503 B.

A/59/PV.101 (6 June 2005).

At the 101st meeting, the Assembly decided to reopen consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 17: decision 59/503 B.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–AGENDA (Agenda item 8) (continued)

A/59/PV.113 (14 July 2005).

At the 113th meeting, the Assembly decided to consider sub-item (b) of agenda item 85 and agenda item 113 directly in plenary meeting: decision 59/503 B.

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, the Assembly decided to conclude the discussion on the following agenda items at the present session: 7, 10-12, 15 (c), 17, 17 (h), 17 (i), 19, 20, 27, 36, 37, 39, 75, 84, 106, 108, 109, 111-119, 121-123, 126, 127, 129-137, 146, 153-155 and 164 and to include the agenda items listed above, with the exception of items 17 (h) and (i), 111, 117 and 119, in the provisional agenda of the 60th session of the General Assembly.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–CLOSING

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.118 (13 Sept. 2005).

At the 118th meeting, the President declared closed the 59th session of the General Assembly.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–DOCUMENTS

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/1 Documents of the 1st Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/1/Add.1 Documents of the 1st Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/3 Situation reports of the 1st Committee on agenda items 57 to 72 : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.2/59/L.1/Add.1 Organization of work of the 2nd Committee : note : addendum : status of preparation of documentation / by the Secretariat.

A/C.3/59/L.1/Add.1 Organization of the work of the 3rd Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.4/59/INF/1 Documents of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.4/59/INF/3 Checklist of reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) to the General Assembly on agenda items 22, 73 to 82, and 20 : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.4/59/INF/3/Rev.1 Checklist of reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) to the General Assembly on agenda items 22, 73 to 82, and 20 : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.5/59/L.1 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 59th session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.

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- A/C.5/59/L.35** Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 1st part of the resumed 59th session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.5/59/L.49** Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 2nd part of the resumed 59th session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–GENERAL DEBATE (Agenda item 9)

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.3** (21 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.4** (21 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.5** (22 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.6** (22 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.7** (23 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.7/Corr.1** (23 Sept. 2004).
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- A/59/PV.8** (23 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.9** (24 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.10** (24 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.11** (27 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.12** (27 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.13** (28 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.14** (28 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.15** (29 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.16** (29 Sept. 2004).
- A/59/PV.17** (30 Sept. 2004).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–GENERAL DEBATE–RIGHT OF REPLY (Agenda item 9)

General documents

- A/59/379** Letter, 22 Sept. 2004, from Chile. Transmits written statement of the delegation of Chile in exercise of the right of reply to statement of the President of Bolivia, given on 22 Sept. 2004 at the 59th sess. of the General Assembly; concerns bilateral relations between Bolivia and Chile.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–GENERAL DEBATE–RIGHT OF REPLY (Agenda item 9) (continued)

- A/59/391** Letter, 29 Sept. 2004, from Bolivia. Transmits written statement of the delegation of Bolivia in exercise of the right of reply to the statement of the delegations of Chile, issued as document of 23 Sept. 2004 (A/59/379); concerns Bolivia's claim to have a free, useful access to the sea under its jurisdiction.
- A/59/406** Letter, 30 Sept. 2004, from the United Kingdom. Transmits statement of the United Kingdom delegation in exercise of the right of reply to the remarks made by the President of the Argentine on 21 Sept. 2004 in the General Assembly concerning the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) question.
- A/59/407** Letter, 30 Sept. 2004, from the United Kingdom. Transmits written statement submitted by the United Kingdom in exercise of the right to reply to remarks made by the Foreign Minister of Mauritius on 28 Sept. 2004 in the General Assembly; concerns claim of Mauritius to sovereignty over the British Indian Ocean Territory.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–OFFICERS (Agenda item 5)

General documents

- A/INF/59/2** Membership of Main Committees of the General Assembly : 59th session : note / by the Secretary-General.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

- A/C.1/58/PV.24** (10 June 2004).
At the 24th meeting, Luis Alfonso De Alba (Mexico) was elected Chairman; Dziunik Aghajanian (Armenia), Alon Bar (Israel) and Sylvester Ekundayo Rowe (Sierra Leone) were elected Vice-Chairmen and Mohamed Ali Saleh Alnajar (Yemen) was elected Rapporteur of the 1st Committee for the 59th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

- A/C.1/59/PV.24** (13 June 2005).
At the 24th meeting, Young-jin Choi (Republic of Korea) was elected Chairman; Lofti Bouchaara (Morocco) and Detlev Wolter (Germany) were elected Vice-Chairmen and Elvina Jusufaj (Albania) was elected Rapporteur of the 1st Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

- A/C.4/58/SR.25** (10 June 2004).
At the 25th meeting, Kyaw Tint Swe (Myanmar) was elected Chairman, Andrej Droba (Slovakia), Eduardo Calderon (Ecuador) and Helfried Carl (Austria) were elected Vice-Chairmen and Kais Kabtani (Tunisia) was elected Rapporteur of the 4th Committee of the 59th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–OFFICERS (Agenda item 5) (continued)

A/C.4/59/SR.29 (13 June 2005).

At the 29th meeting, Yashar Aliyev (Azerbaijan) was elected Chairman, Subhas Gujadhur (Mauritius), Amparo Anguiano Rodríguez (Mexico) and Alexander Gerts (Netherlands) were elected Vice-Chairmen, and Muhammad Shahru Nizzam Umar (Brunei Darussalam) was elected Rapporteur of the 4th Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/C.2/58/SR.41 (10 June 2004).

At the 41st meeting, Marco Balarezo (Peru) was elected Chairman, Majdi Ramadan (Lebanon), Ewa Anzorge (Poland) and Antonio Bernardini (Italy) were elected Vice-Chairmen and Azanaw Tadesse Abreha (Ethiopia) was elected Rapporteur of the 3rd Committee for the 59th session by acclamation.

A/C.2/59/SR.43 (13 June 2005).

At the 43rd meeting, Aminu Bashir Wali (Nigeria) was elected Chairman, Juraj Koudeika (Czech Republic), Selwin Hart (Barbados), Stefano Toscano (Switzerland) and were elected Vice-Chairmen, and Abdulmalik Alshahibi (Yemen) was elected Rapporteur of the 2nd Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/C.3/58/SR.63 (10 June 2004).

At the 63rd meeting, Valeri Kuchinski (Ukraine) was elected Chairman, Mavis Esi Kusorgbor (Ghana), Astanah Banu Shri Abdul Aziz (Malaysia) and Rachel Groux (Switzerland) were elected Vice-Chairmen and Carlos Enrique García González (El Salvador) was elected Rapporteur of the 3rd Committee for the 59th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

A/C.3/59/SR.55 (13 June 2005).

At the 55th meeting, F. Butagira (Uganda) was elected Chairman, Al Ali (Syrian Arab Republic), E. Tomic (Slovenia) and C. Carvalho (Portugal) were elected Vice-Chairmen of the 3rd Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

A/C.3/59/SR.56 (11 July 2005).

At the 56th meeting, Pedro Cardoso (Brazil) was elected Rapporteur and Muhammad Anshor (Indonesia) was elected Vice-Chairperson of the 3rd Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/C.5/58/SR.52 (10 June 2004).

At the 52nd meeting, Don MacKay (New Zealand) was elected Chairman, Karen Lock (South Africa), Mhd. Najib Eljy (Syrian Arab Republic) and Karla Gabriela Samayao-Recari (Guatemala) were elected Vice-Chairmen and Denisa Hutanova (Slovakia) was elected Rapporteur of the 5th Committee of the 59th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–OFFICERS (Agenda item 5) (continued)

A/C.5/59/SR.1 (30 Sept. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.58 (13 June 2005).

At the 58th meeting, John William Ashe (Antigua and Barbuda) was elected Chairman, Muhammad Muhith (Bangladesh) and Dariusz Manczyk (Poland) were elected Vice-Chairmen, and Katja Pehrman (Finland) was elected Rapporteur of the 5th Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

A/C.5/59/SR.59 (29 July 2005).

At the 59th meeting, Eric Saizonou (Benin) was elected Vice-Chairman of the 5th Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/C.6/58/SR.24 (10 June 2004).

At the 24th meeting, Mohamed Bennouna (Morocco) was elected Chairman, Ram Babu Dhakal (Nepal), Carlos Fernando Díaz Paniagua (Costa Rica) and Csaba Simon (Hungary) were elected Vice-Chairmen and Anna Sotaniemi (Finland) was elected Rapporteur of the 6th Committee for the 59th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

A/C.6/59/SR.29 (13 June 2005).

At the 29th meeting, Juan Antonio Yáñez-Barnuevo (Spain) was elected Chairman, Mahmoud Samy (Egypt), Mahmoud Hmoud (Jordan) and Grzegorz Zyman (Poland) were elected Vice-Chairmen of the 6th Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in plenary

A/58/PV.90 (10 June 2004).

At the 90th meeting, the following representatives, having been elected Chairpersons of the 6 Main Committees for the 59th session, were named members of the General Committee for the 59th session: Luis Alfonso De Alba (Mexico), Kyaw Tint Swe (Myanmar), Marco Balarezo (Peru), Valeri Kuchinsky (Ukraine), Don MacKay (New Zealand) and Mohamed Bennouna (Morocco): decision 58/419.

A/59/PV.103 (13 June 2005).

At the 103rd meeting, the following representatives, having been elected Chairpersons of the 6 Main Committees for the 60th session, were named members of the General Committee for the 60th session: Choi Young-Jin (Republic of Korea), Yashar Aliyev (Azerbaijan), Aminu Bashir Wali (Nigeria), Francis Butagira (Uganda), John William Ashe (Antigua and Barbuda) and Juan Antonio Yáñez-Barnuevo (Spain): decision 59/422.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–OPENING (Agenda item 1)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.1 (14 Sept. 2004).

The 59th session of the General Assembly was declared open by the President, Jean Ping, Chairman of the delegation of Gabon.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–PARTICIPANTS

General documents

- A/C.1/59/3 Membership of the 1st Committee.
A/C.1/59/3/Add.1 Membership of the 1st Committee.
A/C.2/59/INF/1 Membership of the 2nd Committee.
A/C.3/59/INF/1 Membership of the 3rd Committee.
A/C.4/59/INF/2 Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).
A/C.4/59/INF/2/Add.1 Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : addendum.
A/C.4/59/INF/2/Add.2 Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : addendum.
A/C.5/59/INF/1 Membership of the 5th Committee.
A/C.5/59/INF/1/Add.1 Membership of the 5th Committee.
A/C.6/59/2 Membership of the 6th Committee.
A/INF/59/4 List of non-Member States, entities and organizations having received a standing invitation to participate as observers in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.
A/INF/59/4/Add.1 List of non-Member States, entities and organizations having received a standing invitation to participate as observers in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–PRAYER OR MEDITATION (Agenda item 2)

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.1 (14 Sept. 2004).
At the 1st meeting, the members of the General Assembly observed a minute of silent prayer or meditation in accordance with rule 62 of the rules of procedure.
A/59/PV.118 (13 Sept. 2005).
At the 118th meeting, members of the General Assembly observed a minute of silent prayer or meditation.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–RESOLUTIONS AND DECISIONS

General documents

- A/59/49(Vol.I) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 49)
Resolutions and decisions adopted by the General Assembly during its 59th session. Volume 1, Resolutions, 14 September-23 December 2004.
A/59/49(Vol.I)/Corr.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 49)
Resolutions and decisions adopted by the General Assembly during its 59th session. [Volume 1, Resolutions, 14 September-23 December 2004] : corrigendum.
Corrects text.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–RESOLUTIONS AND DECISIONS (continued)

- A/59/49(Vol.II) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 49)
Resolutions and decisions adopted by the General Assembly during its 59th session. Volume 2, Decisions, 14 September-23 December 2004.
A/59/49(Vol.III) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 49)
Resolutions and decisions adopted by the General Assembly during its 59th session. Volume 3, 24 December 2004-13 September 2005.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005)–VICE-PRESIDENTS (Agenda item 6)

Discussion in plenary

- A/58/PV.90 (10 June 2004).
At the 90th meeting, the following States were elected to vice-presidencies of the General Assembly for its 59th session: Algeria, Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belgium, Burkina Faso, China, Djibouti, El Salvador, France, Ghana, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kazakhstan, Nicaragua, Russian Federation, Syrian Arab Republic, United Kingdom, United States, Uzbekistan and Zambia: decision 58/420.
A/59/PV.103 (13 June 2005).
At the 103rd meeting, the following States were elected to vice-presidencies of the General Assembly for its 60th session: Angola, Armenia, Brazil, Central African Republic, China, France, Guinea-Bissau, India, Islamic Republic of Iran, Israel, Kenya, Malaysia, Mali, Myanmar, Pakistan, Paraguay, Russian Federation, Tunisia, United Kingdom, United States and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela: decision 59/423.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). 1ST COMMITTEE–GENERAL DEBATE (Agenda item 9)

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

- A/C.1/59/PV.2 (4 Oct. 2004).
A/C.1/59/PV.3 (5 Oct. 2004).
A/C.1/59/PV.4 (7 Oct. 2004).
A/C.1/59/PV.5 (8 Oct. 2004).
A/C.1/59/PV.6 (11 Oct. 2004).
A/C.1/59/PV.7 (12 Oct. 2004).
A/C.1/59/PV.8 (13 Oct. 2004).
A/C.1/59/PV.9 (14 Oct. 2004).
A/C.1/59/PV.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). 1ST COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 8)

General documents

A/C.1/59/1 Letter, 17 Sept. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 1st Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.1/59/2 Programme of work and timetable General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/3 Membership of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/3/Add.1 Membership of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/INF/1 Documents of the 1st Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/1/Add.1 Documents of the 1st Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/3 Situation reports of the 1st Committee on agenda items 57 to 72 : note / by the Secretariat.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/C.1/59/PV.1 (30 Sept. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.4 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.7 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.17 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.23 (5 Nov. 2004).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). 2ND COMMITTEE–GENERAL DEBATE (Agenda item 9)

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/C.2/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.3 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.4 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.5 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.6 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.7 (6 Oct. 2004).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). 2ND COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 8)

General documents

A/C.2/59/1 Letter, 17 Sept. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 2nd Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.2/59/L.1 Organization of work of the 2nd Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.2/59/L.1/Add.1 Organization of work of the 2nd Committee : note : addendum : status of preparation of documentation / by the Secretariat.

A/C.2/59/L.1/Rev.1 Organization of work of the 2nd Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/C.2/59/SR.1 (16 Sept. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.41 (17 Dec. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.42 (1 Apr. 2005).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). 3RD COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 8)

General documents

A/C.3/59/1 Letter, 17 Sept. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 3rd Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/1/Add.1 Letter, 4 Oct. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 3rd Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/1/Add.2 Letter, 8 Oct. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 3rd Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.3/59/L.1 Organization of the work of the 3rd Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.3/59/L.1/Add.1 Organization of the work of the 3rd Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note : addendum / by the Secretariat.

A/C.3/59/L.1/Rev.1 Revised organization of the work of the 3rd Committee : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/C.3/59/SR.1 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.11 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.54 (24 Nov. 2004).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). 4TH COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 8)

General documents

A/C.4/59/1 Letter, 17 Sept. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 4th Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.4/59/INF/1 Documents of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : General Assembly, 59th session : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.4/59/INF/2 Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/INF/2/Add.1 Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : addendum.

A/C.4/59/INF/2/Add.2 Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : addendum.

A/C.4/59/INF/3 Checklist of reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) to the General Assembly on agenda items 22, 73 to 82, and 20 : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.4/59/INF/3/Rev.1 Checklist of reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) to the General Assembly on agenda items 22, 73 to 82, and 20 : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.4/59/L.1 Organization of work : General Assembly, 59th session, Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : note / by the Chairman.

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/C.4/59/SR.1 (30 Sept. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.5 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.6 (8 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.23 (10 Nov. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.26 (11 Mar. 2005).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). 5TH COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 8)

General documents

A/C.5/59/1 Letter, 17 Sept. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 5th Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/1/Add.1 Letter, 29 Mar. 2005, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits agenda item allocated to the 5th Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.5/59/L.1 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 59th session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.5/59/L.1/Rev.1 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 59th session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). 5TH COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 8) (continued)

A/C.5/59/L.35 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 1st part of the resumed 59th session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.5/59/L.49 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 2nd part of the resumed 59th session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/C.5/59/SR.1 (30 Sept. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.2 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.29 (13 Dec. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.34 (7 Mar. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.46 (2 May 2005).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). 6TH COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 8)

General documents

A/C.6/59/1 Letter, 17 Sept. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 6th Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.6/59/1/Add.1 Letter, 4 Oct. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 6th Committee by the General Assembly : addendum.

A/C.6/59/1/Add.2 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits an additional agenda item allocated to the 6th Committee by the General Assembly : addendum.

A/C.6/59/1/Add.3 Letter, 29 Oct. 2004, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits an additional agenda item allocated to the 6th Committee by the General Assembly : addendum.

A/C.6/59/L.1 Organization of work : General Assembly, 59th session, 6th Committee : note / by the Secretariat.
Lists documentation relating to the items allocated to the 6th Committee.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/C.6/59/SR.1 (4 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.7 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.6/59/SR.28 (18 Feb. 2005).

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE—MEMBERS (Agenda item 3a)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.1 (14 Sept. 2004).

At the 1st meeting, the following Member States were appointed Members of the Credentials Committee: Benin, Bhutan, China, Ghana, Liechtenstein, Russian Federation, Trinidad and Tobago, United States and Uruguay: decision 59/401.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE—REPORTS (Agenda item 3b)

Reports

A/59/602 Credentials of representatives to the 59th session of the General Assembly : report of the Credentials Committee.

Issued: 10 Dec. 2004.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/602 entitled "Credentials of representatives to the 59th session of the General Assembly" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/208.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/208 Credentials of representatives to the 59th session of the General Assembly.

Approves the report of the Credentials Committee (A/59/602). (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (59TH SESS. : 2004-2005). PRESIDENT (Agenda item 4)

Discussion in plenary

A/58/PV.89 (10 June 2004).

At the 89th meeting, Jean Ping (Gabon) was elected President of the General Assembly for the 59th session by acclamation: decision 58/418.

A/59/PV.102 (13 June 2005).

At the 102nd meeting, Jan Eliasson (Sweden) was elected by acclamation President of the General Assembly for the 60th session: decision 59/421.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (60TH SESS. : 2005-2006)—OFFICERS

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/C.1/59/PV.24 (13 June 2005).

At the 24th meeting, Young-jin Choi (Republic of Korea) was elected Chairman; Lofti Bouchaara (Morocco) and Detlev Wolter (Germany) were elected Vice-Chairmen and Elvina Jusufaj (Albania) was elected Rapporteur of the 1st Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (60TH SESS. : 2005-2006)—OFFICERS (continued)

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/C.4/59/SR.29 (13 June 2005).

At the 29th meeting, Yashar Aliyev (Azerbaijan) was elected Chairman, Subhas Gujadhur (Mauritius), Amparo Anguiano Rodríguez (Mexico) and Alexander Gerts (Netherlands) were elected Vice-Chairmen, and Muhammad Shahrul Nizzam Umar (Brunei Darussalam) was elected Rapporteur of the 4th Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/C.2/59/SR.43 (13 June 2005).

At the 43rd meeting, Aminu Bashir Wali (Nigeria) was elected Chairman, Juraj Koudelka (Czech Republic), Selwin Hart (Barbados), Stefano Toscano (Switzerland) and were elected Vice-Chairmen, and Abdulmalik Alshahibi (Yemen) was elected Rapporteur of the 2nd Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/C.3/59/SR.55 (13 June 2005).

At the 55th meeting, F. Butagira (Uganda) was elected Chairman, Al Ali (Syrian Arab Republic), E. Tomic (Slovenia) and C. Carvalho (Portugal) were elected Vice-Chairmen of the 3rd Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

A/C.3/59/SR.56 (11 July 2005).

At the 56th meeting, Pedro Cardoso (Brazil) was elected Rapporteur and Muhammad Anshor (Indonesia) was elected Vice-Chairperson of the 3rd Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/C.5/59/SR.58 (13 June 2005).

At the 58th meeting, John William Ashe (Antigua and Barbuda) was elected Chairman, Muhammad Muhith (Bangladesh) and Dariusz Manczyk (Poland) were elected Vice-Chairmen, and Katja Pehrman (Finland) was elected Rapporteur of the 5th Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

A/C.5/59/SR.59 (29 July 2005).

At the 59th meeting, Eric Saizonou (Benin) was elected Vice-Chairman of the 5th Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/C.6/59/SR.29 (13 June 2005).

At the 29th meeting, Juan Antonio Yáñez-Barnuevo (Spain) was elected Chairman, Mahmoud Samy (Egypt), Mahmoud Hmoud (Jordan) and Grzegorz Zyman (Poland) were elected Vice-Chairmen of the 6th Committee for the 60th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (60TH SESS. : 2005-2006)–OFFICERS (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.103 (13 June 2005).

At the 103rd meeting, the following representatives, having been elected Chairpersons of the 6 Main Committees for the 60th session, were named members of the General Committee for the 60th session: Choi Young-Jin (Republic of Korea), Yashar Aliyev (Azerbaijan), Aminu Bashir Wali (Nigeria), Francis Butagira (Uganda), John William Ashe (Antigua and Barbuda) and Juan Antonia Yanez-Barnuevo (Spain): decision 59/422.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (60TH SESS. : 2005-2006)–VICE-PRESIDENTS

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.103 (13 June 2005).

At the 103rd meeting, the following States were elected to vice-presidencies of the General Assembly for its 60th session: Angola, Armenia, Brazil, Central African Republic, China, France, Guinea-Bissau, India, Islamic Republic of Iran, Israel, Kenya, Malaysia, Mali, Myanmar, Pakistan, Paraguay, Russian Federation, Tunisia, United Kingdom, United States and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela: decision 59/423.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (60TH SESS. : 2005-2006). PRESIDENT

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.102 (13 June 2005).

At the 102nd meeting, Jan Eliasson (Sweden) was elected by acclamation President of the General Assembly for the 60th session: decision 59/421.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY. 1ST COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 65k)

Reports

A/59/132 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 6 July 2004.

A/59/132/Add.1 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 19 July 2004.

A/59/132/Add.2 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2004.

A/59/132/Add.2/Corr.1 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : corrigendum.

Issued: 1 Oct. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/132/Add.3 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 6 July 2004.

UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY. 1ST COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 65k) (continued)

A/59/132/Add.4 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 29 Sept. 2004.

A/59/132/Add.5 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 5 Oct. 2004.

A/59/132/Add.6 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 16 Nov. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.8 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.1 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : draft resolution / United States of America.

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsor (A/59/459).

A/C.1/59/L.13 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : draft resolution / Malaysia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Countries].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsor (A/59/459).

A/C.1/59/L.60 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee : draft resolution / Indonesia.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bhutan, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Cambodia, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Egypt, El Salvador, Eritrea, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lesotho, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malaysia, Malta, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mongolia, Morocco, Myanmar, Nepal, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Uganda, United Kingdom, United Republic of Tanzania, United States, Uruguay, Viet Nam and Yemen (A/59/459).

**UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY. 1ST COMMITTEE–
WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 65k)
(continued)**

**Discussion in the International Security
Committee (1st Committee)**

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.22 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.23 (5 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XXX in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.60) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/95.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/95 Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee.

Invites Member States to consider the biennialization or triennialization of the agenda items discussed in the 1st Committee; also invites Member States to continue to hold debates based on programme and format elaborated through informal consultations between the Bureau and Member States in advance of each session; further invites Member States to submit draft resolutions in a more concise, focused and action-oriented manner; recommends the sponsors of draft resolutions hold informal consultation with participation of all interested Member States for furthering discussions on draft resolutions; requests the 1st Committee in the light of growing interconnectedness of issues before the General Assembly to explore forms of mutual cooperation with other Main Committees. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

**UN. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS–
REPORTS (Agenda item 105e)**

Reports

A/59/36 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 36) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights. Issued: 2004.

**Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and
Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)**

A/59/503 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/59/503/Add.5 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.24 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.25 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.30 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.31 (29 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.32 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.33 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

**UN. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS–
REPORTS (Agenda item 105e) (continued)**

A/C.3/59/SR.54 (24 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 3rd Committee (A/59/503/Add.5): decision 59/530.

**UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE–ACTIVITIES
(Agenda item 105a)**

Reports

A/59/40(Vol.I) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 40) Report of the Human Rights Committee. Volume 1, 79th session (20 October–7 November 2003); 80th session (15 March–2 April 2004); 81st session (5–30 July 2004). Issued: 2004.

A/59/40(Vol.II) (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 40) Report of the Human Rights Committee. Volume 2, 79th session (20 October–7 November 2003); 80th session (15 March–2 April 2004); 81st session (5–30 July 2004). Issued: 2004.

**UN. INVESTMENTS COMMITTEE–MEMBERS
(Agenda item 17c)**

General documents

A/59/103 Confirmation of the appointment of members of the Investments Committee : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/7 Confirmation of the appointment of members of the Investments Committee : note / by the Secretary-General.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/584 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.21 (5 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.69 (8 Dec. 2004).

At the 69th meeting, the Assembly confirmed the appointment by the Secretary-General of the following persons as members of the Investments Committee for a 3-year term of office beginning on 1 Jan. 2005: William McDonough (United States), Hélène Ploix (France) and Jürgen Reimnitz (Germany); Khaya Ngqula (South Africa) was confirmed for a term of office beginning in Dec. 2004 and expiring on 31 Dec. 2006 : decision 59/409.

**UN. OFFICE FOR PROJECT SERVICES–
ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106k)**

Reports

A/59/5/Add.10 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5J) United Nations Office for Project Services : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2004.

**UN. OFFICE FOR PROJECT SERVICES–
ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106k) (continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

**UN. OFFICE OF INTERNAL OVERSIGHT
SERVICES–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 118)**

Reports

A/59/133 Report on the integration of global management of conference services : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 7 July 2004. - Transmits, in pursuance to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B, 54/244, 57/292 and 58/250, the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

A/59/133/Corr.1 Report on the integration of global management of conference services : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Aug. 2004. - Corrects text.

**UN. OFFICE OF INTERNAL OVERSIGHT
SERVICES–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 118)
(continued)**

A/59/152 Follow-up audit of the policies and procedures of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations for recruiting international civilian staff for field missions : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 July 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 57/322 of 11 July 2003.

A/59/229 Inspection of programme management and administrative practices of the International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2004. - Transmits report conveyed by the Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services on the inspection of programme management and administrative practices of the International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO.

A/59/253 Impact of the human resources management reform : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 24 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the impact of human resources management reform.

A/59/347 Audit of safeguarding air safety standards while procuring air services for the United Nations peacekeeping missions : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of safeguarding air safety standards while procuring air services for the UN peacekeeping missions.

A/59/359 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Oct. 2004. - Transmits the 10th annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, covering activities for the period 1 July 2003-30 June 2004.

A/59/373 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the review of the operations and management of United Nations libraries : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the review of the operations and management of UN libraries.

A/59/388 Report on the availability in local labour markets of the skills for which international recruitment for the General Service category takes place : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Sept. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the study of the availability in local labour markets of the skills for which international recruitment for the General Service category takes place.

**UN. OFFICE OF INTERNAL OVERSIGHT
SERVICES–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 118)
(continued)**

A/59/396 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the utilization and management of funds appropriated during the 2002-2003 biennium for strengthening the security and safety of United Nations premises : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 58/295 of 18 June 2004.

A/59/408 Management review of the appeals process at the United Nations : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 57/307 of 15 Apr. 2003.

A/59/420 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the United Nations capital master plan for the period from August 2003 through July 2004 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 6 Oct. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the UN capital master plan, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B of 29 July 1994, 54/244 of 23 Dec. 1999 and 57/292 of 20 Dec. 2002.

A/59/546 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the 1st year of experience of regional investigators in 2 hubs, Vienna and Nairobi : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 Nov. 2004. - Transmits report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the 1st year experience of regional investigators at Vienna and Nairobi, in response to General Assembly resolution 57/318 of 18 June 2003.

A/59/661 Investigation into allegations of sexual exploitation and abuse in the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo / by the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

Issued: 5 Jan. 2005.

A/59/698 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of mission subsistence allowance policies and procedures.

Issued: 10 Feb. 2005.

A/59/702 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the global audit of field security management.

Issued: 15 Feb. 2005.

A/59/706 Administration of justice in the Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 18 Feb. 2005.

A/59/764 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the review of the operational capacity of the United Nations Military Observers.

Issued: 1 Apr. 2005.

**UN. OFFICE OF INTERNAL OVERSIGHT
SERVICES–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 118)
(continued)**

General documents

A/59/698/Add.1 Note [transmitting comments on the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of mission subsistence allowance policies and procedures (A/59/698)] / by the Secretary-General.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.17 Reports of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.18 Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/648 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.18 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.19 (3 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.20 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.22 (9 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.23 (11 Nov. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.33 (22 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/648 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.5/59/L.17), adopted without vote: resolution 59/270; draft resolution II (originally A/C.5/59/L.18), adopted without vote: resolution 59/271.

A/59/PV.76/Corr.1 (23 Dec. 2004).

Corrects text.

**UN. OFFICE OF INTERNAL OVERSIGHT
SERVICES–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 118)
(continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/270 Reports of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

Requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Refugees develops and utilizes comprehensive policy guidelines for the selection and management of consultants to ensure transparency and objectivity in their engagement; endorses the relevant recommendations of the Office of Internal Oversight Services regarding improvement of internal controls in management, accounting and reporting of assets of all UN field missions to establish reliable records; requests the Secretary-General to codify appropriate procedures for the purchase and utilization of vehicles and other equipment by UN field missions to ensure compliance by all missions with the procedures; requests the Secretary-General to ensure the development of appropriate Organization-wide rules, policies and procedures for managing laissez-passer. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/271 Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

Notes the information provided by the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the economies and savings generated by its recommendations, and requests the Office to explain its guidelines for measuring the impact of such economies and savings; requests the Secretary-General to ensure strict conformity with the highest standards of quality when recruiting staff to fill language posts, in accordance with legislative mandates; notes with concern the findings of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on investigations as well as the fact that some of them reflect serious managerial problems and lack of control; stresses, in this regard, the crucial importance of establishing an effective and efficient system of accountability throughout the Secretariat in order to prevent such problems and to make programme managers accountable; concurs with the observation of the Office of Internal Oversight Services and requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the Office continues to provide internal oversight of the entire claims process of the UN Compensation Commission. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UN. SECRETARIAT –WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

See: UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT
WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

**UN. SECRETARY-GENERAL –REPORTS (2003-
2004) (Agenda item 10)**

Reports

A/59/1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 1) Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization.
Issued: 2004.

**UN. SECRETARY-GENERAL –REPORTS (2003-
2004) (Agenda item 10) (continued)**

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

A/59/896 Letter, 8 Aug. 2005, from India. Letter of transmittal only.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.3 (21 Sept. 2004).

A/59/PV.21 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.22 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.23 (8 Oct. 2004).

At the 23rd meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization (A/59/1): decision 59/504.

**UN. SECURITY COUNCIL–MEMBERS (Agenda
item 15a)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.32 (15 Oct. 2004).

At the 32nd plenary meeting, the following States were elected members of the Security Council for a 2-year term beginning 1 Jan. 2005: Argentina, Denmark, Greece, Japan and the United Republic of Tanzania: decision 59/402.

**UN. SECURITY COUNCIL–MEMBERSHIP (Agenda
item 53)**

Reports

A/59/47 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 47) Report of the Open-ended Working Group on the Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters related to the Security Council.
Issued: 2005.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

UN. SECURITY COUNCIL–MEMBERSHIP (Agenda item 53) (continued)

A/59/709 (S/2005/102) Letter, 22 Feb. 2005, from the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya. Transmits proposals by Muammar Qaddafi concerning the reform of the UN; proposes that the General Assembly be a legislative body of the UN, the Security Council an executive body, and the International Court of Justice to be the judicial authority.

A/59/723 Identical letters, 28 Feb. 2005, from Croatia addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the General Assembly. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Eastern European States, a letter from the States members of the Group eligible for non-permanent membership of the Security Council, in response to the recommendations of the High-level Panel on Threats, Challenge and Change concerning the enlargement of the Security Council; states that allocation of at least 1 additional non-permanent seat in the Council would enhance their representation.

A/59/732 (S/2005/150) Letter, 7 March 2005, from the Democratic People's Republic of Korea. Concerns the question of Japan's permanent membership of the Security Council.

A/59/830 Letter, 3 June 2005, from Brazil and Japan. Transmits joint statement concerning cooperation between Japan and Brazil on the UN reform, issued by the Prime Minister of Japan and the President of Brazil, in Tokyo on 26 May 2005.

A/59/856 Note verbale, 24 June 2005, from Costa Rica. Transmits document entitled "Security Council enlargement and the cascade effect: enlargement of the permanent member category and its effects on the United Nations System", prepared by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship of Costa Rica.

A/59/876 Note verbale, 15 July 2005, from the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya. Transmits proposal by Colonel Muammar Qaddafi concerning the problem of the Security Council and the reform of the UN with reference to Africa and the world.

A/59/881 Note verbale, 20 July 2005, from Costa Rica. Transmits document entitled "Elections by fatigue: some considerations on the proposed election procedure for new permanent members of the Security Council", prepared by the Government of Costa Rica as a contribution to the efforts to reform and revitalize the Security Council and the UN.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

UN. SECURITY COUNCIL–MEMBERSHIP (Agenda item 53) (continued)

A/59/885 (S/2005/496) Identical letters, 28 July 2005, from Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the General Assembly. Refers to the Security Council's closed meeting on 27 July 2005 on the agenda item "The situation in Georgia"; questions the Presidency for declining Azerbaijan's request to participate in the meeting without the right to vote.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.64 Security Council reform : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Belgium, Bhutan, Brazil, Czech Republic, Denmark, Fiji, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Haiti, Honduras, Iceland, India, Japan, Kiribati, Latvia, Maldives, Nauru, Palau, Paraguay, Poland, Portugal, Solomon Islands, Tuvalu and Ukraine.

A/59/L.67 Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Chad, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

A/59/L.68 Reform of the Security Council : draft resolution / Argentina, Canada, Colombia, Costa Rica, Italy, Malta, Mexico, Pakistan, Republic of Korea, San Marino, Spain and Turkey.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.24 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.25 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.26 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.27 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.28 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.29 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.111 (11 July 2005).

A/59/PV.112 (12 July 2005).

A/59/PV.114 (18 July 2005).

A/59/PV.115 (26 July 2005).

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, draft decision in A/59/47 entitled "Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters" was adopted without vote: decision 59/566.

UN. SECURITY COUNCIL–REPORTS (2003-2004)
(Agenda item 11)

Reports

A/59/2 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 2) Report of the Security Council, 1 August 2003-31 July 2004.
Issued: 2004.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.24 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.25 (11 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.26 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.27 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.28 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.29 (13 Oct. 2004).

At the 29th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the Security Council (A/59/2): decision 59/506.

UN. SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND ON THE STRENGTHENING OF THE ROLE OF THE ORGANIZATION

See: UN-CHARTER

UN. SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE ISRAELI PRACTICES AFFECTING THE HUMAN RIGHTS OF THE POPULATION OF THE OCCUPIED TERRITORIES

See: TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS

UN. STANDING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

See: CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES–REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

UN. SUBREGIONAL CENTRE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AND DEMOCRACY IN CENTRAL AFRICA

See: HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT

UN. UNDER-SECRETARY-GENERAL FOR INTERNAL OVERSIGHT SERVICES (Agenda item 17i)

General documents

A/59/109 Appointment of the Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/59/109/Add.1 Appointment of the Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.95 (5 May 2005).

At the 95th meeting, the Assembly approved the appointment of Inga-Britt Ahlenius (Sweden) as Under-Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services for one fixed term of 5 years commencing on 15 July 2005 and ending on 14 July 2010: decision 59/418.

UN ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

General documents

A/INF/59/5 United Nations Administrative Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits annual note by the UN Administrative Tribunal for 2004.

UN ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL –MEMBERS
(Agenda item 17d)

General documents

A/59/104 Appointment of members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/8 Appointment of members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/585 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.21 (5 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.69 (8 Dec. 2004).

At the 69th meeting, the following persons were appointed as members of the UN Administrative Tribunal for a 4-year term of office beginning on 1 Jan. 2005: Goh Joon Seng (Singapore), Spyridon Flogaitis (Greece) and Brigitte Stern (France): decision 59/410.

UN AFRICAN INSTITUTE FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRIME AND THE TREATMENT OF OFFENDERS

See: CRIME PREVENTION

UN ANGOLA VERIFICATION MISSION–FINANCING

See: UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS IN ANGOLA–FINANCING

UN COMMISSION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW–ACTIVITIES

See: INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW

UN CONFERENCE ON ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOPMENT (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)

See: ENVIRONMENT–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)–FOLLOW-UP

UN CONFERENCE ON HUMAN SETTLEMENTS (HABITAT II)

See: HUMAN SETTLEMENTS–CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP

UN CONFERENCE ON THE EXPLORATION AND PEACEFUL USES OF OUTER SPACE (3RD : 1999 : VIENNA)

See: OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

UN CONFERENCE ON THE LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES (3RD : 2001 : BRUSSELS)

See: LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES–PROGRAMME OF ACTION

UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 45)

Reports

A/59/224 Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Aug. 2004.

A/59/545 Modalities, format and organization of the high-level plenary meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 1 Nov. 2004.

A/59/613 Modalities, format and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.53 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 16 Dec. 2004.

A/59/2005 In larger freedom : towards development, security and human rights for all : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 Mar. 2005.

A/59/2005/Add.1 In larger freedom : towards development, security and human rights for all : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : Human Rights Council : explanatory note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 May 2005.

A/59/2005/Add.2 In larger freedom : towards development, security and human rights for all : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : Peacebuilding Commission : explanatory note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 May 2005.

A/59/2005/Add.3 In larger freedom : towards development, security and human rights for all : report of the Secretary-General : addendum : letter dated 26 May 2005 from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly.

Issued: 26 May 2005.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 45) (continued)

A/59/398 Identical letters, 20 Sept. 2004, from Brazil, Chile, France and Spain addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the General Assembly. Transmits report entitled "Action against hunger and poverty" prepared by the Technical Group on Innovative Financing Mechanisms deriving from the 2004 Geneva Declaration which was subscribed by the Presidents of Brazil, Chile, France and Spain, with the support of the Secretary-General of the UN.

A/59/410 Letter, 4 Oct. 2004, from China. Transmits the Yangtze Declaration, adopted at the International Forum on Population and Development, held in Wuhan, China, 7-9 Sept. 2004.

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/440 Letter, 18 Oct. 2004, from Azerbaijan. Replies to statement made by Armenia on 14 Oct. 2004 at the plenary meeting of the General Assembly and concerns alleged ethnic cleansing in Nagorny Karabakh since 1987 and the current Armenian settlement policy in Nagorny Karabakh.

A/59/450 Letter, 15 Oct. 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the 28th meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held at UN Headquarters, New York, 30 Sept. 2004.

A/59/719 (E/2005/12) Letter, 23 Feb. 2005, from Brazil, Chile, France, Germany and Spain. Transmit joint statement and a working document adopted by Brazil, Chile, France, Germany and Spain, members of the Technical Group on Innovative Financial Mechanisms, established pursuant to the Geneva Declaration on Action against Hunger and Poverty, Brasilia, on 11 Feb. 2005; focuses on proposals on how to finance the Millennium Development Goals and measures to facilitate remittances.

A/59/767 Letter, 28 Mar. 2005, from Jamaica. Transmits Final Communiqué adopted by the 38th Meeting of the Chairmen/Coordinators of the Group of 77 Chapters, held in Geneva, 1-2 Mar. 2005.

A/59/818 Letter, 6 June 2005, from Brazil. Transmits the Brasilia Declaration, adopted at the South American and Arab Countries Summit held in Brasilia, 10-11 May 2005; establishes a partnership to pursue development, justice and international peace.

A/59/825 Letter, 1 June 2005, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Transmits letter of Seyed Mohammad Khatami, President of the Islamic Republic of Iran, enclosing the Tehran communiqué, adopted by the International Conference on Environment, Peace and the Dialogue among Civilizations and Culture, held in Tehran, 9-10 May 2005.

UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 45) (continued)

A/59/830 Letter, 3 June 2005, from Brazil and Japan.
Transmits joint statement concerning cooperation between Japan and Brazil on the UN reform, issued by the Prime Minister of Japan and the President of Brazil, in Tokyo on 26 May 2005.

A/59/842 Letter, 8 June 2005, from China. Transmits position paper of China on the UN reform; states that reforms should enhance the UN authority and efficiency and should accommodate the propositions and concerns of all UN members; presents proposals on development issues, security issues and on the rule of law, human rights and democracy.

A/59/844 Letter, 13 June 2005, from the United Kingdom. Reports that the United Kingdom hosted a meeting of experts on 16 May 2005 with representatives of international and regional organizations from 22 countries to discuss the principle of an arms trade treaty; attaches the Chairman's conclusion of the meeting, reflecting the overall direction and content of discussion but not representing a binding commitment for the participants.

A/59/847 (E/2005/73) Summary of the open-ended informal consultations held by the Commission on Human Rights pursuant to Economic and Social Council decision 2005/217 prepared by the Chairperson of the 61st session of the Commission : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits letter from the Chairperson of the 61st session of the Commission on Human Rights attaching summary of the informal consultations.

A/59/852 High-level Meeting of the General Assembly on HIV/AIDS : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

Transmits summaries of the discussions of the 5 round tables of the High-level Meeting of the General Assembly to review the progress achieved in realizing the commitments set out the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS.

A/59/878 Letter, 19 July 2005, from the Russian Federation. Transmits position paper of the Russian Federation on reform of the institutions and mechanisms of the UN in the area of human rights; calls for caution to be exercised on reform issues as some of the proposals require thorough and complex research into all the consequences.

A/59/880 Note verbale. 13 July 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, declaration adopted by the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Non-Aligned Movement at their special meeting held in Doha, Qatar, on 13 June 2005.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 45) (continued)

A/59/885 (S/2005/496) Identical letters, 28 July 2005, from Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the General Assembly. Refers to the Security Council's closed meeting on 27 July 2005 on the agenda item "The situation in Georgia"; questions the Presidency for declining Azerbaijan's request to participate in the meeting without the right to vote.

A/59/900 Letter, 5 Aug. 2005, from Lebanon. Transmits, in the capacity of Chairman of the Arab Group, resolution no. 314 and the Declaration issued by the Joint Ministerial Conference of Arab Ministers of Social Affairs and Planning on the Millennium Development Goals which met on 30 June 2005 in Cairo.

A/C.5/59/25 Modalities, format and organization of the High-level plenary meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/59/L.53 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.53 Modalities, format and organization of the High-level plenary meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

A/59/L.60 Preparation for and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

A/59/L.70 Draft outcome document of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly of September 2005 : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/615 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.32 (17 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.30 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.31 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/59/PV.58 (22 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.59 (22 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.60 (23 Nov. 2004).

A/59/PV.73 (17 Dec. 2004).

At the 73rd meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.53, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/145.

A/59/PV.83 (21 Mar. 2005).

A/59/PV.85 (6 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.86 (6 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.86/Corr.1 (6 Apr. 2005).
Corrects text.

UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 45) (continued)

A/59/PV.87 (7 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.88 (7 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.89 (8 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.90 (8 Apr. 2005).

A/59/PV.92 (15 Apr. 2005).

At the 92nd meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.60 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/291.

A/59/PV.105 (23 June 2005).

A/59/PV.118 (13 Sept. 2005).

At the 118th meeting, draft resolution A/59/L.70 was adopted without vote: resolution 59/314.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/145 Modalities, format and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly.

Decides that the High-level Plenary Meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly shall be held 14-16 Sept. 2005 in New York; decides also to hold the High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development on 27 and 28 June 2005 in New York; strongly urges all Member States to take a positive interest in the process of formal and informal consultations leading to the High-level Plenary Meeting and to engage actively, at the highest level of government, with a view to reaching a successful outcome of the High-level Plenary Meeting. (Adopted without vote, 73rd plenary meeting, 17 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/291 Preparation for and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly.

Decides that the Holy See, in its capacity as observer State, and Palestine, in its capacity as observer, shall participate in the High-level Plenary Meeting; decides also that the plenary meetings shall be organized in accordance with the modalities set forth in annex I to the present resolution and that the list of speakers for the plenary meetings shall be established in accordance with the procedure set forth in that annex; decides further that the round-table sessions shall be organized in accordance with the modalities set forth in annex II to the present resolution; decides that the separate meeting on Financing for Development to be held within the framework of the High-level Plenary Meeting shall be held on 14 Sept. 2005, immediately following the adjournment of the opening plenary meeting; decides also that the President of the General Assembly shall preside over the informal interactive hearings to be held on 23 and 24 June 2005 with representatives of non-governmental organizations, civil society organizations and the private sector, and that the hearings shall be organized in accordance with the modalities set forth in annex III to the present resolution, and requests the President of the Assembly to prepare a summary of the hearings to be issued as an Assembly document prior to the High-level Plenary Meeting in Sept. 2005. (Adopted without vote, 92nd plenary meeting, 15 Apr. 2005)

UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 45) (continued)

A/RES/59/314 Draft outcome document of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly of September 2005.

Decides to refer the annexed draft outcome document of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly, to be held 14-16 Sept. 2005, for its consideration. (Adopted without vote, 118th plenary meeting, 13 Sept. 2005)

UN CONGRESS ON CRIME PREVENTION AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE (11TH : 2005 : BANGKOK)

See: CRIME PREVENTION

UN CONVENTION AGAINST CORRUPTION (2003)

See: CORRUPT PRACTICES
CRIME PREVENTION

UN CONVENTION TO COMBAT DESERTIFICATION IN THOSE COUNTRIES EXPERIENCING SERIOUS DROUGHT AND/OR DESERTIFICATION, PARTICULARLY IN AFRICA (1994)

See: DESERTIFICATION–TREATIES (1996)

UN DECADE FOR THE ERADICATION OF POVERTY (1997-2006)

See: POVERTY–INTERNATIONAL DECADES (1997-2006)

UN DECADE OF EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (2005-2014)

See: DEVELOPMENT EDUCATION–INTERNATIONAL DECADES

UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE–FINANCING (Agenda item 135a)

See also: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

Reports

A/59/625 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Dec. 2004.

A/59/653 Budget for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/653/Corr.1 Budget for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 22 Apr. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/653/Corr.2 Budget for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 27 Apr. 2005. - Corrects text.

**UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE–
FINANCING (Agenda item 135a) (continued)**

A/59/736/Add.4 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Apr. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.65 Financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/837 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting the draft resolution in **A/59/837** (originally **A/C.5/59/L.65**) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/306.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/306 Financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Disengagement Observer Force the amount of US\$43,706,100 for the period 1 July 2005-30 June 2006, inclusive of \$41,521,400 for the maintenance of the Force, \$1,786,400 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$398,300 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

**UN FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE
CHANGE (1992)**

See: CLIMATE

**UN HABITAT AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS
FOUNDATION–ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106i)**

Reports

A/59/5/Add.8 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5H) United Nations Human Settlements Programme : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors.
Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**UN HABITAT AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS
FOUNDATION–ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106i)
(continued)**

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in **A/59/588** (originally **A/C.5/59/L.11**) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

**UN HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES
(Agenda item 16b)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.98 (27 May 2005).

At the 98th meeting, the General Assembly decided to elect Antônio Manuel de Oliveira Guterres (Portugal) as UN High Commissioner for Refugees for 5 years beginning 15 June 2005 and ending 14 June 2010: decision 2005/420.

UN INSTITUTE FOR DISARMAMENT RESEARCH (Agenda item 67b)

See also: UN. ADVISORY BOARD ON DISARMAMENT
MATTERS

Reports

A/59/168 United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 22 July 2004. - Transmits report of the Director of the UN Institute for Disarmament Research on the activities of the Institute for the period from Aug. 2003 to July 2004 and the proposed programme of work and estimated budget for 2004-2005.

General documents

A/C.5/59/3 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/3/Add.1 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/3/Corr.1 Request for a subvention to the United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research resulting from the recommendations of the Board of Trustees of the Institute on the work programme of the Institute for 2005 : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.
Corrects text.

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/461 Report of the 1st Committee.

UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN KOSOVO—FINANCING (Agenda item 133)

Reports

A/59/623 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo for the period 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Dec. 2004.

A/59/623/Corr.1 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo for the period 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 17 Feb. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/633 Budget for the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/728 Financial arrangements for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Mar. 2005.

UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN KOSOVO—FINANCING (Agenda item 133) (continued)

A/59/736/Add.1 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 14 Mar. 2005.

General documents

A/59/692 Financing arrangements for the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.37 Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.63 Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/772 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/772/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.37 (16 Mar. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.43 (6 Apr. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, the draft resolution in **A/59/772** (originally **A/C.5/59/L.37**) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/286 A.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in **A/59/772/Add.1** (originally **A/C.5/59/L.63**) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/286 B.

UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN KOSOVO–FINANCING (Agenda item 133) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/286A Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo the additional amount of US\$30 millions for the maintenance of the Mission for the period 1 July 2004–30 June 2005, taking into account the total amount of \$278,413,700 already appropriated for the Mission for the same period under the provisions of General Assembly resolution 58/305; decides also to apportion among Member States the amount of \$30 millions to be applied against a portion thereof, that is, \$15 millions, which is the amount pertaining to the period ended 31 Dec. 2004, and to be applied also against the balance, that is, \$15 millions for the period 1 Jan.–30 June 2005; decides further that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 Dec. 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph 12 above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the additional amount of \$3,850,800, approved for the Mission for the period 1 July 2004–30 June 2005. (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13 Apr. 2005)

A/RES/59/286B Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo the amount of US\$252,551,800 for the period 1 July 2005–30 June 2006, inclusive of \$239,889,800 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$10,353,700 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$2,308,300 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON–FINANCING (Agenda item 135b)

See also: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION

Reports

A/59/626 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Dec. 2004.

A/59/654 Budget for the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/736/Add.3 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 11 Apr. 2005.

UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON–FINANCING (Agenda item 135b) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.52 Financing of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon : draft resolution / submitted by Jamaica [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/838 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.53 (20 May 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/838 (originally A/C.5/59/L.52), as a whole, was adopted (126-2-1): resolution 59/307.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/307 Financing of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Interim Force in Lebanon the amount of US\$99,228,300 for the period 1 July 2005–30 June 2006, inclusive of \$94,252,900 for the maintenance of the Force, \$4,068,400 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$907,000 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted 126-2-1, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN INTERNATIONAL DRUG CONTROL PROGRAMME. FUND–ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106j)

Reports

A/59/5/Add.9 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5I) Fund of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors.
Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

**UN INTERNATIONAL DRUG CONTROL
PROGRAMME. FUND-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item
106j) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588
(originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote;
resolution 59/264 A.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial
statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial
statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board
of Auditors; approves the recommendations and
conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of
Auditors and endorses the observations and
recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory
Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;
requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads
of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an
expected time frame for the implementation of the
recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the
office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request
to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the
funds and programmes of UN to examine governance
principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly
at its 61st session, through the respective governing
bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the
Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds
and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the
internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th
plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

**UN INTERNATIONAL MEETING TO REVIEW THE
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME OF
ACTION FOR THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
OF SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES (2005 :
PORT LOUIS)**

See: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-DEVELOPING
ISLAND COUNTRIES-CONFERENCES (1994 :
BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP

**UN IRAQ-KUWAIT OBSERVATION MISSION-
FINANCING (Agenda item 132a)**

See also: IRAQ-KUWAIT SITUATION

Reports

A/59/614 Financing of the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait
Observation Mission : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 15 Dec. 2004.

A/59/736/Add.14 Financing of the United Nations Iraq-
Kuwait Observation Mission : report of the Advisory
Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 20 Apr. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.62 Financing of the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait
Observation Mission : draft decision / submitted by the
Chairman following informal consultations.

**UN IRAQ-KUWAIT OBSERVATION MISSION-
FINANCING (Agenda item 132a) (continued)**

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/835 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.56 (1 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft decision in A/59/835
(originally A/C.5/59/L.62) was adopted without vote:
decision 59/565.

UN LOGISTICS BASE (BRINDISI, ITALY)-AUDIT

See: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-FINANCING

UN LOGISTICS BASE AT BRINDISI

See: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-FINANCING

**UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN
WESTERN SAHARA-FINANCING (Agenda item
137)**

See also: WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION

Reports

A/59/619 Performance report on the budget of the United
Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara
for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report
of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 17 Dec. 2004.

A/59/629 Budget for the United Nations Mission for the
Referendum in Western Sahara for the period from 1
July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-
General.
Issued: 20 Dec. 2004.

A/59/736/Add.5 Financial performance report for the
period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed
budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006
of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in
Western Sahara : report of the Advisory Committee on
Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Apr. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.66 Financing of the United Nations Mission for
the Referendum in Western Sahara : draft resolution /
submitted by the Chairman following informal
consultations.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/839 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

**UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN
WESTERN SAHARA–FINANCING (Agenda item
137) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/839 (originally A/C.5/59/L.66) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/308.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/308 Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara the amount of US\$47,948,400 for the period 1 July 2005-30 June 2006, inclusive of \$45,540,400 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$1,969,000 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$439,000 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

**UN MISSION IN BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA–
FINANCING (Agenda item 125)**

Reports

A/59/736/Add.8 Final financial performance report on the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.

A/59/751 Final performance report of the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 22 Mar. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.51 Financing of the United Nations in Bosnia and Herzegovina : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/832 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.56 (1 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/832 (originally A/C.5/59/L.51) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/302.

**UN MISSION IN BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA–
FINANCING (Agenda item 125) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/302 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Takes note of the proposal of the Secretary-General contained in para. 13 of his report (A/59/751); takes note of the status of outstanding contributions to the UN Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina as at 15 Apr. 2005 in the amount of US\$27.9 million and notes with concern that only 115 Member States have paid their assessed contributions in full; decides to postpone the return of the net cash balance of \$7,182,000 available as at 30 June 2004 in the Special Account for the UN Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina; also decides that updated information on the financial position of the Mission shall be included in the report to be considered by the General Assembly at its 60th session on the updated position of closed peacekeeping missions under the agenda item entitled "Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the UN peacekeeping operations"; further decides that the item entitled "Financing of the UN Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina" shall be deleted from its agenda. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

**UN MISSION IN EAST TIMOR–FINANCING
(Agenda item 128)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.117 (12 Sept. 2005).

At the 117th meeting, the Assembly decided to defer consideration of this item and include it in the draft agenda of its 60th session: decision 59/570.

**UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA–
FINANCING (Agenda item 130)**

Reports

A/59/616 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 16 Dec. 2004.

A/59/636 Budget for the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/636/Corr.1 Budget for the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 26 Apr. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/736/Add.10 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.

**UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA–
FINANCING (Agenda item 130) (continued)**

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.64 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/833 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/833 (originally A/C.5/59/L.64) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/303.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/303 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea the amount of US\$185,993,300 for the period 1 July 2005-30 June 2006, inclusive of \$176,664,400 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$7,628,200 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$1,700,700 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

**UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE–FINANCING
(Agenda item 136)**

Reports

A/59/286 Revised budget for the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Aug. 2004.

A/59/417 Proposed revised budget for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 6 Oct. 2004.

A/59/635 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/635/Corr.1 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 15 Mar. 2005. - Corrects text.

**UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE–FINANCING
(Agenda item 136) (continued)**

A/59/736/Add.9 Proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone and financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 28 Apr. 2005.

A/59/758 Budget for the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 29 Mar. 2005.

A/59/758/Corr.1 Budget for the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 29 Mar. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/759 Proposed donation of assets to the Government of Sierra Leone : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 29 Mar. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.4 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.67 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/527 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/527/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.9 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.13 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.46 (29 Oct. 2004).

At the 46th plenary meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/527 (originally A/C.5/59/L.4) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/14 A.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/527/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.67) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/14 B.

**UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE–FINANCING
(Agenda item 136) (continued)**

Resolutions

A/RES/59/14A Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission in Sierra Leone the amount of US\$94,621,400 for the maintenance of the Mission for the period 1 July 2004-30 June 2005, in addition to the amount of \$207,246,100 already appropriated for the same period under the terms of its resolution 58/308; decides also to apportion among Member States the additional amount of \$94,621,400 at a monthly rate of \$7,885,117, taking into account the scale of assessments for 2004 and 2005; decides further that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the amount of \$2,096,500, at a monthly rate of \$174,708, representing the additional estimated staff assessment income approved for the Mission. (Adopted without vote, 46th plenary meeting, 29 Oct. 2004)

A/RES/59/14B Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone.

Decides to reduce the appropriation authorized for the Mission for the period 1 July 2003-30 June 2004 under the terms of its resolution 57/291 B of 18 June 2003 from US\$543,489,900 to \$509,436,300, the amount apportioned among Member States in respect of the same period; decides also to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission in Sierra Leone the amount of \$113,216,400 for the maintenance of the Mission for the period 1 July-31 Dec. 2005, \$17,932,900 for the liquidation of the Mission for the period 1 Jan.-30 June 2006, \$4,642,100 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$1,035,000 for the UN Logistics Base; approves the donation of the assets of the Mission, with a total inventory value of \$8,406,072 and corresponding residual value of \$3,829,178, to the Government of Sierra Leone. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN MISSION IN THE SUDAN–FINANCING (Agenda item 164)

Reports

A/59/756 Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2004 to 31 October 2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 29 Mar. 2005.

A/59/756/Corr.1 Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2004 to 31 October 2005 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 11 Apr. 2005. - Corrects text.

A/59/756/Corr.2 Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2004 to 31 October 2005 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 11 Apr. 2005. - Corrects text.

UN MISSION IN THE SUDAN–FINANCING (Agenda item 164) (continued)

A/59/768 Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2004 to 31 October 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 5 Apr. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.48 Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/780 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.44 (13 Apr. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.45 (15 Apr. 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.93 (21 Apr. 2005).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/59/780 (originally A/C.5/59/L.48) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/292.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/292 Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan.

Expresses concern about the financial situation with regard to peacekeeping activities, in particular as regards the reimbursements to troop contributors that bear additional burdens owing to overdue payments by Member States of their assessments; requests the Secretary-General to take all action necessary to ensure that the Mission is administered with a maximum of efficiency and economy; also requests the Secretary-General to continue efforts to recruit local staff for the Mission against General Service posts, commensurate with the requirements of the Mission; authorizes the Secretary-General to establish a special account for the UN Mission in the Sudan for the purpose of accounting for the income received and expenditure incurred in respect of the Mission; also authorizes the Secretary-General to enter into commitments for the Mission for the period 1 July 2004-31 Oct. 2005 in a total amount of US\$595,498,500 for the initial establishment of the Mission; decides to apportion among Member States the total amount of \$497,873,300 for the period 1 July 2004-23 Sept. 2005; decides also that, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$1,635,000; decides that, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$913,100; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 60th session the item entitled "Financing of the UN Mission in the Sudan". (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 21 Apr. 2005)

UN MISSION OF SUPPORT IN EAST TIMOR– FINANCING (Agenda item 129)

Reports

A/59/290 Budget for the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 Aug. 2004.

A/59/384 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2002 to 30 June 2003 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 27 Sept. 2004.

A/59/637 Budget for the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Dec. 2004.

A/59/736/Add.17 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 23 May 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.8 Financing of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor : draft resolution / submitted by the Rapporteur following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.58 Financing of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/531 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/531/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.4 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.13 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.55 (25 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.46 (29 Oct. 2004).

At the 46th plenary meeting, the draft resolution in **A/59/531** (originally **A/C.5/59/L.8**) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/13 A.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in **A/59/531/Add.1** (originally **A/C.5/59/L.58**) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/13 B.

UN MISSION OF SUPPORT IN EAST TIMOR– FINANCING (Agenda item 129) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/13A Financing of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission of Support in East Timor the amount of US\$85,153,700 for the period 1 July 2004-30 June 2005; decides also to apportion among Member States the additional amount of \$3,530,657 for the Mission for the period 1 July-20 Nov. 2004; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$43,055,543 for the period 21 Nov. 2004-20 May 2005; decides also that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the amount of \$3,004,991 representing the estimated staff assessment income approved for the Mission for the period 21 Nov. 2004-20 May 2005. (Adopted without vote, 46th plenary meeting, 29 Oct. 2004)

A/RES/59/13B Financing of the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission of Support in East Timor the amount of US\$1,757,800, inclusive of \$1,662,200 for the administrative liquidation of the Mission for the period 1 July-31 Oct. 2005 and \$78,200 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$17,400 for the UN Logistics Base for the period 1 July 2005-30 June 2006. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN OBSERVER MISSION IN ANGOLA–FINANCING

See: UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS IN ANGOLA–
FINANCING

UN OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA– FINANCING (Agenda item 131)

Reports

A/59/622 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Dec. 2004.

A/59/634 Budget for the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 11 Mar. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.7 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 12 Apr. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.61 Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**UN OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA–
FINANCING (Agenda item 131) (continued)**

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/834 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/834 (originally A/C.5/59/L.61) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/304.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/304 Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Observer Mission in Georgia the amount of US\$36,380,000 for the period 1 July 2005-30 June 2006, inclusive of \$34,562,100 for the maintenance of the Observer Mission, \$1,486,500 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$331,400 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

**UN OBSERVER MISSION IN LIBERIA–FINANCING
(Agenda item 134)**

Reports

A/59/624 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in Liberia for the period from 1 August 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Dec. 2004.

A/59/630 Budget for the United Nations Mission in Liberia for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Dec. 2004.

A/59/736/Add.11 Financial performance report for the period from 1 August 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Mission in Liberia : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.59 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Liberia : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/836 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

**UN OBSERVER MISSION IN LIBERIA–FINANCING
(Agenda item 134) (continued)**

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/836 (originally A/C.5/59/L.59) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/305.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/305 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Liberia.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission in Liberia the amount of US\$760,567,400 for the period 1 July 2005-30 June 2006, inclusive of \$722,422,100 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$31,191,200 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$6,954,100 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

**UN OPERATION IN BURUNDI–FINANCING
(Agenda item 153)**

Reports

A/59/300 Budget for the United Nations Operation in Burundi for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 26 Aug. 2004.

A/59/412 Proposed budget of the United Nations Operation in Burundi for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 5 Oct. 2004.

A/59/736/Add.12 Expenditure report for the period from 21 April to 30 June 2004 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 of the United Nations Operation in Burundi : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 18 Apr. 2005.

A/59/748 Budget for the United Nations Operation in Burundi for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 and expenditure report for the period from 21 April to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 21 Mar. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.6 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi : draft resolution / submitted by the Rapporteur following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.55 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/528 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/528/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.13 (26 Oct. 2004).

UN OPERATION IN BURUNDI—FINANCING
(Agenda item 153) (continued)

A/C.5/59/SR.49 (5 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.46 (29 Oct. 2004).

At the 46th plenary meeting, draft resolution in A/59/528 (originally A/C.5/59/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/15 A.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/528/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.55) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/15 B.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/15A Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Operation in Burundi the amount of US\$329,714,400 for the maintenance of the Operation for the period 1 July 2004-30 June 2005, inclusive of the amount of \$106,334,600 previously authorized by the General Assembly; decides to apportion among Member States the additional amount of \$31,046,400 for the period 1 July-30 Nov. 2004, in accordance with the levels set out in its resolution 55/235, taking into account the scale of assessments for 2004; decides also that, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$1,076,225, representing the estimated additional staff assessment income approved for the Operation for the period 1 July-30 Nov. 2004; decides further to apportion among Member States the amount of \$192,333,400 at a monthly rate of \$27,476,200 for the maintenance of the Operation for the period 1 Dec. 2004-30 June 2005, taking into account the scale of assessments for 2004 and 2005, as set out in its resolution 58/1 B, subject to a decision of the Security Council to extend the mandate of the Operation; decides that, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$3,169,775, representing the staff assessment income approved for the Operation for the period 1 Dec. 2004-30 June 2005. (Adopted without vote, 46th plenary meeting, 29 Oct. 2004)

A/RES/59/15B Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Operation in Burundi the amount of US\$49,709,300 previously authorized and apportioned for the establishment of the Operation for the period 21 Apr.-30 June 2004 under the terms of its resolution 58/312; decides also to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Operation in Burundi the amount of \$307,693,100 dollars for the period 1 July 2005-30 June 2006, inclusive of \$292,272,400 for the maintenance of the Operation, \$12,609,400 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$2,811,300 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN OPERATION IN CÔTE D'IVOIRE—FINANCING
(Agenda item 154)

Reports

A/59/289 Budget for the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 23 Aug. 2004.

A/59/419 Proposed budget for the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 6 Oct. 2004.

A/59/419/Corr.1 Proposed budget for the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum.
Issued: 13 Oct. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/736/Add.15 Proposed budget for the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 and expenditure report for the period from 4 April to 30 June 2004 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 20 Apr. 2005.

A/59/750 Budget for the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 and expenditure report for the period from 4 April to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 22 Mar. 2005.

General documents

A/59/693 Letter, 26 Jan. 2005, from Côte d'Ivoire.
Transmits letter dated 14 Jan. 2005 (S/2005/55) addressed to the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Côte d'Ivoire.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.7 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.56 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/529 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/529/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.9 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.13 (26 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.49 (5 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.46 (29 Oct. 2004).

At the 46th plenary meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/529 (originally A/C.5/59/L.7) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/16 A.

UN OPERATION IN CÔTE D'IVOIRE–FINANCING (Agenda item 154) (continued)

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/529/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.56) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/16 B.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/16A Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Operation in Côte d'Ivoire the amount of US\$177,826,200 for the maintenance of the Operation for the period 1 July 2004–30 June 2005, in addition to the amount of \$200,646,600 already appropriated for the maintenance of the Operation for the period 1 July–31 Dec. 2004 under the terms of General Assembly resolution 58/310; decides also to apportion among Member States the amount of \$92,864,793 for the Operation for the period 1 Jan.–4 Apr. 2005, in addition to the amount of \$200,646,600 already apportioned for the period 1 July–31 Dec. 2004; decides further that, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$1,438,826, representing the estimated additional staff assessment income approved for the Operation for the period 1 Jan.–4 Apr. 2005; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$84,961,407 at a monthly rate of \$29,637,700 for the period 5 Apr.–30 June 2005, taking into account the scale of assessments for 2005; decides also that, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$1,316,374, representing the estimated staff assessment income approved for the Operation for the period 5 Apr.–30 June 2005. (Adopted without vote, 46th plenary meeting, 29 Oct. 2004)

A/RES/59/16B Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Operation in Côte d'Ivoire the amount of US\$386,892,500 for the period 1 July 2005–30 June 2006, inclusive of \$367,501,000 for the maintenance of the Operation, \$15,856,300 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$3,535,200 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO– FINANCING (Agenda item 127)

Reports

A/59/657 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 4 Mar. 2005.

UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO– FINANCING (Agenda item 127) (continued)

A/59/661 Investigation into allegations of sexual exploitation and abuse in the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo / by the Office of Internal Oversight Services.
Issued: 5 Jan. 2005.

A/59/707 Revised budget for the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 22 Feb. 2005.

A/59/735 Revised budget for the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 11 Mar. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.16 Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July to 31 October 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 22 Apr. 2005.

A/59/779 Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July to 31 October 2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 14 Apr. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.41 Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.54 Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following in formal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/771 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/771/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.40 (24 Mar. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.43 (6 Apr. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.50 (9 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/771 (originally A/C.5/59/L.41) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/285 A.

**UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE
DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO–
FINANCING (Agenda item 127) (continued)**

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in
A/59/771/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.54) was adopted
without vote: resolution 59/285 B.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/285A Financing of the United Nations
Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the
Congo.

Requests the Secretary-General to include in the
proposed budget for the Mission for the period 1 July
2005-30 June 2006 the resources necessary to ensure the
integration of gender perspectives into the entire electoral
process; also requests the Secretary-General to take all
action necessary to ensure that the Mission is
administered with a maximum of efficiency and economy,
particularly with regard to air transport; further requests the
Secretary-General, in order to reduce the cost of
employing General Service staff, to continue efforts to
recruit local staff for the Mission against General Service
posts, commensurate with the requirements of the Mission;
decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN
Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the
Congo the additional amount of US\$245,642,900 for the
maintenance of the Mission for the period 1 Oct. 2004-30
June 2005, inclusive of the amount of \$49,950,000
previously authorized by ACABQ, taking into account the
total amount of \$746,072,500 already appropriated and
apportioned; decides also to apportion among Member
States the additional amount of \$163,761,932 for the
period 1 Oct. 2004-31 Mar. 2005; decides further to
apportion among Member States the additional amount of
\$81,880,968 at a monthly rate of \$27,293,656 for the
period 1 Apr.-30 June 2005; invites voluntary contributions
to the Mission in cash and in the form of services and
supplies acceptable to the Secretary-General, to be
administered, as appropriate, in accordance with the
procedure and practices established by the General
Assembly. (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13
Apr. 2005)

A/RES/59/285B Financing of the United Nations
Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the
Congo.

Authorizes the Secretary-General to enter into
commitments in an amount not exceeding
US\$383,187,800 for the maintenance of the Mission for
the period 1 July-31 Oct. 2005; decides also to appropriate
to the Special Account for the UN Organization Mission in
the Democratic Republic of the Congo the amount of
\$20,220,700 for the period 1 July 2005-30 June 2006,
comprising \$16,534,400 for the support account for
peacekeeping operations and \$3,686,300 for the UN
Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary
meeting, 22 June 2005)

**UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS–
FINANCING (Agenda item 126)**

See also: CYPRUS QUESTION

Reports

A/59/620 Performance report on the budget of the United
Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus for the period
from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 : report of the
Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Dec. 2004.

A/59/656 Budget for the United Nations Peacekeeping
Force in Cyprus for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30
June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 22 Dec. 2004.

A/59/656/Add.1 Budget for the United Nations
Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus for the period from 1 July
2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General :
addendum.

Issued: 1 Mar. 2005.

A/59/734 Financial arrangements for the United Nations
Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus for the period from 1 July
2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee
on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 10 Mar. 2005.

A/59/736/Add.6 Financial performance report for the
period from 1 July 2003 to 30 June 2004 and proposed
budget for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006
of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus :
report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and
Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 12 Apr. 2005.

General documents

A/59/718 Financing arrangements for the United Nations
Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus for the period from 1 July
2004 to 30 June 2005 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.39 Financing of the United Nations
Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus : draft resolution /
submitted by the Chairman following informal
consultations.

A/C.5/59/L.57 Financing of the United Nations
Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus : draft resolution /
submitted by the Chairman following informal
consultations.

**Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary
Committee (5th Committee)**

A/59/770 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/59/770/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.37 (16 Mar. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.43 (6 Apr. 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.47 (2 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.48 (3 May 2005).

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS– FINANCING (Agenda item 126) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.91 (13 Apr. 2005).

At the 91st meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/770 (originally A/C.5/59/L.39) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/284 A.

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/770/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.57) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/284 B.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/284A Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus.

Notes with concern that only 41 Member States have paid their assessed contributions in full, and urges all other Member States, in particular those in arrears, to ensure payment of their outstanding assessed contributions; requests the Secretary-General to expedite negotiations with the host Government on issues surrounding the relocation of military contingent personnel as well as other personnel of the Force; also requests the Secretary-General, in order to reduce the cost of employing General Service staff, to continue efforts to recruit local staff for the Force against General Service posts, commensurate with the requirements of the Force; decides to continue to maintain as separate the account established for the Force for the period prior to 16 June 1993, invites Member States to make voluntary contributions to that account, and requests the Secretary-General to continue his efforts in appealing for voluntary contributions to the account; encourages the Secretary-General to continue to take additional measures to ensure the safety and security of all personnel under the auspices of the UN participating in the Force; invites voluntary contributions to the Force in cash and in the form of services and supplies acceptable to the Secretary-General, to be administered, as appropriate, in accordance with the procedure and practices established by the General Assembly; decides to keep under review during its 59th session the item entitled "Financing of the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus". (Adopted without vote, 91st plenary meeting, 13 Apr. 2005)

A/RES/59/284B Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus the amount of US\$1,665,400 for the maintenance of the Force for the period 1 July 2003–30 June 2004, in addition to the amount of \$45,772,600 already appropriated for the Force for the same period under the terms of its resolution 57/332 of 18 June 2003; decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus the amount of \$46,512,600 for the period 1 July 2005–30 June 2006, inclusive of \$44,184,300 for the maintenance of the Force, \$1,903,800 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$424,500 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS IN ANGOLA– FINANCING (Agenda item 124)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.68 Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission and the United Nations Observer Mission in Angola : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/831 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.57 (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.104 (22 June 2005).

At the 104th meeting, the draft decision in A/59/831/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.68) was adopted without vote: decision 59/564.

UN PROGRAMME ON SPACE APPLICATIONS

See: OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES–
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

UN REGIONAL CENTRE FOR PEACE AND DISARMAMENT IN AFRICA

See: PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–AFRICA

UN REGIONAL CENTRE FOR PEACE AND DISARMAMENT IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC

See: PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–ASIA AND THE
PACIFIC

UN REGIONAL CENTRE FOR PEACE, DISARMAMENT AND DEVELOPMENT IN LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

See: PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–LATIN AMERICA AND
THE CARIBBEAN

UN REGISTER OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS

See: ARMS TRANSFERS–TRANSPARENCY

UN RELIEF AND WORKS AGENCY FOR PALESTINE REFUGEES IN THE NEAR EAST

See: UNRWA–ACTIVITIES

UN RESOLUTIONS–IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 25)

General documents

A/59/66 (S/2004/219) Letter, 16 Mar. 2004, from Azerbaijan. Transmits memorandum on the legal aspects of the conflict in and around the Nagorny Karabakh region.

UN RESOLUTIONS–IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 25) (continued)

- A/59/259** Letter, 12 Aug. 2004, from China. Transmits China's response to the letter addressed to the UN on the 6 Aug. 2004 (A/59/194) requesting an inclusion of a supplementary item in the agenda of the 59th sess. of the General Assembly entitled "Question of the representation of the 23 million people of Taiwan in the United Nations" and reiterates that there is only one China and that question of Taiwan is purely an internal matter of China.
- A/59/322** Letter, 1 Sept. 2004, from Paraguay. Concerns support by Paraguay to the request made for inclusion of a supplementary item in the agenda of the 59th session of the General Assembly entitled "Question of the representation of the 23 million people of Taiwan in the United Nations".
- A/59/416** Letter, 5 Oct. 2004, from China. Concerns the issue of "Taiwan's participation in the UN" raised by some countries during the general debate of the 59th session of the General Assembly; reiterates that Taiwan is a part of China and that the Government of China is the sole legal entity representing the whole of China.
- A/59/425 (S/2004/808)** Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.
- A/59/427 (S/2004/806)** Identical letters, 8 Oct. 2004, from Palestine addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Concerns statement made by a senior adviser to the Israeli Prime Minister that allegedly revealed the intention of Israel to use the disengagement plan as a means of "freezing" the peace process and ensuring that there would be no political process with the Palestinians; requests that such revelations should be directly, clearly and urgently addressed by the international community, including by the Quartet.
- A/59/884 (S/2005/522)** Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.50 (8 Nov. 2004).

At the 50th meeting, the Assembly decided to defer consideration of this item to the 60th session: decision 59/509.

UN SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE ON THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC RADIATION

See: RADIATION EFFECTS

UN STABILIZATION MISSION IN HAITI–FINANCING (Agenda item 155)

Reports

- A/59/288** Budget for the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 May 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Aug. 2004.
- A/59/390** Proposed budget for the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 May 2004 to 30 June 2005 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 29 Sept. 2004.
- A/59/736/Add.13** Proposed budget of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 19 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/745** Budget for the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 and expenditure report for the period from 1 May to 30 June 2004 : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 18 Mar. 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/59/L.5** Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti : draft resolution / submitted by the Rapporteur following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/59/L.60** Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

- A/59/530** Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/59/530/Add.1** Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/C.5/59/SR.4** (7 Oct. 2004).
- A/C.5/59/SR.13** (26 Oct. 2004).
- A/C.5/59/SR.50** (9 May 2005).
- A/C.5/59/SR.57** (8 June 2005).

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.46** (29 Oct. 2004).
At the 46th plenary meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/530 (originally A/C.5/59/L.5) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/17 A.
- A/59/PV.104** (22 June 2005).
At the 104th meeting, the draft resolution in A/59/530/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/59/L.60) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/17 B.

UN STABILIZATION MISSION IN HAITI—FINANCING (Agenda item 155) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/17A Financing of the United Nations
Stabilization Mission in Haiti.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Stabilization Mission in Haiti the amount of US\$49,259,800 for the period 1 May–30 June 2004 previously authorized by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for the establishment of the Mission; decides also to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Stabilization Mission in Haiti the amount of \$379,046,800 for the period 1 July 2004–30 June 2005, inclusive of the amount of \$172,480,500 previously authorized by the Assembly in its resolution 58/311 for the period 1 July–31 Oct. 2004; decides further to apportion among Member States the amount of \$206,566,300 at a monthly rate of \$25,820,787 for the maintenance of the Mission for the period 1 Nov. 2004–30 June 2005; decides that, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$4,371,700 approved for the Mission for the period 1 Nov. 2004–30 June 2005. (Adopted without vote, 46th plenary meeting, 29 Oct. 2004)

A/RES/59/17B Financing of the United Nations
Stabilization Mission in Haiti.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Stabilization Mission in Haiti the amount of US\$494,887,000 for the period 1 July 2005–30 June 2006, inclusive of \$470,073,600 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$20,289,800 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$4,523,600 for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 22 June 2005)

UN STAFF PENSION COMMITTEE—MEMBERS (Agenda item 17e)

General documents

A/59/105 Appointment of members and alternate members of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/59/9 Appointment of members and alternate members of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee : note / by the Secretary-General.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/586 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.21 (5 Nov. 2004).

UN STAFF PENSION COMMITTEE—MEMBERS (Agenda item 17e) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.69 (8 Dec. 2004).

At the 69th meeting, the Assembly appointed the following persons as members or alternate members of the UN Staff Pension Committee for a 4-year term of office beginning on 1 Jan. 2005: Kenshiro Akimoto (Japan), Aizaz Ahmad Chaudhry (Pakistan), Valeria Maria González Posse (Argentina), Andrei Vitalievitch Kovalenko (Russian Federation), Gerhard Kuntzle (Germany), Lovemore Mazemo (Zimbabwe), Philip Richard Okanda Owade (Kenya) and Thomas Repasch (United States): decision 59/411.

UN STANDING ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON SECURITY QUESTIONS IN CENTRAL AFRICA— ACTIVITIES

See: CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES—REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

UN SYSTEM—DECOLONIZATION

See: DECOLONIZATION—UN SYSTEM

UN SYSTEM—PERSONNEL QUESTIONS

See: PERSONNEL QUESTIONS—UN SYSTEM

UN SYSTEM—STRENGTHENING (Agenda item 54)

See also: UN—CHARTER

Reports

A/59/354 Report of the Secretary-General in response to the report of the Panel of Eminent Persons on United Nations-Civil Society Relations.
Issued: 13 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/541 (S/2004/873) Letter, 27 Oct. 2004, from Kazakhstan. Transmits Declaration of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-building Measures in Asia, adopted at their ministerial meeting, held in Almaty, 22 Oct. 2004.

A/59/709 (S/2005/102) Letter, 22 Feb. 2005, from the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya. Transmits proposals by Muammar Qaddafi concerning the reform of the UN; proposes that the General Assembly be a legislative body of the UN, the Security Council an executive body, and the International Court of Justice to be the judicial authority.

**UN SYSTEM—STRENGTHENING (Agenda item 54)
(continued)**

- A/59/856** Note verbale, 24 June 2005, from Costa Rica.
Transmits document entitled "Security Council enlargement and the cascade effect: enlargement of the permanent member category and its effects on the United Nations System", prepared by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship of Costa Rica.
- A/59/875** Letter, 15 July 2005, from China and the Russian Federation. Transmits joint statement on the international order of the 21st century, signed by the Presidents of the People's Republic of China and the Russian Federation, 1 July 2005.
- A/59/876** Note verbale, 15 July 2005, from the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya. Transmits proposal by Colonel Muammar Qaddafi concerning the problem of the Security Council and the reform of the UN with reference to Africa and the world.
- A/59/884** (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.18** (4 Oct. 2004).
- A/59/PV.19** (4 Oct. 2004).
- A/59/PV.20** (5 Oct. 2004).
- A/59/PV.117** (12 Sept. 2005).

UN UNIVERSITY (Agenda item 92b)

Reports

- A/59/31** (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 31) Report of the Council of the United Nations University, January-December 2003.
Issued: 2004.
- A/59/566** United Nations University : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 10 Nov. 2004.

UN UNIVERSITY (Agenda item 92b) (continued)

Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.2/59/L.35** United Nations University : draft resolution / Algeria, Andorra, Angola, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bhutan, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Cyprus, Denmark, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lithuania, Malawi, Micronesia (Federated States of), Morocco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Pakistan, Palau, Panama, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Swaziland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Tuvalu, Ukraine and Viet Nam.

Algeria withdrew from the list of sponsors
(A/59/490/Add.2).

- A/C.2/59/L.35/Rev.1** United Nations University : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Angola, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belgium, Benin, Bhutan, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lithuania, Malawi, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Morocco, Mozambique, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Pakistan, Palau, Panama, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Swaziland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Tuvalu, Ukraine, Viet Nam and Zambia.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Botswana, Cape Verde, the Comoros, the Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, El Salvador, Eritrea, India, Lesotho, Mongolia, Namibia, Nepal, Nigeria, Rwanda, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Sudan, Timor-Leste, Togo, Tunisia, Yemen and Zimbabwe
(A/59/490/Add.2).

**Discussion in the Economic and Financial
Committee (2nd Committee)**

- A/59/490** Report of the 2nd Committee.
- A/59/490/Add.2** Report of the 2nd Committee.
- A/C.2/59/SR.34** (16 Nov. 2004).
- A/C.2/59/SR.35** (17 Nov. 2004).
- A/C.2/59/SR.39** (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.75** (22 Dec. 2004).
At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/490/Add.2 (originally A/C.2/59/L.35/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/253; the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/59/490): decision 59/541.

UN UNIVERSITY (Agenda item 92b) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/253 United Nations University.

Notes with satisfaction the implementation of the "Strategic Plan, 2000" and requests the UN University to continue to attach importance to the priority agendas of the UN system; highly appreciates the successful steps taken by the University to promote the work and visibility of the University, including its research and training centres and programmes, to strengthen interaction with and contributions to the work of the UN system and to create new networks of activity with the academic communities in host countries, including Japan, and encourages the University to continue with such efforts; requests the Secretary-General to encourage other bodies of the UN system to utilize more fully the capacity of the University for mobilizing a worldwide network of applied policy researchers to assist the UN, through research and capacity development, in resolving pressing global problems; decides to include this item on the agenda of its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

UN VERIFICATION MISSION IN GUATEMALA

See: CENTRAL AMERICA SITUATION

UN VOLUNTARY FUND FOR INDIGENOUS POPULATIONS

See: INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

UN VOLUNTARY TRUST FUND ON CONTEMPORARY FORMS OF SLAVERY

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–TREATIES–IMPLEMENTATION

UNACCOMPANIED REFUGEE MINORS

See: REFUGEES

UNAMET

See: UN MISSION IN EAST TIMOR–FINANCING

UNAMSIL

See: UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE–FINANCING

UNAVEM

See: UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS IN ANGOLA–FINANCING

UNCITRAL MODEL LEGISLATIVE PROVISIONS ON PRIVATELY FINANCED INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS (2003)

See: INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW

UNCTAD. SECRETARY-GENERAL (Agenda item 17j)

General documents

A/59/110 Confirmation of the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development : note / by the Secretary-General.

UNCTAD. SECRETARY-GENERAL (Agenda item 17j) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.97 (11 May 2005).

At the 97th meeting, Supachai Panitchpakdi (Thailand) was appointed as Secretary-General of the UN Conference on Trade and Development for a term beginning 1 Sept. 2005 and ending on 31 Aug. 2009 : decision 59/419.

UNDOF

See: UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE–FINANCING

UNDP–ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106b)

Reports

A/59/5/Add.1 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5A) United Nations Development Programme : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

UNDP-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106b)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UNDP. ADMINISTRATOR (Agenda item 17k)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.95 (5 May 2005).

At the 95th meeting, the Assembly confirmed the appointment of Kemal Dervis (Turkey) as Administrator of UNDP for a 4 year-term of office commencing on 15 Aug. 2005 and ending on 14 Aug. 2009 : decision 59/417.

UNEP-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106g)

Reports

A/59/5/Add.6 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5F) Fund of the United Nations Environment Programme : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors.

Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

UNEP-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106g)
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Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UNFICYP

See: UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS – FINANCING

UNFPA-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106h)

Reports

A/59/5/Add.7 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5G) United Nations Population Fund : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

UNFPA-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106h)
(continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UNHCR-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106f)

Reports

A/59/5/Add.5 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5E)

Voluntary funds administered by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors.

Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

UNHCR-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106f)
(continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UNHCR-ACTIVITIES

See: REFUGEES

UNICEF-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106c)

Reports

A/59/5/Add.2 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5B) United Nations Children's Fund : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors.

Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

UNICEF-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106c)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.
Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UNIFIL

See: UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON-FINANCING

UNIKOM

See: UN IRAQ-KUWAIT OBSERVATION MISSION-FINANCING

UNISPACE III (1999 : Vienna)

See: OUTER SPACE-PEACEFUL USES-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

UNITAR-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106e)

Reports

A/59/5/Add.4 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5D) United Nations Institute for Training and Research : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 [and] report of the Board of Auditors.
Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

UNITAR-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106e)
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Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.
Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UNITAR-ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 92a)

Reports

A/59/14 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 14) Report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/230 United Nations Institute for Training and Research : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 25 July 2003.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.51 United Nations Institute for Training and Research : draft resolution / Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.65 (A/59/490/Add.1).

A/C.2/59/L.65 United Nations Institute for Training and Research : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Azanaw Tadesse Abreha (Ethiopia), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.51.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/490 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/490/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

**UNITAR–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 92a)
(continued)**

A/C.2/59/SR.34 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.35 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.39 (14 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/490/Add.1 (originally A/C.2/59/L.65) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/252; the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/59/490): decision 59/541.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/252 United Nations Institute for Training and Research.

Reaffirms the importance of a coordinated UN system-wide approach to research and training, based on an effective coherent strategy and an effective division of work among the relevant institutions and bodies; also reaffirms the relevance of the UN Institute for Training and Research, in view of the growing importance of training within the UN and the training requirements of States, and the relevance of the training-related research activities undertaken by the Institute within its mandate; requests the Board of Trustees of the Institute to continue to ensure fair and equitable geographical distribution and transparency in the preparation of the programmes and in the employment of experts; renews its appeal to all Governments, in particular those of developed countries, and to private institutions that have not yet contributed financially or otherwise to the Institute; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

UNITED STATES

See: CUBA–UNITED STATES
HUMAN RIGHTS–UNITED STATES
LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA–UNITED STATES
UN–HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS

UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS (Agenda item 20)

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

A/59/478 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS (Agenda item 20) (continued)

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/59/478 entitled "Question of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands" was adopted without vote: resolution 59/134.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/134[B-XI] United States Virgin Islands.

Requests the administering Power to continue to assist the territorial Government in achieving its political, economic and social goals; requests the administering Power to facilitate the participation of the Territory in various organizations; calls for the inclusion of the Territory in regional programmes of the UNDP, consistent with the participation of other Non-Self-Governing Territories; calls upon the administering Power to continue to provide every assistance required by the Territory to further alleviate the difficult economic situation; notes also the position of the territorial Government, including its articulation in resolution 1609 of 9 Apr. 2001 of the 24th Legislature of the United States Virgin Islands, opposing the assumption by the administering Power of submerged land in territorial waters, having regard to relevant resolutions of the General Assembly on the ownership and control of natural resources, including marine resources, by the people of the Non-Self-Governing Territories, and its calls for the return of those marine resources within its jurisdiction. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

UNMEE

See: UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA–
FINANCING

UNMIBH

See: UN MISSION IN BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA–
FINANCING

UNMIK

See: UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN
KOSOVO–FINANCING

UNMIL

See: UN OBSERVER MISSION IN LIBERIA–FINANCING

UNMIS

See: UN MISSION IN THE SUDAN–FINANCING

UNMISSET

See: UN MISSION OF SUPPORT IN EAST TIMOR–
FINANCING

UNOCI

See: UN OPERATION IN CÔTE D'IVOIRE–FINANCING

UNOMIG

See: UN OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA–FINANCING

UNRWA–ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 106d)

Reports

A/59/5/Add.3 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 5C) United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2003 and report of the Board of Auditors.
Issued: 2004.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/59/L.11 Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/588 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.10 (18 Oct. 2004).

A/C.5/59/SR.11 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/588 (originally A/C.5/59/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/264 A.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/264A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the financial reports and audited financial statements and the reports and audit opinions of the Board of Auditors; approves the recommendations and conclusions contained in the reports of the Board of Auditors and endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, including the office holders to be held accountable; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN to examine governance principles and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 61st session, through the respective governing bodies of the funds and programmes of UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the funds and programmes of UN also to consider strengthening the internal control framework. (Adopted without vote, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

UNRWA–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 75)

See also: MIDDLE EAST SITUATION
PALESTINE QUESTION

Reports

A/59/13 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 13) Report of the Commissioner-General of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East, 1 July 2003–30 June 2004.
Issued: 2004.

A/59/151 Persons displaced as a result of the June 1967 and subsequent hostilities : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 14 July 2004.

A/59/260 Report of the United Nations Conciliation Commission for Palestine : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 31 Aug. 2004. - Transmits the 58th report of the UN Conciliation Commission for Palestine, covering the period 1 Sept. 2003–31 Aug. 2004.

A/59/279 Palestine refugees' properties and their revenues : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 18 Aug. 2004.

A/59/442 Report of the Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East.
Issued: 19 Oct. 2004.

General documents

A/59/425 (S/2004/808) Letter, 1 Oct. 2004, from Turkey. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Group of Islamic Countries at the UN in New York, final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at UN Headquarters, 28 Sept. 2004.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28–30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/59/L.10 Assistance to Palestine refugees : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.
Additional sponsors: Armenia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Namibia, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and United Kingdom (A/59/470).

UNRWA–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 75) (continued)

A/C.4/59/L.11 Persons displaced as a result of the June 1967 and subsequent hostilities : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Bangladesh, Mali, Namibia, Senegal and South Africa (A/59/470).

A/C.4/59/L.12 Operations of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

A/C.4/59/L.12/Rev.1 Operations of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Mali, Morocco, Namibia, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsor: South Africa. - Mali withdrew as a sponsor of the draft resolution (A/59/470).

A/C.4/59/L.13 Palestine refugees' properties and their revenues : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Namibia, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden and United Kingdom (A/59/470).

Discussion in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)

A/59/470 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.21 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.22 (8 Nov. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.24 (17 Nov. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.25 (24 Nov. 2004).

UNRWA–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 75) (continued)

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.71 (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/470 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.4/59/L.10), adopted (167-1-11); resolution 59/117; draft resolution II (originally A/C.4/59/L.11), adopted (162-6-9); resolution 59/118; draft resolution III (originally A/C.4/59/L.12/Rev.1), adopted (163-6-7); resolution 59/119; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.4/59/L.13), adopted (161-6-9); resolution 59/120.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/117 Assistance to Palestine refugees.

Notes with regret that repatriation or compensation of the refugees has not yet been effected and that the UN Conciliation Commission for Palestine has been unable to achieve progress in the implementation of compensation; affirms the necessity for the continuation of the work of the UN Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East and the importance of its operation and services for the well-being of the Palestine refugees and for the stability of the region, pending the resolution of the question of the Palestine refugees; calls upon all States to make the most generous efforts possible to meet the anticipated needs of the Agency and support its valuable work in providing assistance to the Palestine refugees; calls on all donors to continue to make generous efforts to meet the anticipated needs of the Agency; decides to extend the mandate of the Agency until 30 June 2008. (Adopted 167-1-11, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/118 Persons displaced as a result of the June 1967 and subsequent hostilities.

Reaffirms the right of all persons displaced as a result of the June 1967 and subsequent hostilities to return to their homes or former places of residence in the territories occupied by Israel since 1967; endorses the efforts of the Commissioner-General of the UN Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East to continue to provide humanitarian assistance to persons in the area who are currently displaced and in serious need of continuing assistance as a result of the June 1967 and subsequent hostilities; strongly appeals to all Governments and to organizations and individuals to contribute generously to the Agency and to the other intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations concerned for the above-mentioned purposes; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly before its 60th session on the progress made with regards to the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 162-6-9, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

UNRWA–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 75) (continued)

A/RES/59/119 Operations of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East.

Expresses concern about the temporary relocation of the headquarters international staff of the Agency from Gaza City and the disruption of operations; calls upon Israel, the occupying Power, to comply fully with the provisions of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 Aug. 1949 and to abide by articles 100, 104 and 105 of the UN Charter and the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the UN in order to ensure the safety of the Agency's personnel, the protection of its institutions and the safeguarding of the security of its facilities; urges the Government of Israel to compensate the Agency for damage to its property and facilities resulting from actions by the Israeli side, particularly during the reporting period; calls upon Israel to cease obstructing the movement of the staff, vehicles and supplies of the agency and to cease to levying of extra fees and charges; requests the Commissioner-General to proceed with the issuance of identification cards for Palestine refugees and their descendants in the Occupied Palestinian Territory; reiterates its request to the Commissioner-General to proceed with the modernization of the archives of the Agency; urges all States, specialized agencies and non-governmental organizations to continue and to increase their contributions to the Agency and to support its valuable work in assistance to the Palestine refugees. (Adopted 163-6-7, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/120 Palestine refugees' properties and their revenues.

Reaffirms that the Palestine refugees are entitled to their property and to the income derived therefrom, in conformity with the principles of equity and justice; requests the Secretary-General to take all appropriate steps, in consultation with the UN Conciliation Commission for Palestine, for the protection of Arab property, assets and property rights in Israel; calls once again upon Israel to render all facilities and assistance to the Secretary-General in the implementation of the present resolution; urges the Palestinian and Israeli sides, as agreed between them, to deal with the important issue of Palestine refugees' properties and their revenues within the framework of the final status negotiations of the Middle East peace process. (Adopted 161-6-9, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

VERIFICATION (Agenda item 59)

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

VERIFICATION (Agenda item 59) (continued)

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.7 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.33 Verification in all its aspects, including the role of the United Nations in the field of verification : draft resolution / Canada, Chile, El Salvador, Germany, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation and Sweden.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Greece, Finland, Ireland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Thailand and Ukraine (A/59/453).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/453 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.20 (1 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/453 (originally A/C.1/59/L.33) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/60.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/60 Verification in all its aspects, including the role of the United Nations in the field of verification.

Requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session on further views received from Member States; also requests the Secretary-General to explore the question of verification in all its aspects, including the role of the UN in the field of verification, and to transmit the report of the panel of experts to the General Assembly for consideration at its 61st session; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 61st session the item entitled "Verification in all its aspects, including the role of the United Nations in the field of verification". (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

VIENNA DECLARATION AND PROGRAMME OF ACTION (1993)

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–PROGRAMMES OF ACTION (1993)

VIENNA DECLARATION ON CRIME AND JUSTICE: MEETING THE CHALLENGES OF THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY (2000)

See: CRIME PREVENTION

VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN MIGRANT WORKERS

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION– TERRORISM (Agenda item 65r)

Reports

A/59/156 Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 14 July 2004. - Transmits replies received from Member States and international organizations, submitted in response to the request in General Assembly resolution 58/48 of 8 Dec. 2003.

A/59/156/Add.1 Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 29 Sept. 2004.

General documents

A/C.1/59/INF/2 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.1 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.3 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.4 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.5 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

A/C.1/59/INF/2/Add.6 Additional co-sponsors of draft resolutions/decisions : General Assembly, 59th session, 1st Committee : information note / by the Secretariat.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/59/L.31 Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Bhutan, Colombia, Fiji, France, India, Mauritius, Myanmar, Nepal, Sri Lanka.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, Georgia, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Namibia, Netherlands, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Poland, Portugal, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and United Kingdom (A/59/459).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/59/459 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/59/PV.14 (22 Oct. 2004).

A/C.1/59/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2004).

WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION– TERRORISM (Agenda item 65r) (continued)

A/C.1/59/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.66 (3 Dec. 2004).

At the 66th meeting, draft resolution XV in A/59/459 (originally A/C.1/59/L.31) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/80.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/80 Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction.

Urges all Member States to take and strengthen national measures, as appropriate, to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction, their means of delivery and materials and technologies related to their manufacture, and invites them to inform the Secretary-General, on a voluntary basis, of the measures taken in this regard; requests the Secretary-General to compile a report on measures already taken by international organizations on issues relating to the linkage between the fight against terrorism and the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction, to seek the views of Member States on additional relevant measures for tackling the global threat posed by the acquisition by terrorists of weapons of mass destruction, and to report to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 3 Dec. 2004)

WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)

See also: UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN
WESTERN SAHARA–FINANCING

Reports

A/59/23 (GAOR. 59th sess., Suppl. no. 23) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples for 2004.

Issued: 2004.

A/59/134 Question of Western Sahara : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 July 2004. - Summarizes the reports submitted by the Secretary-General to the Security Council on the situation concerning Western Sahara during the period 1 July 2003-30 June 2004.

General documents

A/59/314 (S/2004/704) Letter, 30 Aug. 2004, from Namibia. Transmits memorandum by the Frente Popular para la Liberación de Saguia el-Hamra y de Río de Oro (Polisario) on the question of Western Sahara.

Hearings requested

A/C.4/59/3 Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Boukhari Ahmed, Frente Popular para la Liberación de Saguia el-Hamra y de Río de Oro (Frente POLISARIO). Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/59/3/Add.1 Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Joseph R. Pitts, Member of Congress of the United States. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

**WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)
(continued)**

- A/C.4/59/3/Add.2** Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Cristina del Valle, representative of the Platform of Women Artists against Gender Violence. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.3** Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Melody Divine, Foreign Affairs Adviser, Office of Congressman Trent Franks, United States Congress. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.4** Letter, 16 Sept. 2004, from Antonio López Ortiz, Secretary of the Federación Estatal de Instituciones Solidarias con el Pueblo Saharaui. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.5** Letter, 16 Sept. 2004, from Felipe Briones Vives, President, International Association of Jurists for Western Sahara. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.6** Letter, 16 Sept. 2004, from Txomin Aurrekoetxea, Member, Basque Parliament and President of the Joint Group "Peace for the Sahrawi People". Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.7** Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Francisco José Alonso Rodríguez, President of the Liga Pro Derechos Humanos. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.8** Letter, 17 Sept. 2004, from Suzanne Scholte, Defense Forum Foundation. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.9** Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Montserrat Boix, Mujeres en Red. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.10** Letter, 19 Sept. 2004, from Vanessa Ramos, Secretary General, American Association of Jurists. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.11** Letter, 19 Sept. 2004, from Pedro Pinto Leite, Secretary-General, International Platform of Jurists for East Timor. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.12** Letter, 20 Sept. 2004, from Jason I. Poblete, US/Western Sahara Foundation Board of Directors, Defense Forum Foundation. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.13** Letter, 20 Sept. 2004, Janet Lenz, Director, Saharawi Children's Program - USA. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.14** Letter, 22 Sept. 2004, from Francisco Javier Morillas Gómez, representative of the State Coordinating Committee of the Association of Friends of the Saharan People. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.15** Letter, 23 Sept. 2004, from Louis Parascand, Faith Community Church. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

**WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)
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- A/C.4/59/3/Add.16** Letter, 15 Sept. 2004, from Fernando Iñiguez, representative, Asociación de Periodistas Especializados en Música, Ocio y Cultura. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.17** Letter, 27 Sept. 2004, from Hilde Teuwen, representative of Oxfam Solidarity and the European Coordination of Support for the Sahrawi People, Belgium. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.18** Letter, 28 Sept. 2004, from Julien Dedenis, Association des Amis de la République Arabe Sahraouie (AARASD). Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.19** Letter, 28 Sept. 2004, from David Lippiat, President/CEO of We International. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.20** Letter, 29 Sept. 2004, from Liesbeth de Haan, Chairwoman, Netherlands Foundation for Self-Determination in Western Sahara. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/59/3/Add.21** Letter, 29 Sept. 2004, from Tarik Belkhodja, Comité Méditerranée. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.4/59/L.4** Question of Western Sahara : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Cuba, Ethiopia, Fiji, Grenada, Jamaica, Kenya, Lesotho, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Nigeria, South Africa, Timor-Leste, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

**Discussion in the Special Political and
Decolonization Committee (4th Committee)**

- A/59/478** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/59/SR.3 (5 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.4 (6 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.5 (7 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.6 (8 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.8 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.10 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.4/59/SR.11 (18 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

- A/59/PV.71** (10 Dec. 2004).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution I in A/59/478 (originally A/C.4/59/L.4) was adopted (50-0-100): resolution 59/131.

**WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 20)
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Resolutions

A/RES/59/131 Question of Western Sahara.

Underlines Security Council resolution 1495 (2003), in which the Council expressed its support of the peace plan for self-determination of the people of Western Sahara; continues to support strongly the efforts of the Secretary-General in order to achieve a mutually acceptable political solution to the dispute over Western Sahara; calls upon the parties to cooperate with the International Committee of the Red Cross in its efforts to solve the problem of the fate of the people unaccounted for; requests the Special Committee to continue to consider the situation in Western Sahara and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 60th session; invites the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 60th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 50-0-100, 71st plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2004)

WOMEN–UN. SECRETARIAT

See: UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

WOMEN IN DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 89b)

Reports

A/59/287 World survey on the role of women in development : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Aug. 2004.

A/59/287/Add.1 (ST/ESA/294) 2004 world survey on the role of women in development : women and international migration.
Issued: 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/59/L.48 World survey on the Role of Women in Development : draft resolution / Mexico.
The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.58 (A/59/487/Add.2).

A/C.2/59/L.58 World survey on the role of women in development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Azanaw Tadesse Abreha (Ethiopia), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/59/L.48.

Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/59/487 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/59/487/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/59/SR.32 (15 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.33 (16 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.36 (24 Nov. 2004).

A/C.2/59/SR.38 (7 Dec. 2004).

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Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.75 (22 Dec. 2004).

At the 75th meeting, draft resolution in A/59/487/Add.2 (originally A/C.2/59/L.58) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/248.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/248 World Survey on the role of women in development.

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General entitled "World Survey on the Role of Women in Development", which focuses on women and international migration, and decides to consider the report at its 60th session; requests the Secretary-General to update the World Survey on the Role of Women in Development for the consideration of the General Assembly at its 64th session, noting that the survey should continue to focus on selected emerging development themes that have an impact on the role of women in the economy at the national, regional and international levels, to be identified at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 75th plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2004)

WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 98)

See also: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT–CONFERENCES
(4TH : 1995 : BEIJING)–FOLLOW-UP

Reports

A/59/38 (GAOR, 59th sess., Suppl. no. 38) Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, 30th session (12-30 January 2004) [and] 31st session (6-23 July 2004).
Issued: 2004.

A/59/38(Part I) (To be issued as GAOR, 59th session, Suppl. no. 38) Report of the Committee on the elimination of Discrimination against Women, 30th session (12-30 January 2004).
Issued: 18 Mar. 2004.

A/59/135 Activities of the United Nations Development Fund for Women : note / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 12 July 2004. - Transmits report on the activities of the UN Development Fund for Women, prepared pursuant to General Assembly resolution 39/125 of 14 Dec. 1984.

A/59/135/Corr.1 Activities of the United Nations Development Fund for Women : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.
Issued: 22 Nov. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/185 Trafficking in women and girls : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 28 July 2004.

A/59/185/Corr.1 Trafficking in women and girls : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
Issued: 5 Oct. 2004. - Corrects text.

A/59/281 Violence against women : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Aug. 2004.

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- A/59/313** Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 31 Aug. 2004.
- A/59/357** Improvement of the status of women in the United Nations system : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 20 Sept. 2004.
- A/59/446** Human resources management : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 20 Oct. 2004.
- A/59/579** Report of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women ; report of the Secretary-General on the financial situation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women ; future operations of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women; programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.26 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
Issued: 26 Nov. 2004.
- A/C.3/59/2** Letter, 4 Oct. 2004, from Spain. Transmits, on behalf of the Executive Board of the UN International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women (INSTRAW), information on the implementation of the programme of work for 2004, the progress report on INSTRAW, the report by the Director of the Institute and the proposed operational budget for 2005.
- General documents**
- A/59/814** Letter, 16 May, 2005, from Chile and Mali.
Transmits document entitled "Santiago commitment: cooperating for democracy" adopted at the 3rd Ministerial Conference of the Community of Democracies, Santiago, 28-30 Apr. 2005.
- A/59/828** Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.
- A/59/867** Letter, 6 July 2005, from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Refers to annex in letter dated 25 May 2005 (A/59/814) entitled "Santiago Ministerial Commitment: cooperating for democracy" and expresses Venezuela's reservations to this commitment.
- A/59/884 (S/2005/522)** Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28-30 June 2005.

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- A/C.3/59/L.36** Future operations of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.26 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/59/16** Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.26 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.3/59/L.24** Improvement of the status of women in the United Nations System : draft resolution / Australia, Canada and New Zealand.
Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Bhutan, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Estonia, Ethiopia, Fiji, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Malta, Marshall Islands, Mauritania, Mauritius, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Mozambique, Myanmar, Namibia, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Niger, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United Republic of Tanzania, United States, Uruguay, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe (A/59/496).

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A/C.3/59/L.25 Working towards the elimination of crimes against women and girls committed in the name of honour : draft resolution / Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Nigeria, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay and Vanuatu.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Armenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Bulgaria, Cape Verde, Chile, Dominican Republic, Fiji, France, Georgia, Guatemala, Iceland, Iraq, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Malta, Monaco, Morocco, Namibia, New Zealand, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Republic of Korea, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, South Africa, Thailand, Tunisia, Turkmenistan, Ukraine and Venezuela (A/59/496).

A/C.3/59/L.26 Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : draft resolution / Mexico and Qatar [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/C.3/59/L.27 Trafficking in women and girls : draft resolution / Philippines.

A/C.3/59/L.27/Rev.1 Trafficking in women and girls : revised draft resolution / Argentina, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, Estonia, Guatemala, Iceland, Indonesia, Latvia, Nigeria, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Timor-Leste, Ukraine and Venezuela.

A/C.3/59/L.21 Draft decisions submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/496 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.10 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.11 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.12 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.13 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.14 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.15 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.19 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.20 (21 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.34 (2 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.42 (11 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.45 (17 Nov. 2004).

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A/C.3/59/SR.48 (19 Nov. 2004).

Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/59/641 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/59/SR.29 (13 Dec. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions and draft decision in A/59/496 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.24), adopted without vote: resolution 59/164; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/59/L.25), adopted without vote: resolution 59/165; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.3/59/L.27/Rev.1), adopted without vote: resolution 59/166; draft decision entitled "Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women on the work of its 30th and 31st sessions", adopted without vote: decision 59/524.

A/59/PV.76 (23 Dec. 2004).

At the 76th meeting, draft resolution III in A/59/496 (originally A/C.3/59/L.26) was adopted (125-10-30): resolution 59/260.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/164 Improvement of the status of women in the United Nations System.

Reaffirms the urgent goal of achieving 50/50 gender distribution in all categories of posts within the UN system, especially at senior and policy-making levels, with full respect for the principle of equitable geographical distribution, in conformity with Article 101, paragraph 3, of the Charter of the UN; requests the Secretary-General and the executive heads of the organizations of the UN system to ensure that recruitment strategies, promotion and retention policies, career development, justice, anti-harassment and sexual harassment policies, human resources and succession planning, work/family policies, management culture and mechanisms for managerial accountability accelerate the goal of 50/50 gender distribution; requests the Secretary-General to enable the Office of the Special Adviser on Gender Issues and Advancement of Women to effectively contribute to, monitor and facilitate the setting and achievement of gender targets in human resource action plans, including by ensuring access to the information required to carry out that work. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

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A/RES/59/165 Working towards the elimination of crimes against women and girls committed in the name of honour.

Expresses its concern that women continue to be victims of crimes committed in the name of honour, and at the continuing occurrence in all regions of the world of such violence, which takes many different forms, and at failures to prosecute and punish perpetrators; calls upon all States: (a) to fulfil their obligations under the relevant international human rights instruments and to implement the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome document of the special session of the General Assembly; (b) to continue to intensify efforts to prevent and eliminate crimes against women and girls committed in the name of honour, which take many different forms, by using legislative, administrative and programmatic measures; (c) to investigate promptly and thoroughly, prosecute effectively and document cases of crimes against women and girls committed in the name of honour and punish the perpetrators; requests the Secretary-General to report on the implementation of the present resolution in his report on the question of violence against women to the General Assembly at its 60th session. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

A/RES/59/166 Trafficking in women and girls.

Urges Governments to take appropriate measures to address the root factors, including poverty and gender inequality, as well as external factors that encourage the particular problem of trafficking in women and girls for prostitution and other forms of commercialized sex, forced marriage and forced labour, in order to eliminate such trafficking, including by strengthening existing legislation with a view to providing better protection of the rights of women and girls and to punishing perpetrators, through both criminal and civil measures; also urges Governments to devise, enforce and strengthen effective measures to combat and eliminate all forms of trafficking in women and girls, including for sexual exploitation, as part of a comprehensive anti-trafficking strategy that integrates a gender and human rights perspective, and to draw up, as appropriate, national action plans in this regard; urges Governments to provide or strengthen training for law enforcement, immigration and other relevant officials in the prevention and combating of trafficking in persons, including the sexual exploitation of women and girls, which should focus on methods used in preventing such trafficking, prosecuting the traffickers and protecting the rights of victims, including protecting the victims from traffickers, to ensure that the training includes human rights and child- and gender-sensitive perspectives, and to encourage cooperation with non-governmental organizations, other relevant organizations and other elements of civil society. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 98)
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A/RES/59/260 Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women.

Requests the Institute, in accordance with its mandate, to actively participate in and contribute to the review and appraisal of the implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome document of the 23rd special session of the General Assembly in the context of the 49th session of the Commission on the Status of Women; urges Member States to make voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund, particularly during this critical transitional period; decides to provide its full support to the current efforts to revitalize the Institute and, in this regard, to ensure that the Institute will be able to continue functioning for a period of at least one year. (Adopted 125-10-30, 76th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2004)

WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT—CONFERENCES (4TH : 1995 : BEIJING)—FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 99)

See also: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

Reports

A/59/214 Measures taken and progress achieved in follow-up to the implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for action and the outcome of the 23rd special session of the General Assembly : report of the Secretary-General.
Issued: 6 Aug. 2004.

A/C.3/59/2 Letter, 4 Oct. 2004, from Spain. Transmits, on behalf of the Executive Board of the UN International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women (INSTRAW), information on the implementation of the programme of work for 2004, the progress report on INSTRAW, the report by the Director of the Institute and the proposed operational budget for 2005.

General documents

A/59/115 Letter, 22 June 2004, from Qatar. Transmits ministerial declaration adopted on the occasion of the special ministerial meeting to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the establishment of the Group of 77, held in São Paulo, Brazil, 11-12 June 2004.

A/59/814 Letter, 16 May, 2005, from Chile and Mali. Transmits document entitled "Santiago commitment: cooperating for democracy" adopted at the 3rd Ministerial Conference of the Community of Democracies, Santiago, 28-30 Apr. 2005.

A/59/828 Letter, 2 June 2005, from Malaysia. Transmits, in capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau for Non-Aligned Movement, the Putrajaya Declaration and Programme of Action on the Advancement of Women in Member Countries of the Non-Aligned Movement, which was adopted at the Ministerial meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the advancement of women, held in Putrajaya, Malaysia, 7-10 May 2005.

**WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT–CONFERENCES (4TH
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A/59/867 Letter, 6 July 2005, from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Refers to annex in letter dated 25 May 2005 (A/59/814) entitled "Santiago Ministerial Commitment: cooperating for democracy" and expresses Venezuela's reservations to this commitment.

A/59/884 (S/2005/522) Letter, 25 July 2005, from Yemen. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the UN Group of the Islamic Countries, final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its 32nd session, held at Sana'a, 28–30 June 2005.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.23 Elimination of all forms of violence against women, including crimes identified in the outcome document of the 23rd special session of the General Assembly, entitled "Women 2000 : gender equality, development and peace for the 21st century" : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Algeria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belize, Benin, Burkina Faso, China, Congo, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Viet Nam.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Bahamas, Bahrain, Belarus, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Comoros, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Fiji, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Kazakhstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Madagascar, Malawi, Maldives, Mali, Mauritius, Mexico, Mongolia, Namibia, Nigeria, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Senegal, Somalia, Thailand, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Yemen (A/59/497).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/497 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.10 (12 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.11 (13 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.12 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.13 (14 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.14 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.15 (15 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.19 (20 Oct. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.37 (4 Nov. 2004).

A/C.3/59/SR.53 (24 Nov. 2004).

**WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT–CONFERENCES (4TH
: 1995 : BEIJING)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 99)
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Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/59/497 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/59/L.23), adopted without vote: resolution 59/167; draft resolution II entitled "Follow-up to the 4th World Conference on Women and full implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome of the 23rd special session of the General Assembly", adopted without vote: resolution 59/168.

Resolutions

A/RES/59/167 Elimination of all forms of violence against women, including crimes identified in the outcome document of the 23rd special session of the General Assembly, entitled "Women 2000 : gender equality, development and peace for the 21st century".

Reaffirms that there is increased awareness of and commitment to preventing and combating violence against women, including crimes identified in the outcome document of the 23rd special session, welcomes in this context various legal, administrative and other measures taken by Governments for their prevention and elimination, and calls for high priority to be attached to the further strengthening of such measures; urges Member States to strengthen awareness and preventive measures for the elimination of all forms of violence against women, whether occurring in public or private life, by encouraging and supporting public campaigns to enhance awareness about the unacceptability and the social costs of violence against women, inter alia, through educational and media campaigns in cooperation with educators, community leaders and the electronic and print media; invites the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on violence against women, its causes and consequences to further devote equal attention to all forms of violence against women, including crimes identified in the outcome document of the 23rd special session, in her work and her reports, within her mandate, to the Commission on Human Rights and the General Assembly. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT–CONFERENCES (4TH : 1995 : BEIJING)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 99) (continued)

A/RES/59/168 Follow-up to the 4th World Conference on Women and full implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome of the 23rd special session of the General Assembly.

Stresses the importance of implementing the agreed conclusions adopted by the Commission on the Status of Women since its 40th session; emphasizes that the full and effective implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the promotion of gender equality and of women's empowerment and participation, together with the mainstreaming of a gender perspective, are among the essential elements for advancing the implementation of the Millennium Declaration, with a view, in particular, to achieving the internationally agreed development goals, including those contained in the Millennium Declaration and the outcomes of UN summits, conferences and special sessions; urges States parties to comply fully with their obligations under the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and those that have not yet done so to consider signing, ratifying or acceding to the Optional Protocol thereto; strongly encourages Governments to continue to support the role and contribution of civil society, in particular non-governmental organizations and women's organizations, in the implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome of the 23rd special session; requests the Secretary-General to continue to promote the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome of the 23rd special session and to disseminate those documents as widely as possible in all the official languages of the UN. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

WORKING GROUP ON REIMBURSEMENT OF CONTINGENT-OWNED EQUIPMENT

See: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING

WORLD ASSEMBLY ON AGEING (2ND : 2002 : MADRID)

See: AGEING PERSONS–INTERNATIONAL YEARS (1999)

WORLD CONFERENCE AGAINST RACISM, RACIAL DISCRIMINATION, XENOPHOBIA AND RELATED INTOLERANCE (2001 : DURBAN, SOUTH AFRICA)

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WORLD SUMMIT FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT (1995 : COPENHAGEN)

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YOUTH (Agenda item 94a)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/59/L.18 Policies and programmes involving youth : draft resolution / Portugal.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Monaco, Netherlands, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Turkey and United Kingdom (A/59/492).

A/C.3/59/L.18/Rev.1 Policies and programmes involving youth : 10th anniversary of the World Programme of Action for Youth to the Year 2000 and Beyond : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cape Verde, Costa Rica, Cyprus, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Estonia, Finland, Fiji, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Norway, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Romania, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Tunisia, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Venezuela.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belize, Bolivia, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Egypt, El Salvador, Grenada, Guyana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Israel, Jamaica, Kenya, Madagascar, Malaysia, Malawi, Mali, Mauritius, Morocco, Namibia, Nigeria, Republic of Moldova, Panama, Senegal, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Zambia and Zimbabwe (A/59/492).

Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/59/492 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/59/SR.18 (19 Oct. 2004).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.74 (20 Dec. 2004).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution II in A/59/492 (originally A/C.3/59/L.18/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 59/148.

YOUTH (Agenda item 94a) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/148 Policies and programmes involving youth : 10th anniversary of the World Programme of Action for Youth to the Year 2000 and Beyond.

Decides to convene, at its 60th session, 2 plenary meetings of the General Assembly devoted to the evaluation of the progress made in the implementation of the World Programme of Action for Youth to the Year 2000 and Beyond, to be held during the general debate of the 3rd Committee under the agenda item entitled "Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family"; decides also to hold, prior to the plenary meetings, an informal, interactive round-table discussion on the theme "Young people: making commitments matter"; decides further that one youth representative from a Member State shall orally present a summary of the informal round-table discussion to the General Assembly at the beginning of the plenary meeting; decides to facilitate access to UN Headquarters by the non-governmental organizations that were accredited to the World Conference of Ministers Responsible for Youth in 1998 and interested non-governmental organizations that are neither in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council nor were accredited to the World Conference to participate in the informal round-table discussions and side events to be held during the 10th anniversary of the World Programme of Action; decides that the arrangements outlined in paragraph 5 above shall in no way create a precedent for other similar events. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 20 Dec. 2004)

ZIMBABWE–HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–ZIMBABWE

ZONE OF PEACE–ANDEAN REGION (Agenda item 161)

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/59/L.20 Andean Zone of Peace : draft resolution / Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela.

A/59/L.20/Rev.1 Andean Zone of Peace : revised draft resolution / Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Discussion in plenary

A/59/PV.65 (2 Dec. 2004).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution **A/59/L.20/Rev.1**, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 59/54.

ZONE OF PEACE–ANDEAN REGION (Agenda item 161) (continued)

Resolutions

A/RES/59/54 Andean Zone of Peace.

Welcomes with satisfaction the Declaration of San Francisco de Quito on the Establishment and Development of the Andean Zone of Peace, which establishes the geographical area comprising the territories, airspace and waters under the sovereignty and jurisdiction of the States members of the Andean Community as the Andean Zone of Peace, to be pursued in accordance with the Treaty for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America and the Caribbean (Treaty of Tlatelolco) and other international conventions on the matter; calls upon all States to support the States that comprise the Andean Community in promoting the principles and purposes provided for by the Declaration of San Francisco de Quito; encourages the States members of the Andean Community to make every effort to ensure the early fulfilment of the commitments arising from the Declaration of San Francisco de Quito. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2004)

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 A/59/521
 A/59/522
 A/59/523
 A/59/524 + Add.1
 A/59/525 + Rev.1
 A/59/526 + Add.1
 A/59/527 + Add.1
 A/59/528 + Add.1
 A/59/529 + Add.1
 A/59/530 + Add.1
 A/59/531 + Add.1
 A/59/532 + Add.1
 A/59/533 (S/2004/860)
 A/59/534 + Add.1-2
 A/59/534/Add.3 + Corr.1

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A/59/534/Add.4
 A/59/535 (S/2004/866)
 A/59/536 *symbol not used*
 A/59/537 (S/2004/868)
 A/59/538
 A/59/539
 A/59/540
 A/59/541 (S/2004/873)
 A/59/542
 A/59/543
 A/59/544
 A/59/545
 A/59/546
 A/59/547
 A/59/548 (S/2004/880)
 A/59/549
 A/59/550
 A/59/551
 A/59/552
 A/59/553 + Corr.1
 A/59/554
 A/59/555
 A/59/556
 A/59/557
 A/59/558
 A/59/559 (S/2004/890)
 A/59/560
 A/59/561
 A/59/562
 A/59/563
 A/59/564 (S/2004/893)
 A/59/565 + Corr.1
 A/59/566
 A/59/567
 A/59/568
 A/59/569
 A/59/569/Add.1 + Corr.1
 A/59/569/Add.2-4
 A/59/570
 A/59/571 (S/2004/906)
 A/59/572
 A/59/573
 A/59/574 (S/2004/909)
 A/59/575 (S/2004/911)
 A/59/576 (S/2004/913)
 A/59/577 (S/2004/922)
 A/59/578 + Add.1
 A/59/579
 A/59/580 (S/2004/926)
 A/59/581 (S/2004/925)
 A/59/582
 A/59/583 + Add.1
 A/59/584
 A/59/585
 A/59/586
 A/59/587
 A/59/588 + Add.1
 A/59/589 (S/2004/940)
 A/59/590
 A/59/591
 A/59/592

General series

A/59/593
 A/59/594 (S/2004/954)
 A/59/595 (S/2004/956)
 A/59/596 (S/2004/957)
 A/59/597
 A/59/598
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 A/59/602
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 A/59/604
 A/59/605
 A/59/606
 A/59/607
 A/59/608 + Corr.1
 A/59/609
 A/59/610
 A/59/611 (S/2004/971)
 A/59/612
 A/59/613
 A/59/614
 A/59/615
 A/59/616
 A/59/617 + Add.1
 A/59/618
 A/59/619
 A/59/620
 A/59/621
 A/59/622
 A/59/623 + Corr.1
 A/59/624
 A/59/625
 A/59/626
 A/59/627 (S/2004/980)
 A/59/628
 A/59/629
 A/59/630
 A/59/631
 A/59/632
 A/59/633
 A/59/634
 A/59/635 + Corr.1
 A/59/636 + Corr.1
 A/59/637
 A/59/638
 A/59/639
 A/59/640
 A/59/641
 A/59/642
 A/59/643 *symbol not used*
 A/59/644
 A/59/645 *symbol not used*
 A/59/646
 A/59/647 + Add.1
 A/59/648
 A/59/649
 A/59/650
 A/59/651
 A/59/652 + Add.1-3
 A/59/653 + Corr.1-2

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General series

A/59/654
 A/59/655
 A/59/656 + Add.1
 A/59/657
 A/59/658 (S/2004/1021)
 A/59/659 (S/2004/1027)
 A/59/660
 A/59/661
 A/59/662
 A/59/663 (S/2005/5)
 A/59/664 (S/2005/7)
 A/59/665 (S/2005/8)
 A/59/666 (S/2005/9)
 A/59/667 (S/2005/14)
 A/59/668 + Add.1-16
 A/59/669
 A/59/670 (S/2005/23)
 A/59/671 (S/2005/24)
 A/59/672 (S/2005/25)
 A/59/673 (S/2005/26)
 A/59/674
 A/59/675
 A/59/676
 A/59/677 (S/2005/39)
 A/59/678 (S/2005/40)
 A/59/679 (S/2005/41)
 A/59/680
 A/59/681
 A/59/682 (S/2005/50)
 A/59/683 (S/2005/51)
 A/59/684 (S/2005/52)
 A/59/685 *symbol not used*
 A/59/686 (S/2005/58)
 A/59/687
 A/59/688
 A/59/689 (S/2005/64)
 A/59/690
 A/59/691
 A/59/692
 A/59/693
 A/59/694
 A/59/695 (S/2005/72)
 A/59/696 (S/2005/75)
 A/59/697
 A/59/698 + Add.1
 A/59/699 (S/2005/85)
 A/59/700
 A/59/701
 A/59/702
 A/59/703
 A/59/704
 A/59/705
 A/59/706
 A/59/707
 A/59/708
 A/59/709 (S/2005/102)
 A/59/710
 A/59/711 (S/2005/105)
 A/59/712 (S/2005/106)
 A/59/713 (S/2005/125)
 A/59/714 + Add.1

General series

A/59/715
 A/59/716
 A/59/717 (S/2005/130)
 A/59/718
 A/59/719 (E/2005/12)
 A/59/720 + Corr.1 (S/2005/132 + Corr.1)
 A/59/721 + Add.1
 A/59/722
 A/59/723
 A/59/724
 A/59/725
 A/59/726 (S/2005/143)
 A/59/727
 A/59/728
 A/59/729 (S/2005/145)
 A/59/730
 A/59/731 (S/2005/148)
 A/59/732 (S/2005/150)
 A/59/733 (S/2005/155)
 A/59/734
 A/59/735
 A/59/736 + Add.1-17
 A/59/737 (S/2005/168)
 A/59/738
 A/59/739 (S/2005/170)
 A/59/740 (S/2005/171)
 A/59/741 (S/2005/172)
 A/59/742 (S/2005/182)
 A/59/743 (S/2005/184)
 A/59/744 (S/2005/183)
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 A/59/747 (S/2005/187)
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 A/59/749
 A/59/750
 A/59/751
 A/59/752
 A/59/753
 A/59/754 (S/2005/197)
 A/59/755 (S/2005/205)
 A/59/756 + Corr.1-2
 A/59/757 (S/2005/208)
 A/59/758 + Corr.1
 A/59/759
 A/59/760 (S/2005/214)
 A/59/761 (S/2005/215)
 A/59/762
 A/59/763
 A/59/764
 A/59/765
 A/59/766
 A/59/766/Corr.1 (A)
 A/59/766/Corr.2 (C)
 A/59/766/Corr.3 (R)
 A/59/766/Corr.4 (S)
 A/59/767
 A/59/768
 A/59/769 (S/2005/212)
 A/59/770 + Add.1
 A/59/771 + Add.1

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 A/59/773
 A/59/774
 A/59/775 (S/2005/238)
 A/59/776
 A/59/777 (S/2005/234)
 A/59/778 (S/2005/242)
 A/59/779
 A/59/780
 A/59/781 (S/2005/250)
 A/59/782
 A/59/783 (S/2005/252)
 A/59/784
 A/59/785
 A/59/786
 A/59/787
 A/59/788
 A/59/789
 A/59/790
 A/59/791
 A/59/792 (S/2005/271)
 A/59/793
 A/59/794
 A/59/795
 A/59/796
 A/59/797
 A/59/798
 A/59/799 (S/2005/304)
 A/59/800
 A/59/801
 A/59/802 (S/2005/312)
 A/59/803 (S/2005/314)
 A/59/804 (S/2005/319)
 A/59/805 (S/2005/327)
 A/59/806
 A/59/807
 A/59/808 (S/2005/330)
 A/59/809 (S/2005/338)
 A/59/810 (S/2005/339)
 A/59/811
 A/59/812 (S/2005/341)
 A/59/813 (S/2005/342)
 A/59/814
 A/59/815 (S/2005/349)
 A/59/816 (S/2005/350)
 A/59/817
 A/59/818
 A/59/819 (S/2005/352)
 A/59/820 (S/2005/355)
 A/59/821 (S/2005/358)
 A/59/822
 A/59/823 (E/2005/69)
 A/59/824 (S/2005/363)
 A/59/825
 A/59/826
 A/59/827 (S/2005/369)
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 A/59/829 (S/2005/375)
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 A/59/834
 A/59/835
 A/59/836
 A/59/837
 A/59/838
 A/59/839
 A/59/840
 A/59/841
 A/59/842
 A/59/843
 A/59/844
 A/59/845 (S/2005/386)
 A/59/846 (S/2005/387)
 A/59/847 (E/2005/73)
 A/59/848 (S/2005/389)
 A/59/849 (S/2005/394)
 A/59/850
 A/59/851 (S/2005/397)
 A/59/852
 A/59/853
 A/59/854 (S/2005/410)
 A/59/855
 A/59/856
 A/59/857 (S/2005/422)
 A/59/858 (S/2005/423)
 A/59/859 (S/2005/424)
 A/59/860 + Add.1
 A/59/861
 A/59/862 (S/2005/426)
 A/59/863 (S/2005/427)
 A/59/864
 A/59/865 (S/2005/435)
 A/59/866 (S/2005/439)
 A/59/867
 A/59/868
 A/59/869
 A/59/870 (S/2005/452)
 A/59/871
 A/59/872
 A/59/873 (S/2005/457)
 A/59/874 + Add.1
 A/59/875
 A/59/876
 A/59/877
 A/59/878
 A/59/879
 A/59/880
 A/59/881
 A/59/882 (S/2005/488)
 A/59/883
 A/59/884 (S/2005/522)
 A/59/885 (S/2005/496)
 A/59/886
 A/59/887 + Add.1
 A/59/888
 A/59/889
 A/59/890
 A/59/891
 A/59/892 (S/2005/510)
 A/59/893 (S/2005/526)

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General series

A/59/894
A/59/895 (S/2005/527)
A/59/896
A/59/897 (S/2005/531)
A/59/898
A/59/899 (S/2005/527)
A/59/900
A/59/901 (S/2005/542)
A/59/902 (S/2005/546)
A/59/903 (S/2005/547)
A/59/904 (S/2005/548)
A/59/905 (S/2005/552)
A/59/906 (S/2005/538)
A/59/907 (S/2005/565)
A/59/908
A/59/909
A/59/910
A/59/911 (S/2005/568)
A/59/912
A/59/2005 + Add.1-3

Information series

A/INF/59/1
A/INF/59/2
A/INF/59/3 + Rev.1-2
A/INF/59/4 + Add.1
A/INF/59/5

Limited series

A/59/L.1 + Add.1
A/59/L.2
A/59/L.3 + Add.1
A/59/L.4 + Add.1
A/59/L.5 + Rev.1
A/59/L.5/Rev.2 + Add.1
A/59/L.6 + Add.1
A/59/L.7 + Add.1
A/59/L.8 + Add.1
A/59/L.9 + Add.1
A/59/L.10
A/59/L.11 + Add.1
A/59/L.12 + Add.1
A/59/L.13
A/59/L.14
A/59/L.15 + Rev.1 + Add.1
A/59/L.16 + Rev.1
A/59/L.17 + Rev.1 + Add.1
A/59/L.18 + Add.1
A/59/L.19 + Add.1
A/59/L.20 + Rev.1
A/59/L.21 + Add.1
A/59/L.22 + Add.1
A/59/L.23 + Add.1
A/59/L.24 + Add.1
A/59/L.25 + Add.1
A/59/L.26 + Rev.1 + Add.1

Limited series

A/59/L.27 + Rev.1 + Add.1
A/59/L.28 + Rev.1-2
A/59/L.29 + Add.1
A/59/L.30 + Add.1
A/59/L.31 + Add.1
A/59/L.32
A/59/L.33 + Rev.1 + Add.1
A/59/L.34 + Add.1
A/59/L.35 + Add.1
A/59/L.36 + Add.1
A/59/L.37 + Add.1
A/59/L.38 + Add.1
A/59/L.39
A/59/L.40 + Add.1
A/59/L.41 + Rev.1 + Add.1
A/59/L.42 + Add.1
A/59/L.43 + Add.1
A/59/L.44 + Add.1
A/59/L.45 + Add.1
A/59/L.46 + Add.1
A/59/L.47 + Add.1
A/59/L.48 + Add.1
A/59/L.49 + Add.1
A/59/L.50 + Rev.1 + Add.1
A/59/L.51 + Add.1
A/59/L.52
A/59/L.53
A/59/L.54 + Add.1
A/59/L.55
A/59/L.56 + Add.1
A/59/L.57 + Add.1
A/59/L.58 + Add.1
A/59/L.59
A/59/L.60
A/59/L.61
A/59/L.62 + Add.1
A/59/L.63 + Add.1
A/59/L.64
A/59/L.65 + Add.1
A/59/L.66 + Add.1
A/59/L.67
A/59/L.68
A/59/L.69 + Rev.1
A/59/L.70

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A/59/PV.1-6
A/59/PV.7 + Corr.1 (E,R)
A/59/PV.8-75
A/59/PV.76 + Corr.1 (E)
A/59/PV.77-85
A/59/PV.86 + Corr.1 (A,C,E,S)
A/59/PV.87-112
A/59/PV.113 + Corr.1 (E)
A/59/PV.114
A/59/PV.115

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GENERAL COMMITTEE

General series

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Summary records

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DISARMAMENT AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY COMMITTEE (FIRST COMMITTEE)

General series

A/C.1/59/1
A/C.1/59/2
A/C.1/59/3 + Add.1
A/C.1/59/4

Information series

A/C.1/59/INF/1 + Add.1
A/C.1/59/INF/2 + Add.1-8
A/C.1/59/INF/3

Limited series

A/C.1/59/L.1
A/C.1/59/L.2 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.3
A/C.1/59/L.4 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.5
A/C.1/59/L.6 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.7
A/C.1/59/L.8
A/C.1/59/L.9
A/C.1/59/L.10

DISARMAMENT AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY COMMITTEE (FIRST COMMITTEE) (continued)

Limited series

A/C.1/59/L.11
A/C.1/59/L.12
A/C.1/59/L.13
A/C.1/59/L.14
A/C.1/59/L.15
A/C.1/59/L.16
A/C.1/59/L.17 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.18
A/C.1/59/L.19 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.20
A/C.1/59/L.21 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.22
A/C.1/59/L.23
A/C.1/59/L.24
A/C.1/59/L.25 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.26 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.27 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.28
A/C.1/59/L.29
A/C.1/59/L.30
A/C.1/59/L.31
A/C.1/59/L.32
A/C.1/59/L.33
A/C.1/59/L.34
A/C.1/59/L.35
A/C.1/59/L.36
A/C.1/59/L.37
A/C.1/59/L.38
A/C.1/59/L.39
A/C.1/59/L.40 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.41
A/C.1/59/L.42
A/C.1/59/L.43 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.44
A/C.1/59/L.45 + Rev.1-2
A/C.1/59/L.46
A/C.1/59/L.47
A/C.1/59/L.48
A/C.1/59/L.49 + Rev.1-2
A/C.1/59/L.50
A/C.1/59/L.51
A/C.1/59/L.52
A/C.1/59/L.53 + Rev.1
A/C.1/59/L.54
A/C.1/59/L.55 + Rev.1-2
A/C.1/59/L.56
A/C.1/59/L.57
A/C.1/59/L.58
A/C.1/59/L.59
A/C.1/59/L.60

Verbatim records

A/C.1/59/PV.1-24

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General series

A/C.2/59/1
A/C.2/59/2
A/C.2/59/3
A/C.2/59/4
A/C.2/59/5

Information series

A/C.2/59/INF/1

Limited series

A/C.2/59/L.1 + Add.1 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.2
A/C.2/59/L.3
A/C.2/59/L.4
A/C.2/59/L.5
A/C.2/59/L.6
A/C.2/59/L.7
A/C.2/59/L.8
A/C.2/59/L.9
A/C.2/59/L.10
A/C.2/59/L.11
A/C.2/59/L.12
A/C.2/59/L.13
A/C.2/59/L.14
A/C.2/59/L.15
A/C.2/59/L.16
A/C.2/59/L.17
A/C.2/59/L.18
A/C.2/59/L.19
A/C.2/59/L.20
A/C.2/59/L.21
A/C.2/59/L.22
A/C.2/59/L.23
A/C.2/59/L.24
A/C.2/59/L.25 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.26 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.27
A/C.2/59/L.28
A/C.2/59/L.29
A/C.2/59/L.30
A/C.2/59/L.31
A/C.2/59/L.32
A/C.2/59/L.33
A/C.2/59/L.34
A/C.2/59/L.35 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.36 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.37 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.38
A/C.2/59/L.39 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.40 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.41
A/C.2/59/L.42
A/C.2/59/L.43

ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL COMMITTEE (SECOND COMMITTEE) (continued)

Limited series

A/C.2/59/L.44 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.45
A/C.2/59/L.46
A/C.2/59/L.47
A/C.2/59/L.48
A/C.2/59/L.49
A/C.2/59/L.50
A/C.2/59/L.51
A/C.2/59/L.52
A/C.2/59/L.53
A/C.2/59/L.54
A/C.2/59/L.55
A/C.2/59/L.56
A/C.2/59/L.57
A/C.2/59/L.58
A/C.2/59/L.59
A/C.2/59/L.60
A/C.2/59/L.61 + Rev.1
A/C.2/59/L.62
A/C.2/59/L.63
A/C.2/59/L.64
A/C.2/59/L.65
A/C.2/59/L.66
A/C.2/59/L.67
A/C.2/59/L.68
A/C.2/59/L.69
A/C.2/59/L.70
A/C.2/59/L.71
A/C.2/59/L.72

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SOCIAL, HUMANITARIAN AND CULTURAL COMMITTEE (THIRD COMMITTEE)

General series

A/C.3/59/1 + Add.1-2
A/C.3/59/2
A/C.3/59/3
A/C.3/59/4
A/C.3/59/5
A/C.3/59/6
A/C.3/59/7
A/C.3/59/8
A/C.3/59/9
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Information series

A/C.3/59/INF/1

Limited series

A/C.3/59/L.1 + Add.1 + Rev.1
A/C.3/59/L.2
A/C.3/59/L.3
A/C.3/59/L.4
A/C.3/59/L.5
A/C.3/59/L.6
A/C.3/59/L.7
A/C.3/59/L.8
A/C.3/59/L.9
A/C.3/59/L.10
A/C.3/59/L.11
A/C.3/59/L.12
A/C.3/59/L.13
A/C.3/59/L.14 + Rev.1
A/C.3/59/L.15 + Rev.1
A/C.3/59/L.16
A/C.3/59/L.17 + Rev.1
A/C.3/59/L.18 + Rev.1
A/C.3/59/L.19 + Rev.1
A/C.3/59/L.20
A/C.3/59/L.21
A/C.3/59/L.22 + Rev.1
A/C.3/59/L.23
A/C.3/59/L.24
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51	Observer status for the Economic Community of West African States in the General Assembly	65 / 2 Dec. 04	159	without vote
52	Observer status for the Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States in the General Assembly	65 / 2 Dec. 04	160	without vote
53	Observer status for the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation in the General Assembly	65 / 2 Dec. 04	162	without vote
54	Andean Zone of Peace	65 / 2 Dec. 04	161	without vote
55	Public administration and development	65 / 2 Dec. 04	12	without vote
56	Assistance to the Palestinian people	65 / 2 Dec. 04	39c	without vote
57	A fair globalization : creating opportunities for all - report of the World Commission on the Social Dimension of Globalization	65 / 2 Dec. 04	55	without vote
58	Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : United Nations advance team in the Sudan	66 / 3 Dec. 04	108	without vote
59	Maintenance of international security - good-neighbourliness, stability and development in South-Eastern Europe	66 / 3 Dec. 04	58	without vote
60	Verification in all its aspects, including the role of the United Nations in the field of verification	66 / 3 Dec. 04	59	without vote
61	Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security	66 / 3 Dec. 04	60	without vote
62	Role of science and technology in the context of international security and disarmament	66 / 3 Dec. 04	61	106-48-21
63	Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East	66 / 3 Dec. 04	62	without vote

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64	Conclusion of effective international arrangements to assure non-nuclear-weapon States against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons	66 / 3 Dec. 04	63	118-0-63
65	Prevention of an arms race in outer space	66 / 3 Dec. 04	64	178-0-4
66	National legislation on transfer of arms, military equipment and dual-use goods and technology	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65l	without vote
67	Missiles	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65g	119-4-60
68	Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65o	175-2-3
69	Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non-proliferation	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65n	125-9-49
70	Measures to uphold the authority of the 1925 Geneva Protocol	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65d	179-0-5
71	Convening of the 4th special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65dd	without vote
72	Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65u	without vote
73	Mongolia's international security and nuclear-weapon-free status	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65f	without vote
74	Assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and collecting them	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65y	without vote
75	Accelerating the implementation of nuclear disarmament commitments	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65t	151-6-24
76	A path to the total elimination of nuclear weapons	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65	165-3-16
77	Nuclear disarmament	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65x	117-43-21
78	Relationship between disarmament and development	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65e	180-2-2
79	Reducing nuclear danger	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65q	116-46-18
80	Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65r	without vote
81	The Conference on Disarmament decision (CD/1547) of 11 August 1998 to establish, under item 1 of its agenda entitled "Cessation of the nuclear arms race and nuclear disarmament", an ad hoc committee to negotiate, on the basis of the report of the Special Coordinator (CD/1299) and the mandate contained therein, a non-discriminatory, multilateral and internationally and effectively verifiable treaty banning the production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65	179-2-2
82	Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65cc	without vote
83	Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65p	132-29-24
84	Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65v	157-0-22
85	Nuclear-weapon-free southern hemisphere and adjacent areas	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65s	171-4-8
86	The illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65z	without vote
87	Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65m	without vote
88	Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65j	178-1-1
89	Regional disarmament	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65i	without vote
90	Prevention of the illicit transfer and unauthorized access to and use of man-portable air defence systems	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65	without vote
91	The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65	161-2-15
92	Information on confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65	without vote
93	United Nations study on disarmament and non-proliferation education	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65c	without vote
94	Bilateral strategic nuclear arms reductions and the new strategic framework	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65	without vote
95	Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the 1st Committee	66 / 3 Dec. 04	65k	without vote
96	Regional confidence-building measures : activities of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa	66 / 3 Dec. 04	66h	without vote
97	United Nations disarmament fellowship, training and advisory services	66 / 3 Dec. 04	66b	without vote
98	United Nations regional centres for peace and disarmament	66 / 3 Dec. 04	66f	without vote

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99	United Nations Regional Centre for Peace, Disarmament and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean	66 / 3 Dec. 04	66c	without vote
100	United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific	66 / 3 Dec. 04	66e	without vote
101	United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa	66 / 3 Dec. 04	66d	without vote
102	Convention on the Prohibition of the Use of Nuclear Weapons	66 / 3 Dec. 04	66g	125-48-12
103	United Nations Disarmament Information Programme	66 / 3 Dec. 04	66a	without vote
104	Report of the Conference on Disarmament	66 / 3 Dec. 04	67c	without vote
105	Report of the Disarmament Commission	66 / 3 Dec. 04	67d	without vote
106	The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East	66 / 3 Dec. 04	68	170-5-9
107	Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects	66 / 3 Dec. 04	69	without vote
108	Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region	66 / 3 Dec. 04	70	without vote
109	Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty	66 / 3 Dec. 04	71	177-2-4
110	Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction	66 / 3 Dec. 04	72	without vote
111	Celebrating the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family	67 / 6 Dec. 04	94a	without vote
112A-B	Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan and the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security	69 / 8 Dec. 04	27 39d	without vote
112[A]	The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security	69 / 8 Dec. 04	27	without vote
112[B]	Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan	69 / 8 Dec. 04	39d	without vote
113A	World Programme for Human Rights Education	70 / 14 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
113B	World Programme for Human Rights Education	113 / 14 July 05	105b	without vote
114	Effects of atomic radiation	71 / 10 Dec. 04	73	without vote
115	Application of the concept of the "launching State"	71 / 10 Dec. 04	74	without vote
116	International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space	71 / 10 Dec. 04	74	without vote
117	Assistance to Palestine refugees	71 / 10 Dec. 04	75	167-1-11
118	Persons displaced as a result of the June 1967 and subsequent hostilities	71 / 10 Dec. 04	75	162-6-9
119	Operations of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East	71 / 10 Dec. 04	75	163-6-7
120	Palestine refugees' properties and their revenues	71 / 10 Dec. 04	75	161-6-9
121	Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories	71 / 10 Dec. 04	76	84-9-80
122	Applicability of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 August 1949, to the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the other occupied Arab territories	71 / 10 Dec. 04	76	160-7-11
123	Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem and the Occupied Syrian Golan	71 / 10 Dec. 04	76	155-8-15
124	Israeli practices affecting the human rights of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem	71 / 10 Dec. 04	76	149-7-22
125	The occupied Syrian Golan	71 / 10 Dec. 04	76	160-2-15
126A-B	Questions relating to information	71 / 10 Dec. 04	78	without vote
126[A]	Information in the service of humanity	71 / 10 Dec. 04	78	without vote
126[B]	United Nations public information policies and activities	71 / 10 Dec. 04	78	without vote
127	Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations	71 / 10 Dec. 04	79	172-0-6
128	Economic and other activities which affect the interests of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories	71 / 10 Dec. 04	80	173-3-3
129	Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations	71 / 10 Dec. 04	81	121-0-57
130	Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories	71 / 10 Dec. 04	82	without vote

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131	Question of Western Sahara			
132	Question of New Caledonia	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	50-0-100
133	Question of Tokelau	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134A-B	Questions of American Samoa, Anguilla, Bermuda, the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Guam, Montserrat, Pitcairn, Saint Helena, the Turks and Caicos Islands and the United States Virgin Islands	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[A]	General			
134[B]	Individual territories	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-I]	American Samoa	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-II]	Anguilla	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-III]	Bermuda	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-IV]	British Virgin Islands	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-V]	Cayman Islands	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-VI]	Guam	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-VII]	Montserrat	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-VIII]	Pitcairn	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-IX]	Saint Helena	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-X]	Turks and Caicos Islands	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
134[B-XI]	United States Virgin Islands	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	without vote
135	Dissemination of information on decolonization	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	170-3-1
136	Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples	71 / 10 Dec. 04	20	167-2-4
137	Assistance to survivors of the 1994 genocide in Rwanda, particularly orphans, widows and victims of sexual violence	71 / 10 Dec. 04	39a	without vote
138	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Caribbean Community	71 / 10 Dec. 04	56e	without vote
139	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe	71 / 10 Dec. 04	56f	without vote
140	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Southern African Development Community	72 / 15 Dec. 04	56s	without vote
141	Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations	72 / 15 Dec. 04	39a	without vote
142	Promotion of religious and cultural understanding, harmony and cooperation	72 / 15 Dec. 04	35	without vote
143	International Decade for a Culture of Peace and Non-Violence for the Children of the World, 2001-2010	72 / 15 Dec. 04	35	without vote
144	The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict : breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution to prevention and settlement of conflicts	72 / 15 Dec. 04	21	without vote
145	Modalities, format and organization of the High-Level Plenary Meeting of the 60th session of the General Assembly	73 / 17 Dec. 04	45 55	without vote
146	Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the 24th special session of the General Assembly	74 / 20 Dec. 04	93	without vote
147	Celebration of the 10th anniversary of the International Year of the Family and beyond	74 / 20 Dec. 04	94a	without vote
148	Policies and programmes involving youth : 10th anniversary of the World Programme of Action for Youth to the Year 2000 and Beyond	74 / 20 Dec. 04	94a	without vote
149	United Nations Literacy Decade : education for all	74 / 20 Dec. 04	94b	without vote
150	Follow-up to the 2nd World Assembly on Ageing	74 / 20 Dec. 04	95	without vote
151	Preparations for the 11th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice	74 / 20 Dec. 04	96	without vote
152	Assistance to least developed countries to ensure their participation in the sessions of the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice and the sessions of conferences of States parties	74 / 20 Dec. 04	96	without vote
153	Strengthening international cooperation and technical assistance in promoting the implementation of the universal conventions and protocols related to terrorism within the framework of the activities of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime	74 / 20 Dec. 04	96	without vote
154	International cooperation in the prevention, combating and elimination of kidnapping and in providing assistance to victims	74 / 20 Dec. 04	96	without vote
155	Action against corruption : assistance to States in capacity-building with a view to facilitating the entry into force and subsequent implementation of the United Nations Convention against Corruption	74 / 20 Dec. 04	96	without vote

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156	Preventing, combating and punishing trafficking in human organs	74 / 20 Dec. 04	96	without vote
157	International cooperation in the fight against transnational organized crime : assistance to States in capacity-building with a view to facilitating the implementation of the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the Protocols thereto	74 / 20 Dec. 04	96	without vote
158	United Nations African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders	74 / 20 Dec. 04	96	without vote
159	Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity	74 / 20 Dec. 04	96	without vote
160	Control of cultivation of and trafficking in cannabis	74 / 20 Dec. 04	97	without vote
161	Providing support to the Government of Afghanistan in its efforts to eliminate illicit opium and foster stability and security in the region	74 / 20 Dec. 04	97	without vote
162	Follow-up on strengthening the systems of control over chemical precursors and preventing their diversion and trafficking	74 / 20 Dec. 04	97	without vote
163	International cooperation against the world drug problem	74 / 20 Dec. 04	97	without vote
164	Improvement of the status of women in the United Nations System	74 / 20 Dec. 04	98	without vote
165	Working towards the elimination of crimes against women and girls committed in the name of honour	74 / 20 Dec. 04	98	without vote
166	Trafficking in women and girls	74 / 20 Dec. 04	98	without vote
167	Elimination of all forms of violence against women, including crimes identified in the outcome document of the 23rd special session of the General Assembly, entitled "Women 2000 : gender equality, development and peace for the 21st century"	74 / 20 Dec. 04	99	without vote
168	Follow-up to the 4th World Conference on Women and full implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome of the 23rd special session of the General Assembly	74 / 20 Dec. 04	99	without vote
169	Enlargement of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	74 / 20 Dec. 04	100	without vote
170	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	74 / 20 Dec. 04	100	without vote
171	New international humanitarian order	74 / 20 Dec. 04	100	without vote
172	Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa	74 / 20 Dec. 04	100	without vote
173	The situation of and assistance to Palestinian children	74 / 20 Dec. 04	101	117-5-62
174	Second International Decade of the World's Indigenous People	74 / 20 Dec. 04	102	without vote
175	Measures to be taken against political platforms and activities based on doctrines of superiority and violent nationalist ideologies which are based on racial discrimination or ethnic exclusiveness and xenophobia, including neo-Nazism	74 / 20 Dec. 04	103 103a	without vote
176	International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination	74 / 20 Dec. 04	103 103a	without vote
177	Global efforts for the total elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance and the comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action	74 / 20 Dec. 04	103	183-3-2
178	Use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination	74 / 20 Dec. 04	104	129-46-13
179	The right of the Palestinian people to self-determination	74 / 20 Dec. 04	104	179-5-3
180	Universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination	74 / 20 Dec. 04	104	without vote
181	Equitable geographical distribution in the membership of the human rights treaty bodies	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105a	128-52-4
182	Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105a	without vote
183	Subregional Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Central Africa	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
184	Globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of all human rights	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	129-53-4
185	The right to development	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	181-2-4
186	Human rights and extreme poverty	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
187	Enhancement of international cooperation in the field of human rights	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
188	Human rights and unilateral coercive measures	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	132-53-0
189	Missing persons	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
190	Strengthening United Nations action in the field of human rights through the promotion of international cooperation and the importance of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote

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191	Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
192	Declaration on the Right and Responsibility of Individuals, Groups and Organs of Society to Promote and Protect Universally Recognized Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
193	Promotion of a democratic and equitable international order	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	125-55-6
194	Protection of migrants	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
195	Human rights and terrorism	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	127-50-8
196	Regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
197	Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	142-0-43
198	Ad Hoc Committee on a Comprehensive and Integral International Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Rights and Dignity of Persons with Disabilities	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
199	Elimination of all forms of religious intolerance	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	186-0-0
200	Question of enforced or involuntary disappearances	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	without vote
201	Enhancing the role of regional, subregional and other organizations and arrangements in promoting and consolidating democracy	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	172-0-15
202	The right to food	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	182-3-0
203	Respect for the right to universal freedom of travel and the vital importance of family reunification	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	122-3-61
204	Respect for the purposes and principles contained in the Charter of the United Nations to achieve international cooperation in promoting and encouraging respect for human rights and for fundamental freedoms and in solving international problems of a humanitarian character	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105b	118-55-13
205	Situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105c	71-54-55
206	Situation of human rights in Turkmenistan	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105c	69-47-63
207	Situation of human rights in the Democratic Republic of the Congo	74 / 20 Dec. 04	105c	76-2-100
208	Credentials of representatives to the 59th session of the General Assembly	74 / 20 Dec. 04	3b	without vote
209	Smooth transition strategy for countries graduating from the list of least developed countries	74 / 20 Dec. 04	12	without vote
210	Report of the Committee for Development Policy on its 6th session	74 / 20 Dec. 04	12	without vote
211	Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations Personnel	74 / 20 Dec. 04	39	without vote
212	International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development	74 / 20 Dec. 04	39a	without vote
213	Cooperation between the United Nations and the African Union	74 / 20 Dec. 04	56a	without vote
214	Assistance to Mozambique	75 / 22 Dec. 04	39b	without vote
215	Humanitarian and special economic assistance to Serbia and Montenegro	75 / 22 Dec. 04	39b	without vote
216	International assistance for the economic rehabilitation of Angola	75 / 22 Dec. 04	39b	without vote
217	Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for Ethiopia	75 / 22 Dec. 04	39b	without vote
218	Assistance for humanitarian relief and the economic and social rehabilitation of Somalia	75 / 22 Dec. 04	39b	without vote
219	Assistance for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of Liberia	75 / 22 Dec. 04	39b	without vote
220	World Summit on the Information Society	75 / 22 Dec. 04	44	without vote
221	International trade and development	75 / 22 Dec. 04	83a	166-2-6
222	International financial system and development	75 / 22 Dec. 04	83b	without vote
223	External debt crisis and development	75 / 22 Dec. 04	83c	without vote
224	Commodities	75 / 22 Dec. 04	83d	without vote
225	Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the International Conference on Financing for Development	75 / 22 Dec. 04	84	without vote
226	Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its 8th special session	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85	without vote
227	Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85a	without vote
228	Activities undertaken during the International Year of Freshwater, 2003, preparations for the International Decade for Action, "Water for Life", 2005-2015, and further efforts to achieve the sustainable development of water resources	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85a	without vote
229	Further implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85b	without vote

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230	Promoting an integrated management approach to the Caribbean Sea area in the context of sustainable development	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85b	without vote
231	International Strategy for Disaster Reduction	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85c	without vote
232	International cooperation to reduce the impact of the El Niño phenomenon	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85c	without vote
233	Natural disasters and vulnerability	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85c	without vote
234	Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85d	without vote
235	Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85e	without vote
236	Convention on Biological Diversity	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85f	without vote
237	United Nations Decade of Education for Sustainable Development	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85g	without vote
238	Rendering assistance to poor mountain countries to overcome obstacles in socio-economic and ecological areas	75 / 22 Dec. 04	85h	without vote
239	Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)	75 / 22 Dec. 04	86	without vote
240	Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence	75 / 22 Dec. 04	87a	without vote
241	International migration and development	75 / 22 Dec. 04	87b	without vote
242	Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets to the countries of origin	75 / 22 Dec. 04	87c	without vote
243	Integration of the economies in transition into the world economy	75 / 22 Dec. 04	87e	without vote
244	Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries	75 / 22 Dec. 04	88a	without vote
245	Specific actions related to the particular needs and problems of landlocked developing countries : outcome of the International Ministerial Conference on Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation	75 / 22 Dec. 04	88b	without vote
246	Role of microcredit and microfinance in the eradication of poverty	75 / 22 Dec. 04	89a	without vote
247	Implementation of the 1st United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (1997-2006)	75 / 22 Dec. 04	89a	without vote
248	World Survey on the role of women in development	75 / 22 Dec. 04	89b	without vote
249	Industrial development cooperation	75 / 22 Dec. 04	89c	without vote
250	Triennial comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development of the United Nations System	75 / 22 Dec. 04	90b	without vote
251	Permanent sovereignty of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and of the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan over their natural resources	75 / 22 Dec. 04	91	156-5-11
252	United Nations Institute for Training and Research	75 / 22 Dec. 04	92a	without vote
253	United Nations University	75 / 22 Dec. 04	92b	without vote
254	New Partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support	76 / 23 Dec. 04	38a	without vote
255	Implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Secretary-General on the causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa	76 / 23 Dec. 04	38b	without vote
256	2001-2010 : Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa	76 / 23 Dec. 04	46	without vote
257	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of American States	76 / 23 Dec. 04	56o	without vote
258	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Latin American Economic System	76 / 23 Dec. 04	56k	without vote
259	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization	76 / 23 Dec. 04	56d	without vote
260	Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women	76 / 23 Dec. 04	98	125-10-30
261	Rights of the child	76 / 23 Dec. 04	101	166-2-1
262	International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families	76 / 23 Dec. 04	105a	without vote
263	Situation of human rights in Myanmar	76 / 23 Dec. 04	105c	without vote

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264A	Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors	76 / 23 Dec. 04	106 106a 106b 106c 106d 106e 106f 106g 106h 106i 106j 106k 106l 106m 106n	without vote
264B	Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors	104 / 22 June 05	106	without vote
265	Pattern of conferences	76 / 23 Dec. 04	112	without vote
266	Human resources management	76 / 23 Dec. 04	114	without vote
267	Reports of the Joint Inspection Unit	76 / 23 Dec. 04	115	without vote
268	United Nations common system : report of the International Civil Service Commission	76 / 23 Dec. 04	116	without vote
269	United Nations pension system	76 / 23 Dec. 04	117	without vote
270	Reports of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services	76 / 23 Dec. 04	118	without vote
271	Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services	76 / 23 Dec. 04	118	without vote
272	Review of the implementation of General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244	76 / 23 Dec. 04	119	without vote
273	Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994	76 / 23 Dec. 04	121	without vote
274	Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991	76 / 23 Dec. 04	122	without vote
275	Programme planning	76 / 23 Dec. 04	109	without vote
276	Questions relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005	76 / 23 Dec. 04	108	without vote
277A-C	Programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005	76 / 23 Dec. 05	108	without vote
277[A]	Revised budget appropriations for the biennium 2004-2005	76 / 23 Dec. 05	108	without vote
277[B]	Revised income estimates for the biennium 2004-2005	76 / 23 Dec. 05	108	without vote
277[C]	Financing of the appropriations for the year 2005	76 / 23 Dec. 05	108	without vote
278	Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2006-2007	76 / 23 Dec. 04	107	without vote
279	Strengthening emergency relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction and prevention in the aftermath of the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster	79 / 19 Jan. 05	39	without vote
280	United Nations Declaration on Human Cloning	82 / 8 Mar. 05	150	84-34-37
281	Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects	84 / 29 Mar. 05	77	without vote
282	Special subjects relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005	91 / 13 Apr. 05	108	without vote
283	Administration of justice at the United Nations	91 / 13 Apr. 05	108 120	without vote
284A	Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus	91 / 13 Apr. 05	126	without vote
284B	Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus	104 / 22 June 05	126	without vote
285A	Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo	91 / 13 Apr. 05	127	without vote
285B	Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo	104 / 22 June 05	127	without vote
286A	Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo	91 / 13 Apr. 05	133	without vote
286B	Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo	104 / 22 June 05	133	without vote
287	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on strengthening the investigation functions in the United Nations	91 / 13 Apr. 05	107	without vote
288	Procurement reform	91 / 13 Apr. 05	107	without vote

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289	Outsourcing practices	91 / 13 Apr. 05	107	without vote
290	International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism	91 / 13 Apr. 05	148	without vote
291	Preparation for and organization of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly	92 / 15 Apr. 05	45 55	without vote
292	Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan	93 / 21 Apr. 05	164	without vote
293	Modalities for the High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development	98 / 27 May 05	84	without vote
294	Special subjects and questions relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2004-2005	104 / 22 June 05	108	without vote
295	Capital master plan	104 / 22 June 05	108 106n	without vote
296	Administrative and budgetary aspects for the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : cross-cutting issues	104 / 22 June 05	123	without vote
297	Peacekeeping Reserve Fund	104 / 22 June 05	123	without vote
298	Reformed procedures for determining reimbursement to Member States for contingent-owned equipment	104 / 22 June 05	123	without vote
299	Financing of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy	104 / 22 June 05	123	without vote
300	Comprehensive review on a strategy to eliminate future sexual exploitation and abuse in United Nations peacekeeping operations	104 / 22 June 05	77	without vote
301	Support account for peacekeeping operations	104 / 22 June 05	123	without vote
302	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina	104 / 22 June 05	125	without vote
303	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea	104 / 22 June 05	130	without vote
304	Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia	104 / 22 June 05	131	without vote
305	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Liberia	104 / 22 June 05	134	without vote
306	Financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force	104 / 22 June 05	135a	without vote
307	Financing of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon	104 / 22 June 05	135b	126-2-1
308	Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara	104 / 22 June 05	137	without vote
309	Multilingualism	104 / 22 June 05	156	without vote
310	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Community of Central African States	113 / 14 July 05	56g	without vote
311	International Meeting to Review Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States	113 / 14 July 05	85b	without vote
312	Requests for exemption under Article 19 of the United Nations Charter	113 / 14 July 05	113	without vote
313	A strengthened and revitalized General Assembly	117 / 12 Sept. 05	52	without vote
314	Draft outcome document of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly of September 2005	118 / 13 Sept. 05	45 55	without vote

VOTING CHART OF RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY RECORDED OR ROLL-CALL VOTE

This chart gives votes as transmitted to the UNBIS database from the electronic voting machine in the General Assembly Hall during the fifty-ninth session.

Voting is given only for those resolutions and decisions which were adopted in plenary by recorded or roll-call vote. The following symbols are used to indicate how each State voted.

Y voted YES

N voted NO

A ABSTAINED

The chart does not indicate corrections subsequently submitted. For this information consult the verbatim records of the plenary meetings.

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Afghanistan	Y	Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Albania		Y			A	A	Y	Y	A	A	N	A	Y	A
Algeria		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Andorra		Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Angola		Y	Y					Y			Y	Y	Y	Y
Antigua and Barbuda		Y		Y							Y	Y	Y	Y
Argentina	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	A
Armenia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	A
Australia		Y		Y	N	N	A	N	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Austria	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Azerbaijan	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	A
Bahamas		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bahrain	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bangladesh	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Barbados		Y				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Belarus		Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Belgium		Y		Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Belize		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Benin		Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bhutan		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bolivia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Botswana	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y
Brazil	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Brunei Darussalam	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bulgaria	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Burkina Faso		Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Burundi		Y			A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cambodia		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cameroon		Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	A	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Canada		Y	Y	Y	N	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Cape Verde		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Central African Republic	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Chad														
Chile	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
China	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Colombia	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Comoros		Y									Y	Y	Y	Y
Congo	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y
Costa Rica		Y		Y	A	A	Y	Y	N	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Côte d'Ivoire		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Croatia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Cuba	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cyprus	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Czech Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Dem People's Rep of Korea		Y	N		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dem Republic of the Congo		Y	Y	Y										
Denmark	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A

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Djibouti		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dominica		Y			Y		Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Dominican Republic		Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ecuador		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Egypt		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
El Salvador	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Equatorial Guinea	Y	Y									Y	Y	Y	Y
Eritrea		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Estonia	Y	Y			A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Ethiopia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Fiji		Y		Y	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	A
Finland	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
France		Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Gabon		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Gambia		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Georgia	Y	Y		Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A				A
Germany		Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Ghana		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Greece	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Grenada		Y				N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guatemala	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guinea	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Guinea-Bissau	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guyana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Haiti		Y			A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Honduras		Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Hungary	Y	Y	Y		A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Iceland	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
India	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Indonesia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Iran (Islamic Republic)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Iraq				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Ireland	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Israel	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	A	N
Italy	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Jamaica		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Japan	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	A
Jordan		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kazakhstan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Kenya	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kiribati		Y												
Kuwait	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kyrgyzstan		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Lao People's Dem Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Latvia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A			Y	A
Lebanon	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lesotho		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Liberia		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Liechtenstein	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Lithuania	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Luxembourg		Y	Y		A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Madagascar	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Malawi		Y										Y	Y	Y
Malaysia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Maldives		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mali		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Malta		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Marshall Islands	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	A	Y	Y
Mauritania		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y				
Mauritius	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mexico	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Micronesia (Fed States)		A		Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	Y	N
Monaco	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Mongolia	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Morocco	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mozambique	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Myanmar	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Namibia	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nauru		Y		Y	A	N	N	A	A	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Nepal		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Netherlands	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
New Zealand	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	Y
Nicaragua	Y		Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Niger		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Nigeria	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Norway	Y	Y	Y		A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Oman	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Pakistan		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Palau		N		Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	A	N	
Panama		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Papua New Guinea		Y			A	A	A	A	Y				Y	
Paraguay		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Peru	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Philippines	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Poland	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Portugal	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Qatar		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Republic of Korea	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Republic of Moldova	Y	Y		Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Romania	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Russian Federation	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Rwanda		Y									Y	Y	Y	Y
St. Kitts and Nevis		Y									Y	Y	Y	
St. Lucia		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
St. Vincent & Grenadines	Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A

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Samoa		Y		Y	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	Y	Y	A
San Marino	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Sao Tome and Principe		Y									Y	Y	Y	Y
Saudi Arabia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Senegal	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Serbia and Montenegro	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Seychelles		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sierra Leone		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Singapore		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Slovakia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Slovenia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Solomon Islands		Y		Y	A	A	A	A	A			A	Y	Y
Somalia		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
South Africa		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Spain	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Sri Lanka	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sudan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Suriname	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Swaziland	Y	Y	Y						Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Sweden	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Switzerland		Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Syrian Arab Republic	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tajikistan		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Thailand	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
The FYR Macedonia		Y		Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
Timor-Leste	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Togo		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tonga		Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Trinidad and Tobago	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tunisia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Turkey	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A	Y	A
Turkmenistan		Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tuvalu		Y		Y							Y	A	Y	A
Uganda		Y		Y	A	A	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ukraine	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y
United Arab Emirates	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
United Kingdom	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	A
United Rep of Tanzania	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
United States	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	A	N
Uruguay	Y	Y		Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	A
Uzbekistan					Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	A
Vanuatu			Y		A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	Y	
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Viet Nam	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Yemen	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Zambia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Zimbabwe	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Afghanistan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Albania	Y	N	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Algeria	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Andorra	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Angola	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Antigua and Barbuda	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Argentina	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Armenia	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Australia	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Austria	Y	A	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Azerbaijan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Bahamas	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bahrain	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Bangladesh	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Barbados	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Belarus	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Belgium	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Belize	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Benin	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bhutan	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y
Bolivia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Botswana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Brazil	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Brunei Darussalam	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bulgaria	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Burkina Faso	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Burundi	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cambodia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cameroon	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Canada		A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cape Verde	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Central African Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Chad														
Chile	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
China	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Colombia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Comoros	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Congo	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Costa Rica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Côte d'Ivoire	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Croatia	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cuba	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y		A
Cyprus	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Czech Republic		A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dem People's Rep of Korea	Y	Y	Y		A	Y	Y	Y		Y		Y		
Dem Republic of the Congo														
Denmark	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Djibouti	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Dominica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dominican Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ecuador	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Egypt	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	N
El Salvador	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Equatorial Guinea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Eritrea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Estonia	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ethiopia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Fiji	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Finland	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
France	A	A	Y	N	Y	N	A	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y
Gabon	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Gambia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Georgia	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Germany	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ghana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Greece	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Grenada	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guatemala	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guinea														
Guinea-Bissau	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guyana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Haiti	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Honduras	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Hungary	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Iceland	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
India	Y	Y	Y	A	N	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	N	A
Indonesia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Iran (Islamic Republic)	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	N
Iraq		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		
Ireland	Y	A	Y	Y	A	A	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Israel	A	N	A	N	A	N	A	A	N	A	N	A	Y	Y
Italy	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jamaica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Japan	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jordan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kazakhstan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Kenya	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kiribati														
Kuwait	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Kyrgyzstan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y

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Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Liechtenstein	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lithuania	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Luxembourg	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Madagascar	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Malawi	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Malaysia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Maldives	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mali	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Malta	Y	A	Y	Y	A	A	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Marshall Islands	Y	N	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Mauritania														
Mauritius	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Mexico	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Micronesia (Fed States)	Y	N	A	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	A	A	Y	Y
Monaco	Y	A	Y		Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y		Y	Y
Mongolia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Morocco	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mozambique	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Myanmar	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Namibia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nauru	Y	A	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Nepal	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Netherlands	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
New Zealand	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nicaragua	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Niger	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nigeria	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Norway	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Oman	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Pakistan	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	A
Palau	N	N	A	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	N	Y	Y
Panama	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Papua New Guinea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Paraguay	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Peru	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Philippines	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Poland	Y	N	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Portugal	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Qatar	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Republic of Korea	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Republic of Moldova	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Romania	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Russian Federation	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	A	A	Y	Y
Rwanda	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
St. Kitts and Nevis														Y
St. Lucia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
St. Vincent & Grenadines	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Samoa		Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
San Marino		Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sao Tome and Principe		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Saudi Arabia		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	
Senegal		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Serbia and Montenegro		Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Seychelles		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sierra Leone		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Singapore		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Slovakia		Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Slovenia		Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Solomon Islands		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Somalia		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
South Africa		Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Spain		Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y
Sri Lanka		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sudan		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Suriname		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Swaziland		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sweden		Y	A	Y	Y	A	A	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Switzerland		Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Syrian Arab Republic		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	A
Tajikistan		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Thailand		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
The FYR Macedonia		Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Timor-Leste		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Togo		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tonga		Y		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Trinidad and Tobago		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y
Tunisia		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Turkey		Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Turkmenistan		Y	Y	Y								Y	Y	Y	Y
Tuvalu		Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Uganda		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ukraine		Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
United Arab Emirates		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
United Kingdom		A	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	A	N	Y	N	Y	Y
United Rep of Tanzania		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
United States		N	N	A	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	N	Y	Y
Uruguay		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Uzbekistan		Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Vanuatu		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Viet Nam		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y		
Yemen		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Zambia		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Zimbabwe		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

A/R/ES/59/-	106	117	119	121	123	125	128
	102	109	118	120	122	124	127
Afghanistan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Albania	N	Y	Y		A	A	Y
Algeria	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Andorra	N	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Angola	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y
Antigua and Barbuda	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Argentina	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Armenia	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Australia	N	A	Y	Y	N	N	Y
Austria	N	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Azerbaijan	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bahamas	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Bahrain	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bangladesh	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Barbados	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Belarus	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Belgium	N	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Belize	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Benin	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bhutan	Y	Y	Y				
Bolivia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bosnia and Herzegovina	N	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Botswana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Brazil	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Brunei Darussalam	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bulgaria	N	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Burkina Faso	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Burundi	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Cambodia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cameroon	Y	A	Y	A	A	A	Y
Canada	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
Cape Verde	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Central African Republic	Y	Y	Y				Y
Chad							
Chile	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
China	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Colombia	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Comoros	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Congo	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Costa Rica	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Côte d'Ivoire	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Croatia	N	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Cuba	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cyprus	N	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Czech Republic	N	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Dem People's Rep of Korea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dem Republic of the Congo							Y
Denmark	N	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y

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		102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128
Djibouti	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Dominica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Dominican Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Ecuador	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Egypt	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
El Salvador	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Equatorial Guinea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Eritrea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Estonia	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Ethiopia	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Fiji	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Finland	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
France	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Gabon	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Gambia	Y	Y	Y																									
Georgia	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Germany	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Ghana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Greece	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Grenada	Y	Y	Y	A	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	
Guatemala	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Guinea				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Guinea-Bissau	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Guyana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Haiti	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	
Honduras	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	
Hungary	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Iceland	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
India	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Indonesia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Iran (Islamic Republic)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Iraq	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Ireland	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Israel	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	
Italy	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Jamaica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Japan	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Jordan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Kazakhstan	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Kenya	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Kinbati																												
Kuwait	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Kyrgyzstan	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Lao People's Dem Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Latvia	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Lebanon	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Lesotho	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Liberia	Y	Y	Y																									

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Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Liechtenstein	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lithuania	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Luxembourg	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Madagascar	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Malawi	Y	Y	Y											
Malaysia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Maldives	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mali	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Malta	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Marshall Islands	Y	N	Y	A	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	Y	Y
Mauritania				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mauritius	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mexico	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Micronesia (Fed States)	N	N	Y	A	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	A	
Monaco	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y		
Mongolia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Morocco	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mozambique	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Myanmar	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Namibia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nauru	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	A	N	A	N	N	A	Y	Y
Nepal	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Netherlands	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
New Zealand	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nicaragua	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Niger	Y	Y	Y											
Nigeria	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Norway	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Oman	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Pakistan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Palau	N	N	N	A	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	N
Panama	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Papua New Guinea	Y	A	Y	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Paraguay	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Peru	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Philippines	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Poland	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Portugal	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Qatar	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Republic of Korea	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Republic of Moldova	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Romania	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Russian Federation	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rwanda	Y		Y										Y	Y
St. Kitts and Nevis														
St. Lucia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
St. Vincent & Grenadines	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Samoa	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
San Marino	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sao Tome and Principe	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Saudi Arabia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Senegal	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Serbia and Montenegro	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Seychelles	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sierra Leone	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Singapore	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Slovakia	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Slovenia	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Solomon Islands	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	A		Y	Y
Somalia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
South Africa	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Spain	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sri Lanka	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sudan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Suriname	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Swaziland	Y	Y	Y						Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sweden	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Switzerland	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Syrian Arab Republic	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tajikistan	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Thailand	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
The FYR Macedonia	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Timor-Leste	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Togo	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tonga	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	A	A	Y	Y
Trinidad and Tobago	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tunisia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Turkey	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Turkmenistan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tuvalu	Y	Y	Y	A	A		A	A	A	A	A	A	Y	Y
Uganda	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Ukraine	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
United Arab Emirates	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
United Kingdom	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
United Rep of Tanzania	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
United States	N	N	N	A	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	A	A	N
Uruguay	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Uzbekistan	A	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	A	Y		
Vanuatu	Y	A	Y	A	A		A	A	A	A	A	A	Y	Y
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Viet Nam	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Yemen	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Zambia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Zimbabwe	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Afghanistan	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			
Albania	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Algeria	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Andorra	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Angola	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Antigua and Barbuda	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Argentina	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Armenia	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Australia	A	A	Y	Y	A	A	A	N	N	A	N	N	N	N
Austria	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Azerbaijan	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bahamas	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bahrain	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bangladesh	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Barbados	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Belarus	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Belgium	A	A	Y	A	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Belize	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Benin	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bhutan					Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bolivia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bosnia and Herzegovina	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Botswana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Brazil	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y	A
Brunei Darussalam	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bulgaria	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Burkina Faso	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Burundi	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cambodia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cameroon	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Canada	A	A	Y	Y	A	A	N	Y	N	N	A	N	N	N
Cape Verde	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Central African Republic	Y	A	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Chad					Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Chile	Y	A		Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A	A	Y	Y	N	A
China	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Colombia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Comoros	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Congo	Y		Y	Y										
Costa Rica	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Côte d'Ivoire	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Croatia	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Cuba	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cyprus	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Czech Republic	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Dem People's Rep of Korea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dem Republic of the Congo	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Denmark	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N

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Djibouti	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dominica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dominican Republic		A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ecuador	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Egypt	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
El Salvador	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Equatorial Guinea	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Eritrea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Estonia	A	A	Y	A	N	N	N	N
Ethiopia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Fiji	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Finland	A	A	Y	A	N	N	N	N
France	A	A	A	A	N	N	N	N
Gabon	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Gambia				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Georgia	A		Y	A	N	N	N	N
Germany	A	A	Y	A	N	N	N	N
Ghana	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Greece	A	A	Y	A	N	N	N	N
Grenada	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guatemala	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guinea	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guinea-Bissau	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Guyana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Haiti	A	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Honduras	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Hungary	A	A	Y	A	N	N	N	N
Iceland	A	A	Y	A	N	N	N	N
India	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Indonesia	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Iran (Islamic Republic)	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Iraq				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ireland	A	A	Y	A	N	N	N	N
Israel	A	A	N	A	N	N	N	N
Italy	A		Y	A	N	N	N	N
Jamaica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Japan	A	A	Y	A	N	N	A	N
Jordan	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kazakhstan	A		Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Kenya	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kiribati								
Kuwait	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Kyrgyzstan	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lao People's Dem Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Latvia	A	A	Y	A	N	N	N	N
Lebanon	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lesotho	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Liberia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Liechtenstein	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Lithuania	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Luxembourg	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Madagascar	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Malawi				Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Malaysia	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Maldives	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mali	Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Malta	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Marshall Islands	Y	A	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N
Mauritania	Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mauritius	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mexico	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Micronesia (Fed States)	A			N	Y	N	N	N
Monaco	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Mongolia	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Morocco	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mozambique	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Myanmar	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Namibia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nauru	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A
Nepal	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Netherlands	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
New Zealand	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Nicaragua	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Niger				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nigeria	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Norway	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Oman	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Pakistan	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Palau	A	A		N	N	N	N	N
Panama	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Papua New Guinea	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Paraguay	Y		Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Peru	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	A
Philippines	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Poland	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Portugal	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Qatar	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Republic of Korea	A		Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Republic of Moldova	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Romania	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N
Russian Federation	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rwanda		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
St. Kitts and Nevis								
St. Lucia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
St. Vincent & Grenadines	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

A/RES/59/-	129	131	135	136	173	177	178	179	181	184	185	188	193	195
Samoa	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
San Marino	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Sao Tome and Principe	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Saudi Arabia	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Senegal	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Serbia and Montenegro	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Seychelles	Y			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y		Y	Y
Sierra Leone	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Singapore	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y
Slovakia	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Slovenia	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Solomon Islands	Y		Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Somalia	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
South Africa	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Spain	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Sri Lanka	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sudan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Suriname	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Swaziland			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y
Sweden	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	A	N	N	N
Switzerland	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
Syrian Arab Republic	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Tajikistan	A		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Thailand	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
The FYR Macedonia	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N
Timor-Leste	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Togo	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tonga	Y				A	Y	A			Y	Y	Y		Y
Trinidad and Tobago	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tunisia	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Turkey	A	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y
Turkmenistan				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tuvalu	Y		Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Uganda	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ukraine	A	A	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	A	N	Y	N	N	Y
United Arab Emirates	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
United Kingdom	A	A	N	N	A	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N
United Rep of Tanzania	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
United States	A	A	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Uruguay	Y	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Uzbekistan					Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vanuatu	Y		Y		A	Y	A	A		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Viet Nam	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Yemen	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Zambia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Zimbabwe	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Afghanistan	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y	Y		Y
Albania	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	A
Algeria	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y
Andorra	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Angola	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Antigua and Barbuda	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Argentina	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y	Y
Armenia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y
Australia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	A	N
Austria	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Azerbaijan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y
Bahamas	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Bahrain	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y
Bangladesh	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y
Barbados	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Belarus	A	Y	A	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y
Belgium	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	A
Belize	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Benin	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Bhutan	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	A		Y
Bolivia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Botswana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Brazil	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A	Y	Y
Brunei Darussalam	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	N	N	A	Y
Bulgaria	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	A
Burkina Faso	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Burundi	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Cambodia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Cameroon	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Canada	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	A	Y
Cape Verde	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Central African Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Chad		Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A		Y
Chile	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
China	A	Y	A	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y
Colombia	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Comoros	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y
Congo									Y	Y
Costa Rica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Côte d'Ivoire	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Croatia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	A
Cuba	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y
Cyprus	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Czech Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	A
Dem People's Rep of Korea	A	Y	A		Y	Y	N	N	A	Y
Dem Republic of the Congo	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A	A		Y
Denmark	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	N

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Djibouti	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A	A	Y
Dominica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Dominican Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Ecuador	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Egypt	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y
El Salvador	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Equatorial Guinea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	
Eritrea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Estonia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ethiopia	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Fiji	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Finland	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	N
France	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Gabon	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		A	Y	Y
Gambia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N		Y
Georgia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N		Y	Y	Y
Germany	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ghana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Greece	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Grenada	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Guatemala	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Guinea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A	A	Y
Guinea-Bissau	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y	Y
Guyana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Haiti	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Honduras	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Hungary	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Iceland	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
India	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y
Indonesia	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y
Iran (Islamic Republic)	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y
Iraq	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N		Y	Y
Ireland	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Israel	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	A	N
Italy	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jamaica	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Japan	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	A	Y
Jordan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A	Y	Y
Kazakhstan	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N		Y
Kenya	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Kiribati							Y			
Kuwait	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y
Kyrgyzstan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	
Lao People's Dem Republic	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Latvia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lebanon	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y
Lesotho	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y
Liberia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A	Y

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Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	A	Y	A	Y	Y	N	N
Liechtenstein	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Lithuania	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Luxembourg	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Madagascar	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Malawi	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	Y
Malaysia	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	N
Maldives	A	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	N
Mali	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Malta	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Marshall Islands	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Mauritania	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Mauritius	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Mexico	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Micronesia (Fed States)	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Monaco	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Mongolia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y
Morocco	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Mozambique	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Myanmar	A	Y	A	Y	Y	N	N
Namibia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Nauru	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y
Nepal	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N
Netherlands	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
New Zealand	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Nicaragua	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Niger	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Nigeria	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Norway	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Oman	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Pakistan	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Palau	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
Panama	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Papua New Guinea	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Paraguay	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y
Peru	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Philippines	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Poland	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Portugal	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Qatar	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Republic of Korea	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Republic of Moldova	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Romania	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Russian Federation	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A
Rwanda	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
St. Kitts and Nevis							
St. Lucia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
St. Vincent & Grenadines	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A

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Samoa	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
San Marino	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Sao Tome and Principe	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Saudi Arabia	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A
Senegal	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A
Serbia and Montenegro	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Seychelles	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sierra Leone	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Singapore	A	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A
Slovakia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Slovenia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Solomon Islands	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	Y
Somalia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
South Africa	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A
Spain	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Sri Lanka	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A
Sudan	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A
Suriname	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Swaziland	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Sweden	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Switzerland	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Syrian Arab Republic	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N
Tajikistan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Thailand	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A	A
The FYR Macedonia	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
Timor-Leste	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Togo	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	A
Tonga					Y	A	Y
Trinidad and Tobago	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Tunisia	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Turkey	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Turkmenistan	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N
Tuvalu	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	Y
Uganda	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Ukraine	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	N
United Arab Emirates	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	A
United Kingdom	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N	Y
United Rep of Tanzania	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
United States	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Uruguay	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	A
Uzbekistan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A	N
Vanuatu					Y	Y	A
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N
Viet Nam	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N
Yemen	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Zambia	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Zimbabwe	A	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	N

Afghanistan	Y
Albania	
Algeria	Y
Andorra	Y
Angola	
Antigua and Barbuda	Y
Argentina	Y
Armenia	Y
Australia	
Austria	Y
Azerbaijan	Y
Bahamas	Y
Bahrain	Y
Bangladesh	Y
Barbados	Y
Belarus	Y
Belgium	Y
Belize	Y
Benin	
Bhutan	
Bolivia	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	
Botswana	Y
Brazil	Y
Brunei Darussalam	Y
Bulgaria	Y
Burkina Faso	Y
Burundi	
Cambodia	Y
Cameroon	
Canada	Y
Cape Verde	Y
Central African Republic	
Chad	
Chile	Y
China	Y
Colombia	Y
Comoros	
Congo	Y
Costa Rica	Y
Côte d'Ivoire	
Croatia	Y
Cuba	Y
Cyprus	Y
Czech Republic	Y
Dem People's Rep of Korea	
Dem Republic of the Congo	
Denmark	Y

Djibouti	Y
Dominica	
Dominican Republic	Y
Ecuador	Y
Egypt	Y
El Salvador	
Equatorial Guinea	
Eritrea	
Estonia	Y
Ethiopia	
Fiji	
Finland	Y
France	Y
Gabon	Y
Gambia	
Georgia	
Germany	Y
Ghana	Y
Greece	Y
Grenada	
Guatemala	Y
Guinea	Y
Guinea-Bissau	
Guyana	Y
Haiti	
Honduras	
Hungary	Y
Iceland	Y
India	Y
Indonesia	Y
Iran (Islamic Republic)	
Iraq	
Ireland	Y
Israel	N
Italy	Y
Jamaica	
Japan	Y
Jordan	Y
Kazakhstan	Y
Kenya	
Kiribati	
Kuwait	Y
Kyrgyzstan	
Lao People's Dem Republic	
Latvia	Y
Lebanon	Y
Lesotho	Y
Liberia	

Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Y
Liechtenstein	
Lithuania	Y
Luxembourg	Y
Madagascar	Y
Malawi	Y
Malaysia	Y
Maldives	Y
Mali	Y
Malta	Y
Marshall Islands	
Mauritania	Y
Mauritius	
Mexico	Y
Micronesia (Fed States)	
Monaco	Y
Mongolia	
Morocco	Y
Mozambique	
Myanmar	
Namibia	Y
Nauru	
Nepal	Y
Netherlands	Y
New Zealand	Y
Nicaragua	Y
Niger	Y
Nigeria	Y
Norway	Y
Oman	Y
Pakistan	Y
Palau	
Panama	Y
Papua New Guinea	
Paraguay	Y
Peru	Y
Philippines	
Poland	
Portugal	Y
Qatar	Y
Republic of Korea	Y
Republic of Moldova	Y
Romania	Y
Russian Federation	Y
Rwanda	Y
St. Kitts and Nevis	
St. Lucia	
St. Vincent & Grenadines	

Samoa	
San Marino	Y
Sao Tome and Principe	
Saudi Arabia	Y
Senegal	Y
Serbia and Montenegro	Y
Seychelles	
Sierra Leone	Y
Singapore	Y
Slovakia	Y
Slovenia	Y
Solomon Islands	
Somalia	Y
South Africa	Y
Spain	Y
Sri Lanka	Y
Sudan	Y
Suriname	
Swaziland	
Sweden	Y
Switzerland	Y
Syrian Arab Republic	Y
Tajikistan	Y
Thailand	Y
The FYR Macedonia	
Timor-Leste	Y
Togo	
Tonga	A
Trinidad and To bago	Y
Tunisia	Y
Turkey	Y
Turkmenistan	
Tuvalu	
Uganda	Y
Ukraine	Y
United Arab Emirates	Y
United Kingdom	Y
United Rep of Tanzania	Y
United States	N
Uruguay	Y
Uzbekistan	
Vanuatu	
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	Y
Viet Nam	Y
Yemen	Y
Zambia	Y
Zimbabwe	Y