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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 sixty-third 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 (Subject Index) 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 sixty-third 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 sixty-third session, indicating the number and title of each resolution, the meeting number and date, the agenda item number, and the vote where appropriate;

Decisions adopted during the sixty-third session, indicating the number and subject of each decision, the agenda item number, meeting number and date, and plenary/committee (adopted without reference to a Main Committee/adopted on the report of the Main Committee);

Voting chart of resolutions adopted by recorded or rollcall 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/63/34 is the thirty-fourth in the series of main documents of the sixty-third session; A/INF/63/3 is the third in the information series; A/C.5/63/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 sixty-third session, the symbols A/63/1 to A/63/55 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 sixty-third session of the General Assembly bears the symbol A/63/PV.1, while the summary record of the fifteenth meeting of the Third Committee bears the symbol A/C.3/63/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 S/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 sixty-third 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
DHL	Dag Hammarskjöld Library
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	Official Records of the Economic and Social Council
ESCWA	Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
GAOR	Official Records of the General Assembly
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 Organization
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

MINURSO	United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara
MINUSTAH	United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti
MONUC	United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
ΝΑΤΟ	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
Para., Paras.	Paragraph(s)
PLO	Palestine Liberation Organization
POLISARIO	Frente Popular para la Liberación de Saguía el Hamra y Río de Oro
Rev.	Revision
Sess.	Session
Suppl.	Supplement
UN	United Nations
UNAIDS	Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS
UNAMET	United Nations Mission in East Timor
UNAMID	African Union/United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur
UNAMSIL	United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone
UNCITRAL	United Nations Commission on International Trade Law
UNCPUOS	United Nations Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space
UNCRD	United Nations Centre for Regional Disarmament
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
UNDCP	United Nations International Drug Control Programme
UNDOF	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
Unesco	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change

UNFICYP	United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UN-HABITAT	United Nations Human Settlement Programme
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
UNIFEM	United Nations Development Fund for Women
UNIFIL	United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon
UNITAR	United Nations Institute for Training and Research
United Kingdom	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
United States	United States of America
UNJSPF	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund
UNMEE	United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
UNMIK	United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
UNMIL	United Nations Mission in Liberia
UNMIS	United Nations Mission in the Sudan
UNMIT	United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste
UNOCI	United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire
UNOG	United Nations Office in Geneva
UNOMIG	United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia
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

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# SESSIONAL INFORMATION

The sixty-third session of the General Assembly was held at United Nations Headquarters in New York. The session was declared open on Tuesday, 16 September 2008 by the President, Miguel d'Escoto Brockmann (Nicaragua). It was declared closed on Monday, 14 September 2009.

A list of members of delegations to the session is contained in document ST/SG/SER.C/L.617.

#### **OFFICERS**

President: Miguel d'Escoto Brockmann (Nicaragua) was elected by acclamation at the 99<sup>th</sup> plenary meeting, 62<sup>th</sup> Sess

Vice-Presidents: Representatives of the following Member States were elected at the 100<sup>th</sup> plenary meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess.: Afghanistan, Bolivia, Cameroon, Egypt, Jamaica, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Mongolia, Myanmar, Namibia, Niger, Portugal, Rwanda, Solomon Islands, Spain and Togo.

#### **Credentials Committee**

Chairman: Charles Thembani Ntwaagae (Botswana) was elected unanimously at the 1<sup>st</sup> plenary meeting, 63<sup>rd</sup> session.

Members: Representatives of the following Member States were elected at the 1<sup>st</sup> plenary meeting, 63<sup>rd</sup>

session. : Botswana, China, Cyprus, Luxembourg, Mexico, Mozambique, the Russian Federation, Saint Kitts and Nevis, and the United States

#### General Committee

Chairman: Miguel d'Escoto Brockmann (Nicaragua) President of the General Assembly.

#### **Disarmament and International Security Committee** (First Committee)

Chairman: Marco Antonio Suazo (Honduras) was elected by acclamation at the  $26^{th}$  meeting,  $62^{nd}$  sess.

Vice-Chairmen: Martin Zvachula (Federated States of Micronesia), Ivan Mutavdzic (Croatia) and Miguel Graca (Portugal) were elected by acclamation at the 26<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess.

Rapporteur: Coly Seck (Senegal) was elected by acclamation at the 26<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess. Secretary: Jarmo Sareva.

#### **Special Political and Decolonization Committee** (Fourth Committee)

Chairman: Jorge Arguello (Argentina) was elected by acclamation at the 25<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess. Vice-Chairmen: Emr Elsherbini (Egypt) Alexandru Cujba (Republic of Moldova), Elmer Cato (Philippines) were elected by acclamation at the 25<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess.

Rapporteur: Paula Parviainen (Finland) was elected by acclamation at the 25<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess. Secretary: Saijin Zhang.

#### **Economic and Financial Committee** (Second Committee)

Chairman: Joy Ogwu (Nigeria) was elected by acclamation at the 36<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess.

- Vice-Chairmen: Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), Troy Torrington (Guyana), Martin Hoppe (Germany) were elected by acclamation at the 36<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess.
- Rapporteur: Awsan Al-Aud (Yemen) was elected by acclamation at the  $36^{\text{th}}$  meeting,  $62^{\text{nd}}$  sess. Secretary: Jennifer de Laurentis.

#### Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (Third Committee)

Chairman: Frank Majoor (Netherlands) was elected elected by acclamation at the 55<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess.

Vice-Chairmen: Divina Adioa Seanedzu (Ghana). Ara Margarian (Armenia), Julio Peralta (Paraguay) were elected by acclamation at the  $55^{th}$  meeting,  $62^{nd}$  ses sess. Rapporteur: Khalid Alwafi (Saudi Arabia) was

elected by acclamation at the 55<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess. Secretary: Moncef Khane.

#### Administrative and Budgetary Committee (Fifth Committee)

*Chairman:* Gábor Bródi (Hungary) was elected by acclamation at the  $47^{\text{th}}$  meeting,  $62^{\text{nd}}$  sess.

Vice-Chairmen: Olivio Fermin (Dominican Republic), Mohamed Yousif Ibrahim Abdelmannan (Sudan), Henric Rasbrant (Sweden) were elected by acclamation at the 47<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess.

Rapporteur: Patrick Chuasoto (Philippines) elected by acclamation at the 47<sup>st</sup> meeting, 62<sup>nd</sup> sess. Secretary: Movses Abelian.

#### Legal Committee (Sixth Committee)

Chairman: Hamid Al Bayati (Iraq) was elected by acclamation at the 29<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62nd sess.

Vice-Chairmen: El-Hadj Lamine (Algeria) Ana Cristina Rodríguez-Pineda (Guatemala) Scott Sheeran (New Zealand) were elected by acclamation at the at the 29<sup>th</sup> meeting, 62<sup>rd</sup> session. *Rapporteur:* Marko Rakove**c** (Slovenia)

was selected by acclamation at the 29th meeting, 62nd sess.

Secretary: Mahnoush Arsanjani.

#### 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 sixty-third session.

#### **RESOLUTIONS AND DECISIONS**

Resolutions and decisions of the sixty-third session are collected in document A/63/49 (GAOR,  $63^{\rm rd}$  sess., Suppl. No. 49).

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

Plenary (Symbol: A/63/PV.-)

Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>	Meeting Date, 2008	Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>
1	16 Sept.	37 3 Nov.	73	22 Dec.
2	19 Sept.	38 4 Nov.	74	23 Dec.
3	22 Sept.	39 6 Nov.		
4	22 Sept.	40 6 Nov.	Meeting	<u>Date, 2009</u>
5	23 Sept.	41 7 Nov.		
6	23 Sept.	42 10 Nov.	75	20 Feb.
7	24 Sept.	43 10 Nov.	76	2 Mar.
8	24 Sept.	44 11 Nov.	77	2 Mar.
9	25 Sept.	45 11 Nov.	78	31 Mar.
10	25 Sept.	46 12 Nov.	79	7 Apr.
11	26 Sept.	47 12 Nov.	80	22 Mar.
12	26 Sept.	48 13 Nov.	81	24 Mar.
13	27 Sept.	49 13 Nov.	82	8 May
14	27 Sept.	50 13 Nov.	83	12 May
15	29 Sept.	51 17 Nov.	84	26 May
16	29 Sept.	52 17 Nov.	85	3 June
17	2 Oct.	53 18 Nov.	86	10 June
18	2 Oct.	54 18 Nov.	87	10 June
19	3 Oct.	55 19 Nov.	88	16 June
20	6 Oct.	56 24 Nov.	89	16 June
21	6 Oct.	57 24 Nov.	90	17 June
22	8 Oct.	58 25 Nov.	91	29 June
23	9 Oct.	59 25 Nov.	92	29 June
24	13 Oct.	60 26 Nov.	93	30 June
25	13 Oct.	61 2 Dec.	94	6 July
26	15 Oct.	62 4 Dec.	95	9 July
27	15 Oct.	63 4 Dec.	96	21 July
28	17 Oct.	64 5 Dec.	97	23 July
29	20 Oct.	65 10 Dec.	98	24 July
30	22 Oct.	66 10 Dec.	99	24 July
31	27 Oct.	67 11 Dec.	100	28 July
32	27 Oct.	68 11 Dec.	101	28 July
33	29 Oct.	69 15 Dec.	102	31 July
34	30 Oct.	70 18 Dec.	103	11 Aug.
35	31 Oct.	71 18 Dec.	104	9 Sept.
36	3 Nov.	72 19 Dec.	105	14 Sept.

#### **Credentials Committee**

<u>Meeting</u>	<u>Date</u> , 2008
1	19 Dec.

#### **General Committee** (Symbol: A/BUR/63/SR.-)

Meeting	<u>Date</u> , <u>2008</u>
1	17 Sept.
2	17 Sept.
3	29 Oct.
	Date, 2009
4	18 Feb.
6	8 Sept.

# Disarmament and International Security Committee (First Committee) (Symbol: A/C.1/63/PV.-)

Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>	Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>	Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>
1	2 Oct.	8	14 Oct.	15	22 Oct.
2	6 Oct.	9	15 Oct.	16	23 Oct.
3	7 Oct.	10	16 Oct.	17	24 Oct.
4	8 Oct.	11	17 Oct.	18	27 Oct.
5	9 Oct.	12	20 Oct.	19	28 Oct.
6	9 Oct.	13	21 Oct.	20	29 Oct.
7	13 Oct.	14	21 Oct.	21	30 Oct.
				22	31 Oct.

# Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (Symbol: A/C.4/63/SR.-)

Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>	Meeting	<u>Date</u> , <u>2008</u>	Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>
1	2 Oct.	10	16 Oct.	18	28 Oct.
2	6 Oct.	11	17 Oct.	19	29 Oct.
3	7 Oct.	11	20 Oct.	20	30 Oct.
4	8 Oct.	(Resumption1)		21	4 Nov.
5	9 Oct.	12	20 Oct.	22	5 Nov.
6	10 Oct.	13	21 Oct.	23	6 Nov.
7	14 Oct.	14	22 Oct.	24	7 Nov.
8	14 Oct.	15	23 Oct.		
9	15 Oct.	16	24 Oct.		<u>Date, 2009</u>
		17	27 Oct.		
				25	4 May
				26	10 June

#### Economic and Financial Committee (Second Committee) (Symbol: A/C.2/63/SR.-)

Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>	Meeting	<u>Date</u> , <u>2008</u>	Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>
1	29 Sept.	12	20 Oct.	23	3 Nov.
2	6 Oct.	13	20 Oct.	24	4 Nov.
3	6 Oct.	14	22 Oct.	25	5 Nov.
4	7 Oct.	15	22 Oct.	26	5 Nov.
5	7 Oct.	16	23 Oct.	27	18 Nov.
6	8 Oct.	17	27 Oct.	28	20 Nov.
7	13 Oct.	18	27 Oct.	29	25 Nov.
8	13 Oct.	19	28 Oct.	30	26 Nov.
9	15 Oct.	20	28 Oct.	31	11 Dec.
10	15 Oct.	21	29 Oct.		
11	16 Oct.	22	29 Oct.		<u>Date</u> , 2 <u>009</u>
				32	10 June

#### Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (Third Committee) (Symbol: A/C.3/63/SR.-)

Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>	Meeting Date, 2008	Meeting	<u>Date</u> , <u>2008</u>
1	6 Oct.	19 21 Oct.	36	4 Nov.
2	6 Oct.	20 22 Oct.	37	5 Nov.
3	7 Oct.	21 22 Oct.	38	6 Nov.
4	7 Oct.	22 23 Oct.	39	11 Nov.
5	9 Oct.	23 24 Oct.	40	18 Nov.
6	9 Oct.	24 24 Oct.	41	18 Nov.
7	10 Oct.	25 24 Oct.	42	20 Nov.
8	11 Oct.	26 27 Oct.	43	20 Nov.
9	13 Oct.	27 27 Oct.	44	21 Nov.
10	14 Oct.	28 28 Oct.	45	21 Nov.
11	14 Oct.	29 28 Oct.	46	24 Nov.
12	15 Oct.	30 29 Oct.	47	24 Nov.
13	15 Oct.	31 30 Oct.	48	25 Nov.
14	16 Oct.	32 31 Oct.	49	26 Nov.
15	16 Oct.	33 3 Nov.		
16	17 Oct.	34 3 Nov.		Date, 2009
17	20 Oct.	35 4 Nov.		
18	21 Oct.		50	10 June

# Administrative and Budgetary Committee (Fifth Committee) (Symbol: A/C.5/63/SR.-)

Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>	Meeting Date, 2008	Meeting	<u>Date, 2009</u>
1	3 Oct.	20 24 Nov.	36	23 Mar.
2	6 Oct.	21 26 Nov.	37	24 Mar.
3	7 Oct.	22 4 Dec.	38	25 Mar
4	8 Oct.	23 15 Dec.	39	27 Mar
5	9 Oct.	24 16 Dec.	40	6 Apr.
6	14 Oct.	25 17 Dec.	41	11 May
7	15 Oct.	26 19 Dec.	42	13 May
8	16 Oct.	27 22 Dec.	43	14 May
9	21 Oct.	28 23 Dec.	44	15 May
10	22 Oct.		45	18 May
11	23 Oct.	<u>Date</u> , <u>2009</u>	46	20 May
12	27 Oct.		47	22 May
13	28 Oct.	29 2 Mar.	48	18 May
14	31 Oct.	30 4 Mar.	49	28 May
15	6 Nov.	31 9 Mar.	50	2 June
16	7 Nov.	32 12 Mar.	51	3 June
17	13 Nov.	33 13 Mar.	52	4 June
18	14 Nov.	34 17 Mar.	53	5 June
19	20 Nov.	35 19 Mar.	54	10 June
			55	25 June

# Legal Committee (Sixth Committee) (Symbol: A/C.6/63/SR.-)

Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>	Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>	Meeting	<u>Date, 2008</u>
1	6 Oct.	11	21 Oct.	21	31 Oct.
2	8 Oct.	12	22 Oct.	22	31 Oct.
3	8 Oct.	13	23 Oct.	23	3 Nov.
4	9 Oct.	14	24 Oct.	24	4 Nov.
5	10 Oct.	15	24 Oct.	25	5 Nov.
6	13 Oct.	16	27 Oct.	26	14 Nov.
7	13 Oct.	17	28 Oct.		
8	14 Oct.	18	29 Oct.		<u>Date, 2009</u>
9	20 Oct.	19	29 Oct.		
10	20 Oct.	20	30 Oct.	27	10 June

# PRINCIPAL ORGANS AND SUBSIDIARY BODIES TO WHICH MEMBERS WERE ELECTED OR APPOINTED DURING THE SIXTY-THIRD OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

#### Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

Members	Term of office
Abraszewski, Andrzej T. (Poland)	2007-2009
Afifi, Aicha (Morocco)	2009-2011
Archini, Renata (Italy)	2009-2011
Flores Callejas, Jorge (Honduras)	2008-2010
Hussain, Imtiaz (Pakistan)	2008-2010
losifov, Vladimir Alekseevitch	2009-2011
(Russian Federation)	
Kaji, Misako (Japan)	2008-2010
Kelapile, Collen V. (Botswana)	2007-2009
Kramer, Jerry (Canada)	2008-2010
Maddens, Peter (Belgium)	2008-2010
McLurg, Susan (United States)	2009-2011
Neil, Stafford (Jamaica)	2007-2009
Singh, Nagesh (India)	2008-2010
Tal, Mohammad Mustafa (Jordan)	2007-2009
Torres Lepori, Alejandro (Argentina)	2009-2011
Udo, Nonye (Nigeria)	2007-2009

#### Committee for Programme and Coordination

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Argentina	2009-2011
Armenia	2009-2011
Bangladesh	2008-2010
Belarus	2009-2011
Brazil	2009-2011
Central African Republic	2009-2011
China	2008-2010
Comoros	2007-2009
Cuba	2009-2011
France	2007-2009
Guinea	2009-2011
Haiti	2007-2009
India	2009-2011
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	2009-2011
Israel	2006-2008
Italy	2009-2011
Jamaica	2008-2010
Kazakhstan	2009-2011
Kenya	2008-2010
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	2008-2010
Niger	2008-2010
Nigeria	2009-2011
Pakistan	2009-2011
Republic of Korea	2008-2010

#### Committee for Programme and Coordination (continued)

Members	Term of office
Russian Federation	2007-2009
South Africa	2009-2011
Spain	2009-2011
Ukraine	2009-2011
Uruguay	2009-2011
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	2007-2009
Zimbabwe	2007-2009

#### **Committee on Conferences**

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Argentina	2008-2010
Austria	2008-2010
Belarus	2007-2009
China	2008-2010
Congo	2009-2011
France	2009-2011
Germany	2007-2009
Grenada	2007-2009
Honduras	2007-2009
Japan	2008-2010
Kenya	2008-2010
Malaysia	2009-2011
Mozambique	2009-2011
Nigeria	2007-2009
Philippines	2009-2011
Russian Federation	2009-2011
Senegal	2007-2009
Syrian Arab Republic	2007-2009
Tunisia	2008-2010
United States	2008-2010

#### **Committee on Contributions**

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Acakpo-Satchivi, Joseph (Benin) Akimoto, Kenshiro (Japan) Al-Mansour, Meshal (Kuwait) Bouheddou, Abdelmalek (Algeria) Dumitriu, Petru (Romania) Eckersley, Gordon(Australia) Greiver Del Hoyo, Bernardo (Uruguay)	2008-2010 2007-2009 2007-2009 2008-2010 2007-2009 2008-2010 2008-2010

#### Committee on Contributions (continued)

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Hermosillo Sosa, Luis Mariano (Mexico)	2008-2010
Humenny, Ihor V. (Ukraine)	2007-2009
Logutov, Vyacheslav Anatolievich (Russian Federation)	2009-2011
Mapitse, Gobona Susan (Botswana)	2007-2009
Moon, Richard (United Kingdom)	2009-2011
Park, Hae-yun (Republic of Korea)	2009-2011
Ramos, Eduardo Manuel da Fonseca Fernandes (Portugal)	2008-2010
Spratt, Lisa P. (United States)	2007-2009
Thomma, Thomas (Germany)	2009-2011
Williams, Courtney H. (Jamaica)	2009-2011
Wu, Gang (China)	2009-2011

#### **Committee on Information**

Members (The term of office is indefinite.)

Algeria
Angola
Antigua and Barbuda
Argentina
Armenia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Bangladesh
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Benin
Brazil
Bulgaria
Burkina Faso
Burundi
Cape Verde
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
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Ethiopia
Finland

France Gabon Georgia Germany Ghana Greece Guatemala Guinea Guyana Hungary Iceland India Indonesia Iran (Islamic Republic of) Ireland Israel Italy Jamaica Japan Jordan Kazakhstan Kenya Lebanon Liberia Libyan Arab Jamahiriya Luxembourg Madagascar Malta Mexico Monaco Mongolia Morocco Mozambique Nepal Netherlands Niger Nigeria Pakistan

# Committee on Information (continued)

Members (The term of office is indefinite.)

Peru Philippines Poland Portugal Qatar Republic of Korea Republic of Moldova Romania Russian Federation Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Saudi Arabia Senegal Singapore Slovakia Solomon Islands Somalia South Africa Spain Sri Lanka

Sudan Suriname Switzerland Syrian Arab Republic Thailand Togo Trinidad and Tobago Tunisia Turkey Ukraine United Kingdom United Republic of Tanzania United States Uruguay Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) Viet Nam Yemen Zambia Zimbabwe

#### **Economic and Social Council**

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Algeria	2007-2009
Barbados	2007-2009
Belarus	2007-2009
Bolivia	2007-2009
Brazil	2008-2010
Cameroon	2008-2010
Canada	2007-2009
Cape Verde	2007-2009
China	2008-2010
Congo	2008-2010
Cote d'Ivoire	2009-2011
El Salvador	2007-2009
Estonia	2009-2011
France	2009-2011
Germany	2009-2011
Greece	2009-2011
Guatemala	2009-2011
Guinea-Bissau	2009-2011
India	2009-2011
Indonesia	2007-2009
Iraq	2007-2009
Japan	2009-2011
Kazakhstan	2007-2009
Lichtenstein	2009-2011
Luxembourg	2007-2009
Malawi	2007-2009
Malaysia	2008-2010
Mauritius	2009-2011
Morocco	2009-2011
Mozambique	2008-2010

#### Economic and Social Council (continued)

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Namibia	2009-2011
Netherlands	2007-2009
New Zealand	2008-2010
Niger	2008-2010
Norway	2008-2010
Pakistan	2008-2010
Peru	2009-2011
Philippines	2007-2009
Poland	2008-2010
Portugal	2009-2011
Republic of Korea	2008-2010
Republic of Moldova	2008-2010
Romania	2007-2009
Russian Federation	2008-2010
Saint Kitts and Nevis	2009-2011
Saint Lucia	2008-2010
Saudi Arabia	2009-2011
Somalia	2007-2009
Sudan	2007-2009
Sweden	2008-2010
United Kingdom	2008-2010
United States	2007-2009
Uruguay	2008-2010
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	2009-2011

### Human Rights Council

Members	Term of office
Angola	2007-2010
Argentina	2008-2011
Bahrain	2009-2012
Bangladesh	2009-2012
Belgium	2007-2010
Bolivia	2007-2010
Bosnia and Herzegovina	2008-2011
Brazil	2008-2011
Burkina Faso	2008-2011
Cameroon	2009-2012
Chile	2009-2012
China	2009-2012
Cuba	2009-2012
Djibouti	2009-2011
Egypt	2008-2011
France	2008-2011
Gabon	2008-2011
Ghana	2008-2011
Hungary	2008-2012
India	2007-2010
Indonesia	2007-2010
Italy	2007-2010
Italy	2007-2010
Japan	2008-2011
Jordan	2009-2012
Kyrgyzstan	2009-2012
Madagascar	2007-2010
Mauritius	2009-2012
Mexico	2009-2012

### Human Rights Council (continued)

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Netherlands	2007-2010
Nicaragua	2007-2010
Nigeria	2009-2012
Norway	2009-2012
Pakistan	2008-2011
Philippines	2007-2010
Qatar	2007-2010
Republic of Korea	2008-2011
Russian Federation	2009-2012
Saudi Arabia	2009-2012
Senegal	2009-2012
Slovakia	2008-2011
Slovenia	2007-2010
South Africa	2007-2010
Ukraine	2008-2011
United Kingdom	2008-2011
United States	2009-2012
Uruguay	2009-2012
Zambia	2008-2011

#### International Civil Service Commission

Members	Term of office
Boateng, Daasebre Oti (Ghana) Bouayad-Agha, Fatih (Algeria)	2007-2010 2009-2012
Chowdhury, Shamsher M. (Bangladesh)	2009-2012
Endo, Minoru (Japan)	2006-2009
Gonzalez, Guillermo Enrique	2007-2010
(Argentina)	
Morozov, Vladimir (Russian Federation)	2009-2012
Myers, Lucretia (United States)	2006-2009
Rhodes, Kingston Papie (Sierra Leone)	2007-2010
Stockl, Wolfgang (Germany)	2007-2009
Szlazak, Anita (Canada)	2007-2010
Valenza, Gian Luigi (Italy)	2006-2009
Velloso, G. C. Paranhos (Brazil)	2006-2009
Wang, Xiaochu (China)	2009-2012
Wyzner, Eugeniusz (Poland)	2007-2010
Zahid, El Hassane (Morocco)	2009-2012

#### International Court of Justice

Members	Term of office
Abraham, Ronny (France) Al-Khasawneh, Awn Shawkat (Jordan)	2009-2018 2009-2018
Bennouna, Mohamed (Morocco)	2006-2015
Buergenthal, Thomas (United States)	2006-2015
Greenwood, Christopher (United Kingdom)	2009-2018
Keith, Kenneth (New Zealand)	2006-2015

# International Court of Justice (continued)

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Koroma, Abdul G. (Sierra Leone) Owada, Hisashi (Japan) Sepulveda Amor, Bernardo (Mexico) Shi, Jiuyong (China) Simma, Bruno (Germany) Skotnikov, Leonid (Russian	2003-2012 2003-2012 2006-2015 2003-2012 2003-2012 2006-2015
Federation) Tomka, Peter (Slovakia) Trindade, Antonio A. Cancado (Brazil) Yusuf, Abdulqawi Ahmed (Somalia)	2003-2012 2009-2018 2009-2018

#### 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

<u>Permanent judges</u>	Term of office
Agius, Carmel (Malta) Antonetti, Jean-Claude (France) Bonomy, Iain (United Kingdom) Flügge, Christoph (Germany) Kwon, O-Gon (Republic of Korea) Liu, Daqun, (China) Meron, Theodor (United States) Moloto, Bakone Meleme (South Africa)	2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010
Orie, Alphons Martinus Maria (Netherlands)	2005-2010
Parker, Kevin Horace (Australia) Pocar, Fausto (Italy) Robinson, Patrick Lipton (Jamaica) Shahabuddeen, Mohamed (Guyana) Schomburg, Wolfgang (Germany) Wijngaert, Christine Van den (Belgium)	2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2009 2005-2009 2005-2009
Ad Litem Judges	Term of office
Baird, Melville (Trinidad and Tobago) Bauduin, Frans (Netherlands) Chowhan, Ali Namaz (Pakistan) David, Pedro (Argentina) Gwaunza, Elizabeth (Zimbabwe) Hall, Burton (Bahamas) Harhoff, Frederik (Denmark) Hopfel, Frank (Austria) Kamenova, Tsvetana (Bulgaria) Kinis, Uldis (Latvia) Lahti, Raimo (Finland) Lattanzi, Flavia (Italy) Mindua, Antoine Kesia-Mbe (Democratic Republic of the Congo)	2005-2010 2005-2009 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2009 2005-2009 2005-2010 2005-2010 2005-2010

#### 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 (continued)

Ad Litem Judges	Term of office
Naboty, Jawdat (Syrian Arab Republic)	2005-2010
Nosworthy, Janet (Jamaica)	2005-2009
Nwosu-Iheme, Chioma Egondu (Nigeria)	2005-2010
Nyambe, Prisca Matimba, (Zambia)	2005-2010
Picard, Michèle (France)	2005-2010
Pollard, Brynmor (Guyana)	2005-2010
Prandler, Árpád (Hungary)	2005-2010
Prost, Kimberly (Canada)	2005-2009
Rasoazanany, Vonimbolana (Madagascar)	2005-2010
Stole, Ole Bjorn (Norway)	2005-2009
Thelin, Klaus (Sweden)	2005-2009
Tolksdorf, Krister (Germany)	2005-2009
Trechsel, Stefan (Switzerland)	2005-2010
Yunus, Tan Sri Dato Lamin Haji Mohd (Malaysia)	2005-2010

#### **Investments Committee**

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Arikawa, Masakazu (Japan) Cárdenas, Emilio J. (Argentina) Chico Pardo, Fernando G. (Mexico) Dhar, Madhav (India) Kassow, Achim (Germany) Kirdar, Nemir A. (Iraq) McDonough, William J. (United States) Mohohlo, Linah (Botswana) Ploix, Hélène (France)	2009-2011 2007-2009 2007-2019 2009-2011 2008-2010 2009-2011 2008-2010 2007-2009 2008-2010
Ad Hoc Member	Term of office
Jiang, Simon (China <i>)</i> Pictet, Ivan (Switzerland)	2009-2009 2009-2009
Joint Inspection Unit	

#### Members Term of office 2006-2010 Biraud, Gérard (France) Chulkov, Nicolay V. (Russian Federation) 2008-2012 Fall, Papa Louis (Senegal) 2006-2010 Fontaine Ortiz, Even Francisco (Cuba) 2008-2012 2005-2015 Inomata, Tadanori (Japan) Mounir-Zahran, Mohamed (Egypt) 2008-2012 Posta, István (Hungary) 2006-2010 Román-Morey, Enrique (Peru) 2008-2012

#### **Joint Inspection Unit** (continued)

# Term of office

#### Security Council (continued)

Members Members Term of office Inomata Tadanori (Japan) 2005-2014 2009-2010 Japan Terzi, Cihan (Turkey) 2006-2010 Libyan Arab Jamahiriya 2008-2009 Wynes, Deborah (United States) Zhang, Yishan (China) 2008-2012 Mexico 2009-2010 **Russian Federation** Permanent member 2008-2012 under Art. 23 of the Charter Turkey 2009-2010 Peacebuilding Commission

# **Organizational Committee**

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Algeria	2009-2010
Bangladesh	2009-2010
Benin	2009-2010
Burkina Faso	2008-2009
Canada	2009-2010
Chile	2009-2010
China	2009-2010
El Salvador	2009-2010
France	2009-2010
Georgia	2007-2009
Germany	2009-2010
Guinea-Bissau	2009-2010
India	2009-2010
Jamaica	2007-2009
Japan	2009-2010
Luxembourg	2009-2010
Mexico	2008-2009
Morocco	2009-2010
Nepal	2009-2010
Netherlands	2009-2010
Nigeria	2009-2010
Pakistan	2009-2010
Poland	2009-2010
Republic of Korea	2009-2010
Russian Federation	2009-2010
South Africa	2009-2010
Sweden	2009-2010
Thailand	2009-2010
United Kingdom	2009-2010
United States	2009-2010
Uruguay	2009-2010

#### Security Council

#### **Members** Term of office 2009-2010 Austria Burkina Faso 2008-2009 China Permanent member under Art. 23 of the Charter Costa Rica 2008-2009 2008-2009 Croatia France Permanent member under Art. 23 of the Charter

# Uganda United Kingdom

United States

Vietnam

#### **United Nations Appeals Tribunal**

2009-2010

Permanent member under Art. 23 of the Charter

Permanent member under Art. 23 of the

Charter

2008-2009

Full-time Judges	Term of office
Adinyra, Sophia (Ghana) Boyko, Rose (Canada) Courtial, Jean (France) Garewal, Kamaljit, (India) Painter, Marl P.(United States) Simon, Luis Maria (Uruguay) Weinberg de Roca, Ines (Argentina)	2009-2016 2009-2012 2009-2012 2009-2012 2009-2012 2009-2016 2009-2016
() a gonana)	2000 2010

#### United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

Secretary-General	Term of office
Supachai Panitchpakdi	2009-2013

#### United Nations Development Fund for Women **Consultative Committee**

<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Chile Estonia Norway Republic of Korea Sudan	2009-2011 2009-2011 2009-2011 2009-2011 2009-2011 2009-2011

#### **United Nations Development Programme**

Administrator	Term of office
Dervis, Kemal (Turkey)	2005-2009
Clark, Helen (New Zealand)	2009-2013

#### **United Nations Dispute Tribunal**

Full-time Judges	Term of office
- Geneva: Boolell, Vinwood (Mauritius) - Nairobi: Ebrahim-Carstens, Vinood	2009-2016 2009-2012
(Botswana) - New York:Laker, Thomas (Germany)	2009-2016
Half-time Judges	Term of office
Meeran, Goolam Hoosen Kader (United	2009-2012
Kingdom) Shaw, Coral (New Zealand)	2009-2016
Ad litem Judges	Term of office
Adams, Michael (Australia) Cousin, Jean-Francois (France) Izuako, Nkemdilim Amelia (Nigeria)	2009-2010 2009-2010 2009-2010

#### United Nations Environment Programme Governing Council

Members	Term of office
Algeria	2006-2009
Angola	2006-2009
Antigua and Barbuda	2006-2009
Argentina	2006-2009
Australia	2006-2009
Austria	2006-2009
Bahamas	2008-2011
Bangladesh	2008-2011
Belarus	2008-2011
Belgium	2006-2009
Benin	2008-2011
Botswana	2006-2009
Burundi	2006-2009
Canada	2006-2009
Chile	2006-2009
China	2006-2009
Colombia	2008-2011
Congo	2008-2011
Costa Rica	2008-2011
Croatia	2008-2011
Cuba	2008-2011
Czech Republic	2006-2009
Democratic Republic of the Congo	2006-2009
Fiji	2008-2011
Finland	2008-2011
France	2006-2009
Germany	2006-2009
Guinea	2008-2011
Haiti	2006-2009
Hungary	2008-2008
India	2008-2011
Indonesia	2006-2009

# United Nations Environment Programme Governing Council

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<u>Members</u>	Term of office
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	2008-2011
Israel	2008-2011
Italy	2008-2011
Japan	2006-2009
Kazakhstan	2008-2011
Kenya	2006-2009
Mali	2008-2011
Mauritius	2008-2011
Mexico	2008-2011
Monaco	2008-2011
Netherlands	2008-2011
Niger	2008-2011
Pakistan	2006-2009
Republic of Korea	2006-2009
Romania	2006-2009
Russian Federation	2006-2009
Saudi Arabia	2008-2011
Serbia	2009-2011
Somalia	2008-2011
South Africa	2006-2009
Spain	2008-2011
Thailand	2006-2009
Tunisia	2008-2011
Tuvalu	2008-2011
Uganda	2006-2009
United States	2006-2009
Uruguay	2006-2009

#### **United Nations Special Committee of 24**

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
Cote d'ivoire	Saint Lucia
Cuba	Saint Vincent and the
Dominica	Grenadines
Ecuador	Sierra Leone
Ethiopia	Syrian Arab Republic
Fiji	Timor-Leste
Grenada	Tunisia
India	United Republic of Tazania
Indonesia	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	of)

#### **United Nations Staff Pension Committee**

Members

Term of office

González Posse, Valeria María	2009-2012
(Argentina)	

# United Nations Staff Pension Committee (continued)

Members_	Term of office
Kovalenko, Andrei Vitalievitch (Russian Federation)	2009-2012
Küntzle, Gerhard (Germany)	2009-2012
Mazemo, Lovemore (Zimbabwe)	2009-2012
Muhith, Muhammad A. (Bangladesh	2009-2012
Owade, Philip Richard Okanda (Kenya	2009-2012
Repasch, Thomas (United	2009-2012
States)	
Yamada, Jun (Japan)	2009-2012

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# ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE (Agenda item 129) (continued)

- A/62/748/Corr.1 Administration of justice : further information requested by the General Assembly : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General. Corrects text.
- **A/63/253** Letter, 18 July 2008, from the President of the Administrative Tribunal. Expresses concern about the absence of appropriate transitional measures in the draft statutes of the UN Dispute Tribunal and Appeals Tribunal and requests the General Assembly to give consideration to the transitional matters that remain unclear before the approval of the draft statutes of the new tribunals.
- A/C.5/62/27 Letter, 29 Apr. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter dated 24 Apr. 2008 from the Chairman of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Administration of Justice enclosing the coordinator's summary of the preliminary observations made in the informal consultations on the draft statute of the UN Dispute Tribunal and on the draft statute of the UN Appeals Tribunal.
- **A/C.5/63/9** Letter, 27 Oct. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter dated 24 Oct. 2008 from the Chairman of the 6th Committee enclosing the draft statutes of the UN Dispute Tribunal and the UN Appeals Tribunal.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/63/L.17 Administration of justice at the United Nations : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.6/63/L.7** Draft statute of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal : text / proposed by the Working Group on the Administration of Justice at the United Nations.
- **A/C.6/63/L.8** Draft statute of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal : text / proposed by the Working Group on the Administration of Justice at the United Nations.
- **A/C.6/63/L.9** Administration of justice at the United Nations : draft decision.

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

A/63/642 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.19 (20 Nov. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).

# Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/451 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.1 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.15 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

A/63/55/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 55) Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Administration of Justice at the United Nations. Issued: 2008.

# ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE (Agenda item 129) (continued)

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft decision in A/63/451 (originally A/C.6/63/L.9) was adopted without vote: decision 63/531.

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/642 (originally A/C.5/63/L.17) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/253.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/253 Administration of justice at the United Nations.

Decides that all persons who have access to the Office of the Ombudsman under the current system shall also have access to the new informal system: decides to adopt the statutes of the UN Dispute Tribunal and of the UN Appeals Tribunal; decides that the UN Dispute Tribunal and the UN Appeals Tribunal shall be operational as of 1 July 2009; decides to abolish, as of 1 July 2009, the joint appeals boards, the joint disciplinary committees and the disciplinary committees of the separately administered funds and programmes; decides that the terms of the members of the UN Administrative Tribunal that expire on 31 Dec. 2008 shall be extended to 31 Dec. 2009; decides that the UN Administrative Tribunal shall cease to accept new cases as of 1 July 2009; decides that 3 ad litem judges shall be appointed by the General Assembly to the UN Dispute Tribunal; decides that for future appointments the Internal Justice Council shall not recommend more than 1 candidate from any one Member State for a judgeship on the UN Dispute Tribunal, or more than 1 candidate from any one Member State for a judgeship on the UN Appeals Tribunal. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

# ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY COORDINATION–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 127)

See also: UN-ADMINISTRATION

### **Reports**

**A/63/185** Budgetary and financial situation of the organizations of the United Nations System : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 July 2008. - Transmits system-wide statistical report of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination in the budgetary and financial situations of the organizations of the UN System.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.5/63/L.3** 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/63/612 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.15 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.23 (15 Dec. 2008).

# ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY COORDINATION–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 127) (continued)

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008). At the 74th meeting, draft decision in A/63/612 (originally A/C.5/63/L.3), was adopted without vote: decision 63/547.

# ADVISORY OPINION-ICJ-NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE

See: NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-ICJ OPINION

#### AFGHANISTAN

See: AFGHANISTAN SITUATION

#### AFGHANISTAN SITUATION (Agenda item 17)

# **Reports**

**A/63/372** (S/2008/617) The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 23 Sept. 2008.

A/63/751 (S/2009/135) The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 Mar. 2009.

A/63/892 (S/2009/323) The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 23 June 2009.

# **General documents**

- **A/63/370** (S/2008/614) Identical letters, 19 Sept. 2008, from China, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits text of the Dushanbe Declaration of the Heads of members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, adopted at the Shanghai Cooperation Organization summit held in Dushanbe, 28 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/805** (S/2009/177) Letter, 31 Mar. 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits 3 texts adopted at the conclusion of the Special Conference on Afghanistan, held under the auspices of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO), Moscow, 27 March 2009: the Declaration of the Conference, the Plan of Action and the Statement of the SCO Member States and the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan on combating terrorism, illicit drug trafficking and organized crime.
- **A/63/814** (S/2009/192) Letter, 6 Apr. 2009, from the Russian Federation and the United States. Transmits 2 joint statements by the Presidents of the Russian Federation and the United States, adopted at their meeting in London on 1 Apr. 2009; one statement concerns strengthening strategic stability and international security, and meeting contemporary global challenges; the other concerns negotiations on further reductions in strategic offensive arms.

# AFGHANISTAN SITUATION (Agenda item 17) (continued)

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/865 (S/2009/273) Letter, 21 May 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement on the growing threat to international security posed by the spread of narcotic drugs from Afghanistan made by the State Duma of the Russian Federal Assembly, 6 May 2009.
- **A/63/931** (S/2009/372) Letter, 17 July 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits the Yekaterinburg Declaration of the Heads of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, adopted at its Heads of States Council meeting, held on 15 and 16 June 2009 in Yekaterinburg, Russian Federation.
- A/63/954 Letter, 26 Aug. 2009, from Lithuania. Transmits, in the capacity as President of the Community of Democracies, text of statement of 16 Aug. 2009 by the Community of Democracies Convening Group on the elections in Afghanistan,.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/63/L.17 The situation in Afghanistan : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, China, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Egypt, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Maldives, Mali, Malta, Mauritius, Micronesia (Federated States of). Monaco, Montenegro, Morocco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Somalia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Uzbekistan and Yemen.

A/63/L.17/Add.1 The situation in Afghanistan : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Azerbaijan, Cambodia, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kuwait, Madagascar, Mauritania, Palau, Paraguay, Qatar, Seychelles, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Togo and United Arab Emirates.

# AFGHANISTAN SITUATION (Agenda item 17) (continued)

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.42 (10 Nov. 2008). At the 42nd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.17 was

adopted without vote: resolution 63/18.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/18 The situation in Afghanistan.

Expresses its strong concern about the security situation in Afghanistan, stresses the need to continue to address the threat to the security and stability of Afghanistan caused by increased violent and terrorist activity by the Taliban, Al-Qaida and other extremist and criminal groups, including those involved in the narcotics trade, and strongly condemns all acts of violence and intimidation committed in Afghanistan, in particular in the southern and eastern parts, including suicide attacks; stresses the importance of further extending central government authority, including the presence of Afghan security forces, to all provinces; urges the Afghan authorities to take all possible steps to ensure the safety, security and free movement of all UN, development and humanitarian personnel, and their safe and unhindered access to all affected populations, and to protect the property of the United Nations and of development or humanitarian organizations; stresses the need to fully implement the human rights provisions of the Afghan Constitution, including those regarding the full enjoyment by women and children of their human rights; applauds the establishment of the Independent Directorate of Local Governance by the Government of Afghanistan, calls upon Afghan authorities and the international community to actively support the work of the Directorate to establish and strengthen governance institutions at subnational levels and ensure that those institutions play a strong role in facilitating the delivery of national activities and programmes to improve the well-being of the Afghan people; expresses its concern at the worsening humanitarian situation and calls for urgent international support for and the early fulfilment of the funding target of the emergency appeal to address the high food price and drought crisis; urges the Government of Afghanistan, supported by the international community, to work to mainstream counter-narcotics throughout all the national programmes and to ensure that counter-narcotics is a fundamental part of the comprehensive approach, as well as to increase its efforts against opium cultivation and drug trafficking in accordance with the balanced eight-pillar plan of the Afghan National Drug Control Strategy. (Adopted without vote, 42nd plenary meeting, 10 Nov. 2008)

### AFRICA

See: AFRICA-DEVELOPMENT AFRICA-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AFRICA-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-PARTNERSHIP DESERTIFICATION-TREATY (1994)

# AFRICA-DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 57b)

See also: AFRICA–SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT– PARTNERSHIP

# **Reports**

A/63/212 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: 4 Aug. 2008.

# **General documents**

A/63/580 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Egypt and Yemen. Transmits concluding statement of the consultative meeting of Arab States bordering the Red Sea concerning piracy off the coast of Somalia and the means to combat it.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/63/L.61 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 / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/63/L.61/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 : [revised] draft resolution / Sudan [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/63/L.61/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 : [revised] draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Portugal and the United Kingdom.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

- A/63/PV.26 (15 Oct. 2008).
- A/63/PV.27 (15 Oct. 2008).
- A/63/PV.29 (20 Oct. 2008).
- A/63/PV.97 (23 July 2009). At the 97th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.61/Rev.1

was adopted without vote: resolution 63/304.

# Resolutions

**A/RES/63/304** 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.

(Adopted without vote, 97th plenary meeting, 23 July 2009)

# AFRICA-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 57)

See also: AFRICA-DEVELOPMENT AFRICA-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-PARTNERSHIP

#### **General documents**

**A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.26	(15 Oct. 2008).
A/63/PV.27	(15 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.29 (20 Oct. 2008).

# AFRICA-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-PARTNERSHIP (Agenda item 57a)

See also: AFRICA-DEVELOPMENT

# **Reports**

- A/63/130 Africa's Development needs : state of implementation of various commitments, challenges and the way forward : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 July 2008.
- **A/63/206** New Partnership for Africa's Development : 6th consolidated progress report implementation and international support : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 1 Aug. 2008.

### General documents

**A/63/872** Letter, 8 Apr. 2009, from Portugal. Transmits, in the capacity as Co-Chair of the African Partnership Forum, key messages to the London Summit of the Group of 20.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

- **A/63/L.1** Political declaration on Africa's development needs : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.
- **A/63/L.60** New Partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

### AFRICA-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-PARTNERSHIP (Agenda item 57a) (continued)

A/63/L.60/Rev.1 New Partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support : revised draft resolution / Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Portugal and Sudan [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/63/L.60/Rev.1/Add.1 New Partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Greece, Israel, Luxembourg, Slovenia, Spain and United Kingdom.

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.3 (22 Sept. 2008).

A/63/PV.4 (22 Sept. 2008). At the 4th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/1.

A/63/PV.26 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.27 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.29 (20 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.78 (31 Mar. 2009).

At the 78th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.60/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/267.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/1 Political declaration on Africa's development needs.

Adopts Political Declaration on Africa's Development Needs. (Adopted without vote, 4th plenary meeting, 22 Sept. 2008)

A/RES/63/267 New Partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support.

Reaffirms its commitment to the full implementation of the political declaration on Africa's development needs, as reaffirmed also in the Doha Declaration on Financing for Development, adopted as the outcome document of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus, held in Doha from 29 Nov. to 2 Dec. 2008, and its full support for the implementation of the New Partnership for Africa's Development; and requests the Secretary-General to submit a comprehensive report on the implementation of the present resolution to the General Assembly at its 64th session on the basis of inputs from Governments, organizations of the UN system and other stakeholders in the New Partnership. (Adopted without vote, 78th plenary meeting, 31 Mar. 2009)

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

See: CRIME PREVENTION

# AFRICAN REPUBLIC-CHAD

See: UN MISSION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC AND CHAD-FINANCING

# AFRICAN UNION–UN (Agenda item 114a)

# **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

### **General documents**

- A/63/515 Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from the United Republic of Tanzania. Transmits the following documents of the African Union: (a) Decisions, declarations and resolution adopted by the Assembly of the African Union, at its 11th ordinary session, held in Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt, from 30 June to 1 July 2008; (b) Decisions adopted by the Executive Council of the African Union at its 13th ordinary session, held in Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt, from 24 to 28 June 2008.
- **A/63/848** Letter, 26 Feb. 2009, from the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya. Transmits, in the capacity as Representative of the current Chairman of the African Union, the following documents of the African Union: (a) decisions and declaration adopted by the Executive Council of the African Union at its 14th ordinary session, held in Addis Ababa from 26 to 30 Jan. 2009; (b) decisions, declarations, message of congratulations and motion adopted by the Assembly of the African Union at its 12th ordinary session, held in Addis Ababa from 1 to 3 Feb. 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/63/L.101** Cooperation between the United Nations and the African Union : draft resolution / Algeria [on behalf of the Group of African States].

A/63/L.101/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the African Union : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal, Romania, Slove nia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.101 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/310.

# AFRICAN UNION–UN (Agenda item 114a) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/310 Cooperation between the United Nations and the African Union.

Requests the Secretary-General to continue to take measures to strengthen the capacity of the UN Secretariat and to implement its mandate with respect to meeting the special needs of Africa; stresses the urgent need for the UN and the African Union (UA) to develop close cooperation and concrete programmes aimed at addressing the problems posed by illicit trafficking in small arms and light weapons and anti-personnel mines, within the framework of the relevant declarations and resolutions adopted by the two organizations; calls upon the UN system, the UA and the international community to intensify their cooperation in the global fight against terrorism through the implementation of the relevant international and regional treaties and protocols and, in particular, the African Union Plan of Action adopted in Algiers on 14 Sept. 2002, as well as their support for the operation of the African Centre for Studies and Research on Terrorism inaugurated in Algiers in Oct. 2004; calls upon the UN system to accelerate the implementation of the Plan of Action contained in the document entitled "A world fit for children", adopted on 10 May 2002 at the 27th special session of the General Assembly on children, and to provide assistance, as appropriate, to the UA and its member States in this regard, urges the UN system to increase its support for Africa in the implementation of the declaration of the extraordinary summit meeting of the Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity on HIV/AIDS, malaria, tuberculosis and other related infectious diseases, held in Abuja in Apr. 2001, and the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS so as to arrest the spread of these diseases, inter alia, through sound capacity-building in human resources; requests the UN system to cooperate with the UA 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 and the strengthening of democratic institution; urges the Secretary-General to encourage the UN system, within existing rules and regulations, to work towards ensuring the effective and equitable representation of African men and women at senior and policy levels at the respective headquarters of its organizations and in their regional fields of operation and calls upon the Secretary-General and the Chairperson of the UA Commission, working in collaboration, to review every 2 years the progress made in the cooperation between the two organizations, and requests the Secretary-General to include the results of the review in his next report. (Adopted without vote, 105th plenary meeting, 14 Sept. 2009)

# AFRICAN UNION MISSION IN SOMALIA-FINANCING (Agenda item 157) Reports

- **A/63/758** Financing of support for the African Union Mission in Somalia for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/780** Financing of support for the African Union Mission in Somalia for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 23 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/867 Financing of support for the African Union Mission in Somalia for the period from 1 July to 31 December 2009 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 June 2009.
- A/63/874 Financing of support for the African Union Mission in Somalia for the period from 1 July to 31 December 2009 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 4 June 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/63/L.38 Financing of activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009) : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.66** Financing of activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009) : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/789 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/789/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

- A/C.5/63/SR.38 (25 Mar. 2009).
- A/C.5/63/SR.39 (27 Mar. 2009).
- A/C.5/63/SR.53 (5 June 2009).
- A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/789 (originallyA/C.5/63/L.38) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/275 A.

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/789/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.66) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/275 B.

# AFRICAN UNION MISSION IN SOMALIA-FINANCING (Agenda item 157) (continued) Resolutions

**A/RES/63/275A** Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009).

Decides to apportion among Member States the amount of 2,149,000 dollars for the period from 1 May 2007 to 30 June 2008; further decides to apportion among Member States the amount of 69,338,401 dollars for the period from 1 July 2008 to 31 May 2009; and also decides to apportion among Member States the amount of 6,303,499 dollars for the period from 1 to 30 June 2009. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

**A/RES/63/275B** Financing of activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009).

Authorizes the Secretary-General to enter into commitments for the support of the African Union Mission in Somalia for the period from 1 July to 31 Dec. 2009 in a total amount not exceeding US\$138,802,500; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$138,802,500 for the period from 1 July to 31 Dec. 2009 taking into account the scale of assessments for 2009; also decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund \$1,347,800, representing the estimated staff assessment income approved for the period from 1 July to 31 Dec. 2009; further decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the support of the African Union Mission in Somalia the amount of \$6.102.400 for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010, comprising \$5,078,700 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and 1,023,700 dollars for the UN Logistics Base; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$6,102,400; also decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$629,700, comprising the prorated share of \$528,700 dollars of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the support account and the prorated share of \$101,000 dollars of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the UN Logistics Base. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

# AFRICAN UNION-UN HYBRID OPERATION IN DARFUR-FINANCING (Agenda item 148)

# **Reports**

**A/63/535** Performance report on the budget of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 10 Nov. 2008.

**A/63/544** Progress report on the budget of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 12 Nov. 2008.

# AFRICAN UNION-UN HYBRID OPERATION IN DARFUR-FINANCING (Agenda item 148) (continued)

**A/63/606** Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and progress report for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 12 Dec. 2008.

- A/63/606/Corr.1 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and progress report for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum. Issued: 18 Dec. 2008. - Corrects text.
- A/63/668 Audit of the use of extraordinary measures for the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services : "The extraordinary measures were not effective in facilitating the deployment of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur and exposed the United Nations to high financial and reputation risks".

Issued: 2 Jan. 2009.

- A/63/668/Add.1 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the use of extraordinary measures for the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 30 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/717** Budget for the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.4 Proposed budget of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 24 Apr. 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/63/L.19 Financing of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/63/L.64 Financing of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/647 Report of the 5th Committee.

- A/63/647/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/C.5/63/SR.25 (17 Dec. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.43 (14 May 2009).

# AFRICAN UNION-UN HYBRID OPERATION IN DARFUR-FINANCING (Agenda item 148) (continued)

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/647 (originally A/C.5/63/L.19) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/258 A.

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/647/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.64) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/258 B.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/258A Financing of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur.

Decides to apportion among Member States the amount of US\$449,855,000 for the period from 1 Jan. to 30 June 2009, comprising \$849,855,000 for the maintenance of the Operation for the period from 1 July to 31 Dec. 2008, \$60,624,500 for the support account for peacekeeping operations from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009, and \$8,920,700 for the UN Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy, from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$6,373,050; decides that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Operation, their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income \$225,443,200 for the period ended 30 June 2008, shall be offset against either their apportionment as provided for in para. 5 above or the apportionment for the Operation from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010; decides that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Operation, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income \$225,443,200; decides that the decrease of \$4,687,900 in staff assessment income for the period ended 30 June 2008 shall be set off against the credits from \$225,443,200. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/258B Financing of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur.

Decides to apportion among Member States the amount of 139,116,483 dollars for the period from 1 to 31 July 2009, in accordance with the levels updated in General Assembly resolution 61/243 of 22 December 2006, and taking into account the scale of assessments for 2009, as set out in its resolution 61/237 of 22 December 2006; and also decides to apportion among Member States the amount of 1,530,281,317 dollars for the period from 1 August 2009 to 30 June 2010, at a monthly rate of 139,116,483 dollars, in accordance with the levels updated in resolution 61/243, and taking into account the scale of assessments for 2009, as set out in resolution 61/237, and for 2010, subject to a decision of the Security Council to extend the mandate of the Operation. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

# AGEING PERSONS-INTERNATIONAL YEAR (1999) (Agenda item 55c)

# **Reports**

A/63/95 Follow-up to the 2nd World Assembly on Ageing : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 1 July 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.3/63/L.4** Follow-up to the 2nd World Assembly on Ageing : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, the Czech Republic, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (A/63/424).

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

A/63/424 Report of the 3rd Committee.		
A/C.3/63/SR.1 (6 Oct. 2008).		
A/C.3/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).		
A/C.3/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).		
A/C.3/63/SR.4 (7 Oct. 2008).		
A/C.3/63/SR.11 (14 Oct. 2008).		
A/C.3/63/SR.23 (23 Oct. 2008).		

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution II in A/63/424 (originally A/C.3/63/L.4), as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/151.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/151 Follow-up to the 2nd World Assembly on Ageing.

Recognizes the successful conclusion of the first review and appraisal of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002, and its results at the international, regional and national levels; recommends that Member States increase awareness raising of the Madrid Plan of Action, including by strengthening networks of national focal points on ageing, working with the regional commissions and enlisting the help of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat to expand media coverage on ageing issues; recommends that ongoing efforts to achieve the internationally agreed development goals, including those contained in the UN Millennium Declaration, take into account the situation of older persons; requests the Secretary-General to translate the Guide to the National Implementation of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing into all official languages of the UN. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL TRADE INFORMATINON AND COOPERATION-OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 152)

# General documents

**A/63/505** Letter, 8 Oct. 2008, from Paraguay. Refers to letter dated 17 July 2008 (A/63/143) on the inclusion of the item entitled "Observer status for the Agency for International Trade Information and Cooperation in the General Assembly" in the agenda of the 63rd sess. and requests that Lao People's Democratic Republic be deleted from the list of sponsors.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

# AGENDA-GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)

See: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–AGENDA

#### AGENDA 21

See: AGENDA 21-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

# AGENDA 21–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 49a)

See also: CLIMATE

DESERTIFICATION-TREATY (1994) ENVIRONMENT

### **Reports**

A/63/304 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: 18 Aug. 2008.

# **General documents**

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/C.2/63/L.27 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 / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.62.

A/C.2/63/L.62 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-Chairman of the Committee, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.27.

# AGENDA 21–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 49a) (continued)

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

A/63/414 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/414/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.17	(27 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.18	(27 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.19	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.20	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.27	(18 Nov. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.31	(11 Dec. 2008).

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.62) in A/63/414/Add.1, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/212.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/212 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; invites Member States to express their views on the possibility of convening a high-level event on sustainable development, and requests the Secretary-General, in his report on the implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development, to include the views expressed, and decides to consider this matter further at the 64th session of the General Assembly; reaffirms the objective of enhancing the participation and effective involvement of civil society and other relevant stakeholders, as well as promoting transparency and broad public participation, in the implementation of Agenda 21; 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, and in this regard invites donor countries to consider supporting the participation of major groups from developing countries, inter alia, through contributions to the Commission's trust fund. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# 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: HIV/AIDS-DECLARATIONS

# AMERICAN SAMOA QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

# Reports

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/63/L.6 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

**A/63/408** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.6 (10 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-I].

# **Resolutions**

#### A/RES/63/108[B-I] American Samoa.

Welcomes the work of the territorial Government and legislature with regard to the recommendations made by the Future Political Status Study Commission in preparation for a constitutional convention addressing issues related to the future status of American Samoa; stresses the importance of the invitation previously extended to the Special Committee by the Governor of American Samoa to send a visiting mission to the Territory, calls upon the administering Power to facilitate such a mission if the territorial Government so desires, and requests the Chairperson of the Special Committee to take all the necessary steps to that end; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning a public awareness programme recommended by the Future Political Status Study Commission in its 2007 report, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# AMISOM

See: AFRICAN UNION MISSION IN SOMALIA-FINANCING

# ANGUILLA QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

# **Reports**

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.4/63/L.6** 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

**A/63/408** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-II].

# ANGUILLA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued) Resolutions

# A/RES/63/108[B-II] Anguilla.

Welcomes the work of the Constitutional and Electoral Reform Commission and its report of 2006, the holding of public and other consultative meetings in 2007, with the aim of making recommendations to the administering Power on proposed changes to the Constitution of the Territory and the subsequent efforts of the territorial Government to advance the internal constitutional review exercise; stresses the importance of the previously expressed desire of the territorial Government for a visiting mission by the Special Committee, calls upon the administering Power to facilitate such a mission, if the territorial Government so desires, and requests the Chairperson of the Special Committee to take all the necessary steps to that end; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning public consultative outreach efforts, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# ANTI-PERSONNEL LANDMINES

See: CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1980) LANDMINES-TREATY (1997)

# ARMED CONFLICTS PREVENTION (Agenda item 12)

#### General documents

- **A/63/370** (S/2008/614) Identical letters, 19 Sept. 2008, from China, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits text of the Dushanbe Declaration of the Heads of members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, adopted at the Shanghai Cooperation Organization summit held in Dushanbe, 28 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/495** Letter, 17 Oct. 2008, from Cambodia. Transmits statement by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation regarding the alleged unilateral de-mining activity by Thai soldiers in Cambodia's territory.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/729** Summary report of the 2008 Parliamentary Hearing (United Nations Headquarters, 20 and 21 November 2008) : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

# ARMED CONFLICTS PREVENTION (Agenda item 12) (continued)

- **A/63/820** (S/2009/208) Letter, 1 Apr. 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits text of a decision of the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation entitled "On the 10th anniversary of the military operation launched by the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia".
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/931** (S/2009/372) Letter, 17 July 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits the Yekaterinburg Declaration of the Heads of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, adopted at its Heads of States Council meeting, held on 15 and 16 June 2009 in Yekaterinburg, Russian Federation.
- **A/63/938** (S/2009/413) Identical letters, 7 Aug. 2009, from the Russian Federation addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statement of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of 6 Aug. 2009 on the anniversary of the events in South Ossetia.
- **A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, the General Assembly decided to defer the consideration of this item and to include it in the draft agenda of its 64th sess.: decision 63/563.

# ARMENIA-AZERBAIJAN

See: AZERBAIJAN SITUATION

### ARMS RACE-OUTER SPACE (Agenda item 88)

See also: OUTER SPACE-CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES OUTER SPACE-PEACEFUL USES-

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

# **Reports**

A/63/20 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space. Issued: 2008.

# ARMS RACE–OUTER SPACE (Agenda item 88) (continued)

# General documents

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

 A/C.1/63/L.4 Prevention of an arms race in outer space : draft resolution / Algeria, Armenia, Bangladesh, Belarus, Benin, Bhutan, China, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Ghana, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jamaica, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Nigeria, Pakistan, Qatar, Russian Federation, Sri Lanka, Syrian Arab Republic, Uganda, Uruguay, Uzbekistan, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Zimbabwe. Additional sponsors: Fiji, Saudi Arabia and Togo

Additional sponsors: Fiji, Saudi Arabia and Togo (A/63/388).

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

A/63/388 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.12 (20 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/388 (originally A/C.1/63/L.4) was adopted (177-1-1): resolution 63/40.

# ARMS RACE–OUTER SPACE (Agenda item 88) (continued) Resolutions

#### nesolutions

A/RES/63/40 Prevention of an arms race in outer space.

Reaffirms the importance and urgency of preventing an arms race in outer space and the readiness of all States to contribute to that common objective, in conformity with the provisions of the Treaty on Principles Governing the Activities of States in the Exploration and Use of Outer Space, including the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies; reiterates that the Conference on Disarmament, as the sole 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 February 19924 and to establish an ad hoc committee as early as possible during its 2009 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 177-1-1, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# ARMS TRANSFERS-TRANSPARENCY (Agenda item 89f)

See also: SMALL ARMS–ILLICIT TRAFFIC SMALL ARMS–ILLICIT TRAFFIC–ASSISTANCE

# **Reports**

A/63/120 United Nations Register of Conventional Arms : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 July 2008.

A/63/120/Add.1 United Nations Register of Conventional Arms : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 17 Sept. 2008.

A/63/120/Add.2 United Nations Register of Conventional Arms : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 20 Nov. 2008.

A/63/120/Add.3 United Nations Register of Conventional Arms : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 13 Mar. 2009.

**A/63/621** Towards an arms trade treaty : establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/63/L.39 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

# ARMS TRANSFERS-TRANSPARENCY (Agenda item 89f) (continued)

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.39 Towards an arms trade treaty : establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Chile, Colombia, Comoros, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mali, Malta, Marshall Islands, Mauritania, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Samoa, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Bangladesh, Bolivia, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Canada, Central African Republic, Congo, Dominica, Ecuador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Fiji, Georgia, Grenada, Guyana, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Malawi, Nicaragua, Philippines, Rwanda, San Marino, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Swaziland, Togo, Turkey and Zambia (A/63/389).

A/C.1/63/L.51 Transparency in armaments : draft resolution / Albania, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Benin, Bhutan, Bolivia, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Mongolia, Montenegro, Nepal, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Zambia

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Antigua and Barbuda, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Colombia, Fiji, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Malawi, the Republic of Moldova, San Marino, Serbia, Seychelles, Singapore, Timor-Leste and Zambia (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2008).

# ARMS TRANSFERS-TRANSPARENCY (Agenda item 89f) (continued)

A/C.1/63/PV.14	(21 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.15	(22 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.21	(30 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

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

A/63/650 Report of the 5th Committee.

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XXX in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.51) was adopted (160-0-22): resolution 63/69.

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution XXV in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.39), as a whole, was adopted (133-1-19): resolution 63/240.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/69 Transparency in armaments.

Reaffirms its determination to ensure the effective operation of the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms; calls upon Member States, with a view to achieving universal participation, to provide the Secretary-General, by 31 May annually, with the requested data and information for the Register; reaffirms its decision, with a view to further development of the Register, to keep the scope of and participation in the Register under review: requests the Secretary-General to implement the recommendations contained in his 2000, 2003 and 2006 reports on the continuing operation of the Register and its further development and to ensure that sufficient resources are made available for the Secretariat to operate and maintain the Register: reiterates its call upon all Member States to cooperate at the regional and subregional levels, taking fully into account the specific conditions prevailing in the region or subregion, with a view to enhancing and coordinating international efforts aimed at increased openness and transparency in armaments. (Adopted 160-0-22, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# ARMS TRANSFERS-TRANSPARENCY (Agenda item 89f) (continued)

A/RES/63/240 Towards an arms trade treaty : establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms.

Decides to establish an open-ended working group, to meet for up to 6 one-week sessions starting in 2009, of which the 2 sessions foreseen in 2009 will be held in New York, 2-6 Mar. and 13-17 July, respectively; decides also that the open-ended working group will hold a one-day organizational session in New York by 27 Feb. 2009 in order to agree on the organizational arrangements connected with the working group, including the dates and venues for its future substantive sessions; decides further that the open-ended working group will, during 2009, further consider those elements in the report of the Group of Governmental Experts where consensus could be developed for their inclusion in an eventual legally binding treaty on the import, export and transfer of conventional arms which provides a balance giving benefit to all, with the principles of the Charter of the UN and other existing international obligations at the centre of such considerations, and transmit an initial report from the working group to the General Assembly for consideration at its 64h session. (Adopted 133-1-19, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

# ASIAN-AFRICAN LEGAL CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 114b)

### Reports

- A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.7 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization : draft resolution / China, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Egypt, Ghana, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritius, Morocco, Myanmar, Nigeria, Oman, Philippines, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Thailand, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania and Yemen.
- **A/63/L.7/Add.1** Cooperation between the United Nations and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Congo, Gabon, Mongolia and Syrian Arab Republic.

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

At the 37th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.7 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/10.

# ASIAN-AFRICAN LEGAL CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 114b) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/10 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization.

Recognizes the continuing efforts of the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization towards strengthening the role and function of UN and its various organs in enhancing the rule of law and wider adherence to related international instruments; 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 65th sess. a report on cooperation between UN and the Consultative Organization. (Adopted without vote, 37th plenary meeting, 3 Nov. 2008)

# ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH-EAST ASIAN NATIONS-UN (Agenda item 114c)

# **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

A/63/228/Corr.1 (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

#### **General documents**

A/63/951 Note verbale, 6 July 2009, from Bahrain. Transmits documents issued at the outcome of the Meeting of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Gulf Cooperation Council and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations, held in Manama, 29-30 June 2009.

# ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH-EAST ASIAN NATIONS-UN (Agenda item 114c) (continued) **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/63/L.40 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Angola, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Bhutan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, China, Comoros, Côte d'Ivoire, Czech Republic, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominican Republic, Egypt, El Salvador, Fiji, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Guinea, Honduras, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Malaysia, Maldives, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mongolia, Morocco, Myanmar, Nauru, Netherlands, New Zealand, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Tajikistan, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America. Viet Nam and Yemen.

A/63/L.40/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Belgium, Bulgaria, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Greece, Grenada, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jamaica, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Montenegro, Republic of Moldova, Senegal, Serbia and Somalia.

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.60 (26 Nov. 2008).

At the 60th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.40 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/35.

# ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH-EAST ASIAN NATIONS-UN (Agenda item 114c) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/35 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations.

Welcomes the signing on 20 Nov. 2007 of the Charter of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations by leaders of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations at the 13th Association of Southeast Asian Nations Summit, held in Singapore, 18-22 Nov. 2007; continues to encourage the UN and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations to convene Association of Southeast Asian Nations-UN Summits regularly, and underlines the importance of the presence thereat of the Secretary-General of the UN and heads of relevant UN departments, funds and programmes, and specialized agencies, and in this context welcomes the decision to convene the 3rd Association of Southeast Asian Nations-UN Summit, to be held in Thailand on 17 Dec. 2008; recognizes the value of partnership between the UN and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations in providing timely and effective responses to global issues of mutual concern, in the context of partnership between the UN and regional organizations; encourages effective cooperation between member countries of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations and the appropriate UN organizations in the delivery of operational activities in the area of development at the country level. (Adopted without vote, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

# ATOMIC RADIATION

See: RADIATION FEFECTS

#### **AZERBAIJAN**

See: AZERBAIJAN SITUATION

#### **AZERBAIJAN-ARMENIA**

See: AZERBAIJAN SITUATION

#### AZERBAIJAN SITUATION (Agenda item 18)

# Reports

A/63/804 The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 30 Mar. 2009. - Transmits replies received from the Co-Chairs of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) Minsk Group, Governments of States Members of the UN, and the Chairman-in-Office of OSCE, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 62/243.

A/63/804/Add.1 The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 10 May 2009.

A/63/804/Corr.1 The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan : report of the Secretary-General : corriaendum.

Issued: 24 Apr. 2009. - Corrects text.

# AZERBAIJAN SITUATION (Agenda item 18) (continued)

# General documents

- **A/63/497** (S/2008/668) Letter, 20 Oct. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits final statement and recommendations of the 9th meeting of the European Union-Azerbaijan Parliamentary Cooperation Committee" held in Brussels, 6-7 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/516** (S/2008/683) Letter, 31 Oct. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Reports alleged Armenian armed forces military exercises on 25 Oct. 2008 in the Nagorny Karabakh region and other territories of Azerbaijan.
- **A/63/527** Letter, 6 Nov. 2008, from Armenia. Transmits joint declaration adopted by the Presidents of Armenia, Azerbaijan and the Russian Federation at their meeting in Moscow on 2 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/596** Letter, 10 Dec. 2008, from Armenia. Transmits joint declaration of the Foreign Ministers and Deputy Ministers of France, the Russian Federation and the United States on Nagorno-Karabakh, adopted at the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) meeting held in Helsinki, 4 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/662 (S/2008/812) Letter, 22 Dec. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits document entitled "Report on the Legal Consequences of Armed Aggression by the Republic of Armenia against the Republic of Azerbaijan"
- **A/63/664** (S/2008/823) Letter, 26 Dec. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits paper entitled "Report on the fundamental norm of the territorial integrity of States and the right to self-determination in the light of Armenia's revisionist claims".
- **A/63/692** (S/2009/51) Letter, 23 Jan. 2009, from Azerbaijan. Transmits paper entitled "Report on the international legal responsibilities of Armenia as the belligerent occupier of Azerbaijani territory".
- A/63/730 (S/2009/103) Letter, 17 Feb. 2009, from Azerbaijan. Transmits document entitled "Support by States Members of the United Nations and international organizations to Azerbaijan's position on the conflict in and around the Nagorny Karabakh region of Azerbaijan".
- **A/63/733** Letter, 20 Feb. 2009, from Armenia. Transmits statements by the Co-Chairs of the Minsk Group of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe made on 29 Jan. 2009 and 19 Feb. 2009 respectively, concerning the ongoing negotiations on the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict.
- A/63/781 (S/2009/156) Letter, 23 Mar. 2009, from Armenia. Transmits text of memorandum entitled "Nagorny Karabakh: peaceful negotiations and Azerbaijan's militaristic policy".
- A/63/880 Letter, 9 June 2009, from Armenia. Transmits statement of 5 June 2009 by the Co-Chairs of the Minsk Group of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe concerning the ongoing negotiations on the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict.

# AZERBAIJAN SITUATION (Agenda item 18) (continued)

- **A/63/917** (S/2009/343) Letter, 6 July 2009, from Azerbaijan. Transmits press release issued by the Azerbaijani Community of the Nagorno-Karabakh region on 5 June 2009 concerning the activities held by the Congress of the Azerbaijani Community in relation to the Nagorny-Karabakh situation.
- **A/63/963** (S/2009/457) Letter, 11 Sept. 2009, from Azerbaijan. Reports alleged visits of the President and other diplomats of Armenia to the territories of Azerbaijan early in Sept. 2009.

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, the General Assembly decided to defer the consideration of this item and to include it in the draft agenda of its 64th sess.: decision 63/569.

# **BACTERIOLOGICAL WEAPONS**

See: BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1972)

#### BALLISTIC MISSILES (Agenda item 89b)

# **Reports**

A/63/176 The issue of missiles in all its aspects : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 July 2008.

# General documents

**A/63/866** (S/2009/274) Identical letters, 26 May 2009, from Mongolia to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statement of 26 May 2009 from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on the nuclear test conducted by the Democratic People's Republic of Korea on 25 May 2009.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.27 Missiles : draft resolution / Indonesia and Iran (Islamic Republic of).

# BALLISTIC MISSILES (Agenda item 89b) (continued)

A/C.1/63/L.38 The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation : draft resolution / Albania. Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Barbados, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burundi, Cambodia, Canada, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Comoros, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Eritrea, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Latvia, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Palau, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Samoa, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sudan, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Uruguay and Uzbekistan.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Azerbaijan, Gabon, Grenada, Guyana, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Mali, Niger, Togo and Tunisia (A/63/389).

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

A/C.1/63/PV.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

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A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

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

**A/63/398** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/398 was as follows: draft resolution XXIV (originally A/C.1/63/L.38), adopted (159-1-18): resolution 63/64; draft resolution XV (originally A/C.1/63/L.27), adopted (120-10-50): resolution 63/55.

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

# BALLISTIC MISSILES (Agenda item 89b) (continued) Resolutions

### A/RES/63/55 Missiles.

Welcomes the report of the Secretary-General on the issue of missiles in all its aspects; requests SG to seek the views of Member States on the report on the issue of missiles in all its aspects, and to submit them to the General Assembly at its 65th sess.; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 65th sess. the item entitled "Missiles". (Adopted 120-10-50, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/64** The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation.

Notes with satisfaction that 130 States have already subscribed to the Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation as a practical step against the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery; invites all States that have not yet subscribed to the Code of Conduct to do so; 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 159-1-18, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### **BEIJING DECLARATION (1995)**

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

# BERMUDA QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

# **Reports**

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.4/63/L.6** 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

**A/63/408** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

# BERMUDA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued)

# **Discussion in plenary**

# A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-III].

# **Resolutions**

#### A/RES/63/108[B-III] Bermuda.

Stresses the importance of the 2005 report of the Bermuda Independence Commission, which provides a thorough examination of the facts surrounding independence, and regrets that the plans for public meetings and the presentation of a Green Paper to the House of Assembly followed by a White Paper outlining the policy proposals for an independent Bermuda have so far not materialized; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning public educational outreach efforts, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY-TREATY (1992) (Agenda item 49f)

# **Reports**

**A/63/294** Implementation of United Nations environmental conventions : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Aug. 2008. - 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, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 62/86, 62/193 and 62/194.

# General documents

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/C.2/63/L.17** Convention on Biological Diversity : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.61 (A/63/414/Add.6).

# BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY–TREATY (1992) (Agenda item 49f) (continued)

A/C.2/63/L.61 Convention on Biological Diversity : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.17.

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

A/63/414 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/414/Add.6 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.17 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.20 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.24 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008). At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.61) in A/63/414/Add.6 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/219.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/219 Convention on Biological Diversity. Urges all Member States to fulfil their commitments to significantly reduce the rate of loss of biodiversity by 2010; urges the parties to the Convention to facilitate the transfer of technology for the effective implementation of the Convention; invites parties to the Convention, other Member States, relevant international organizations and other relevant stakeholders to make preparations to celebrate in 2010 the International Year of Biodiversity; decides, as a contribution to the International Year of Biodiversity, to convene at its 65th session, in 2010, a oneday high-level meeting of the General Assembly; stresses the importance of private-sector engagement for the implementation of the objectives of the Convention and the achievement of the 2010 target; invites countries to consider ratifying or acceding to the International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1972) (Agenda item 96)

# General documents

A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

# BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1972) (Agenda item 96) (continued)

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

 A/C.1/63/L.11 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/63/396 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/396 (originally A/C.1/63/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/88.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/88 Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction.

Welcomes the information and data provided to date, and 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 Third Review Conference of the Parties to the Convention: recalls the decisions reached at the 6th Review Conference, and calls upon States parties to the Convention to participate in their implementation; urges States parties to continue to work closely with the Implementation Support Unit of the Conference on Disarmament Secretariat and Conference Support Branch of the Office for Disarmament Affairs in fulfilling its mandate, in accordance with the decision of the 6th Review Conference; requests the Secretary-General to continue to render the necessary assistance to the depositary Governments of the Convention and to provide such services as may be required for the implementation of the decisions and recommendations of the Review Conferences, including all assistance to the annual meetings of the States parties and the meetings of experts. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# BLACK SEA ECONOMIC COOPERATION ORGANIZATION-UN (Agenda item 114d)

### **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

# BLACK SEA ECONOMIC COOPERATION ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 114d) (continued)

**A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.9 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization : draft resolution / Albania, Armenia, Greece, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Turkey, Ukraine and United States of America.

A/63/L.9/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization : draft resolution: addendum. Additional sponsors: Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus,

Bulgaria, Georgia, Montenegro and Serbia.

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

At the 37th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.9 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/11.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/11 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization. Reiterates the conviction that multilateral economic cooperation contributes to enhancing peace, stability and security to the benefit of the Black Sea region; appeals for greater cooperation between the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization and international financial institutions in co-financing feasibility and pre-feasibility studies of the projects in the wider Black Sea area: acknowledges the commitment of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization to contributing to the attainment of the Millennium Development Goals at national, regional and global levels; invites the Secretary-General to strengthen dialogue with the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization with a view to promoting cooperation and coordination between the two secretariats; invites the specialized agencies and other organizations and programmes of UN system to cooperate with the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization in order to continue programmes with the Organization and its associated institutions for the achievement of their objectives. (Adopted without vote, 37th plenary meeting, 3 Nov. 2008)

# **BONGO, OMAR (GABON)-TRIBUTES**

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.88 (16 June 2009).

A/63/PV.89 (16 June 2009).

# **BRIBERY-COMMERCIAL TRANSACTIONS**

See: CORRUPT PRACTICES

# BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

# **Reports**

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/63/L.6 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

A/63/408 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-IV].

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/108[B-IV] British Virgin Islands.

Welcomes the new Constitution of the British Virgin Islands, which took effect in June 2007, and notes the need expressed by the territorial Government for minor constitutional amendments in the years to come; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning public outreach efforts, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested; appreciates the efforts made to continue the work of the Inter-Virgin Islands Council between the elected Governments of the British Virgin Islands and the United States Virgin Islands to advance cooperation between the two neighbouring Territories. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### BUDGET-UN

See: UN-BUDGET (2008-2009)

### **BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS-UN**

See: UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS

# BURUNDI

See: UN OPERATION IN BURUNDI-FINANCING

# CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2008-2009)–UN

See: UN-CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2008-2009)

# CAPITAL MASTER PLAN

See: UN CAPITAL MASTER PLAN

# CAPITAL PUNISHMENT (Agenda item 64b)

# **Reports**

A/63/293 Moratoriums on the use of the death penalty : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 Aug. 2008.

A/63/293/Corr.1 Moratoriums on the use of the death penalty : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 2 Oct. 2008. - Corrects text.

#### General documents

A/63/716 Note verbale, 10 Feb. 2009, from Afghanistan, the Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, the Central African Republic, Chad, China, the Comoros, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominica, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Fiji, the Gambia, Grenada, Guinea, Guyana, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Kuwait, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, the Niger, Nigeria, Papua New Guinea, Qatar, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Somalia, the Sudan, Swaziland, the Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Tonga, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, the United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Zimbabwe. Refer to General Assembly resolution 63/168, entitled "Moratorium on the use of the death penalty", and wish to place on record their persistent objection to any attempt to impose a moratorium on the application of the death penalty or its abolition in contravention to existing stipulations under international law.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.19 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burundi, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Marshall Islands, Mauritius, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Montenegro, Mozambique, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Samoa, San Marino, Sao Tome and Principe, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Tuvalu, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Vanuatu.

# CAPITAL PUNISHMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.19/Rev.1 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty : revised draft resolution / Albania, Andorra. Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burundi, Cape Verde, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Marshall Islands, Mauritius, Mexico, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Montenegro, Mozambique, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Samoa, San Marino, Sao Tome and Principe, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Tuvalu, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Vanuatu.

Additional sponsors: the Dominican Republic, Kyrgyzstan, Nicaragua, Palau, South Africa and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/430/Add.2).

A/C.3/63/L.62 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.19/Rev.1 / Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, China, Comoros, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominica, Egypt, Eritrea, Grenada, Guyana, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Maldives, Myanmar, Nigeria, Oman, Qatar, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Sudan, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, Viet Nam, Yemen and Zimbabwe.

A/C.3/63/L.63 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.19/Rev.1 / Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Botswana, China, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominica, Egypt, Eritrea, Grenada, Guyana, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Maldives, Myanmar, Nigeria, Oman, Qatar, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Sudan, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

A/C.3/63/L.64 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.19/Rev.1 / Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Botswana, China, Comoros, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominica, Egypt, Eritrea, Grenada, Guyana, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Nigeria, Oman, Qatar, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Sudan, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Zimbabwe.

# CAPITAL PUNISHMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

- A/C.3/63/L.65 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.19/Rev.1 / Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Botswana, China, Comoros, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominica, Egypt, Grenada, Guyana, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Myanmar, Nigeria, Oman, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Singapore, Sudan, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda and Yemen.
- A/C.3/63/L.66 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.19/Rev.1 / Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, China, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominica, Egypt, Eritrea, Grenada, Guyana, Indonesia, Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Nigeria, Oman, Qatar, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Sudan, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, Viet Nam and Yemen.
- A/C.3/63/L.67 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.19/Rev.1 / Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Bahrain, Barbados, Botswana, China, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominica, Egypt, Grenada, Guyana, Indonesia, Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Myanmar, Nigeria, Oman, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Singapore, Sudan, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda and Yemen.
- A/C.3/63/L.68 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.19/Rev.1 / Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Bahrain, Barbados, Botswana, China, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominica, Egypt, Grenada, Indonesia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Myanmar, Nigeria, Oman, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Singapore, Sudan, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Trinidad and Tobago and Uganda.

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.41 (18 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.42 (20 Nov. 2008).

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 70th meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.19/Rev.1), was adopted(106-46-34): resolution 63/168.

# CAPITAL PUNISHMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/168 Moratorium on the use of the death penalty.

Welcomes the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of resolution 62/149, and the conclusions and recommendations contained therein; requests the Secretary-General to provide a report on progress made in the implementation of resolution 62/149 and the present resolution, for consideration during its 65th session, and calls upon Member States to provide the Secretary-General with information in this regard. (Adopted 106-46-34, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

### CARIBBEAN COMMUNITY-UN (Agenda item 114e)

#### **Reports**

- A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# **General documents**

A/63/810 (S/2009/185) Identical letters, 3 Apr. 2009, from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Transmits text of the joint statement adopted by the participants of the 5th General Meeting of the UN system and the Caribbean Community and its associated institutions, New York, 9-10 Feb. 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.38 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Caribbean Community : draft resolution / Algeria, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Australia, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Chile, Comoros, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, India, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Luxembourg, Nicaragua, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago and Turkey.
- A/63/L.38/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Caribbean Community : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Benin, Burundi, Cambodia, Côte d'Ivoire, Equatorial Guinea, Finland, Liberia, Lithuania, Malaysia, Mexico, Nigeria, Portugal, Senegal, Serbia, Slovenia, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008).

# CARIBBEAN COMMUNITY–UN (Agenda item 114e) (continued)

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.60 (26 Nov. 2008). At the 60th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.38 was

adopted without vote: resolution 63/34.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/34 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Caribbean Community.

Calls upon the Secretary-General of the UN, in association with the Secretary-General of the Caribbean Community, as well as the relevant regional organizations, to continue to assist in furthering the development and maintenance of peace and security within the Caribbean region; invites the Secretary-General to continue to promote and expand cooperation and coordination between the UN and the Caribbean Community in order to increase the capacity of the two organizations to attain their objectives; stresses the urgent need for the reopening of the office of the UN Office on Drugs and Crime in the region so as to reinforce the efforts of the States of the region in their struggle against the interrelated scourges of drugs, violent crime and the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons: invites the Secretary-General to consider utilizing a strategic programming framework modality to strengthen the coordination and cooperation between the two secretariats as well as between the UN field offices and the Caribbean Community; reaffirms the objective of strengthening the implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States, including through the mobilization of financial and technological resources, as well as capacitybuilding programmes. (Adopted without vote, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

# CAYMAN ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

# **Reports**

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.4/63/L.6** 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

**A/63/408** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

# CAYMAN ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued)

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

# **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-V].

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/108[B-V] Cayman Islands.

Welcomes the publication by the territorial Government of a consultation paper in January 2008 setting out a number of proposals for constitutional reform, with a view to holding a referendum on those proposals, or revised proposals, later in the year; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning public awareness outreach efforts, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested; welcomes the efforts made by the territorial Government to address cost-of-living issues in various economic sectors. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### **CENTRAL AMERICA**

See: CENTRAL AMERICA SITUATION

# CENTRAL AMERICA SITUATION (Agenda item 20)

# General documents

- A/63/376 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Guatemala. Refers to agenda item 20 of the provisional agenda of the 63rd sess. of the General Assembly entitled "the situation in Central America: progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development" and states that the International Commission against Impunity in Guatemala (CICIG) was established in Sept. 2007 by the Government of Guatemala in association with the UN and requests that the Commission be considered in plenary under agenda item 20.
- **A/63/511** Letter, 27 Oct. 2008, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the Secretary-General's reports to the 60th (A/60/218) and 62nd sessions (A/62/1) of the General Assembly and provides an update on the International Commission against Impunity in Guatemala (CICIG).
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.

# CENTRAL AMERICA SITUATION (Agenda item 20) (continued)

- A/63/835 Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/863** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the presidency pro tempore of the Central American Integration System, text of the Special Declaration on Guatemala adopted by the Special Meeting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua on 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/911** Letter, 29 June 2009, from the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela. Transmits communiqués by the Bolivarian Alliance for the Americas (ALBA) regarding the alleged coup d'état in Honduras.
- **A/63/912** Letter, 29 June 2009, from Cuba. Transmits communiqué by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement regarding the alleged coup d'état in Honduras.
- A/63/913 Letter, 29 June 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, communiqué regarding the alleged coup d'état in Honduras.
- **A/63/920** Letter, 6 July 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the situation in Honduras.
- **A/63/925** Letter, 2 July 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the Political Declaration on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, adopted at the Ministerial Conference on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, held in Managua, Nicaragua, on 24 June 2009.
- A/63/928 Letter, 14 July 2009, from Portugal. Transmits, in the capacity as President of the Community of Democracies, text of declaration on Honduras adopted by the 5th Ministerial Meeting of the Community of Democracies held in Lisbon, 11-12 July 2009.

# CENTRAL AMERICA SITUATION (Agenda item 20) (continued)

- **A/63/930** Letter, 17 July 2009, from Honduras. Refers to General Assembly resolution 63/301 and reports that despite the condemnation of the coup and the intense international and regional efforts that have been made, constitutional and democratic order has not been restored in Honduras.
- A/63/937 Letter, 3 Aug. 2009, from El Salvador. Transmits letter dated 17 July 2009 from the Minister for Foreign Affairs announcing the restoration of diplomatic relations between El Salvador and Cuba and copy of the joint communiqué signed by the Ministers for Foreign Affairs.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/63/L.18 The situation in Central America : progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development : draft resolution / Argentina, Belize, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Fiji, France, Germany, Haiti, Honduras, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Morocco, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.
- A/63/L.18/Add.1 The situation in Central America : progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bolivia, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, Ecuador, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Guinea, Hungary, Iraq, Japan, Lithuania, Madagascar, Mexico, Peru, Republic of Korea, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and United States of America.

- A/63/L.74 Situation in Honduras : democracy breakdown : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).
- A/63/L.74/Add.1 Situation in Honduras : democracy breakdown : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Barbados, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominica, Guyana, Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Syrian Arab Republic, Trinidad and Tobago, United States and Uruguay

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.43 (10 Nov. 2008). At the 43rd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.18 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/19.

A/63/PV.91 (29 June 2009).

# CENTRAL AMERICA SITUATION (Agenda item 20) (continued)

A/63/PV.92 (29 June 2009).

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.74, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/301.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/19 The situation in Central America : progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development.

Commends Guatemala for its commitment to combat impunity and strive to strengthen the institutions that buttress the rule of law and the defence of human rights; expresses its appreciation to those that have supported the International Commission against Impunity in Guatemala and urges them to continue their support; calls upon Secretary-General to continue to provide effective and efficient assistance to the Commission; requests the SG to report to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. on the work of the Commission. (Adopted without vote, 43rd plenary meeting, 10 Nov. 2008)

A/RES/63/301 Situation in Honduras : democracy breakdown.

Condemns the coup d'état in the Republic of Honduras; demands the immediate and unconditional restoration of the legitimate and Constitutional Government of the President of the Republic of Honduras, Mr. José Manuel Zelaya Rosales, and of the legally constituted authority in Honduras, so that he may fulfil the mandate for which he was democratically elected by the Honduran people; decides to call upon States to recognize no Government other than that of the Constitutional President; expresses its firm support for the regional efforts being undertaken pursuant to Chapter VIII of the Charter of the UN to resolve the political crisis in Honduras; requests the Secretary-General to inform the General Assembly in a timely manner of the evolving situation in the country. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

# CENTRAL ASIA-NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE

See: NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-CENTRAL ASIA

#### CHAD-AFRICAN REPUBLIC

See: UN MISSION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC AND CHAD-FINANCING

#### CHARTER-UN

See: UN-CHARTER

# CHEMICAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1993) (Agenda item 89k)

# General documents

**A/C.1/63/6** Letter, 21 Oct. 2008, from Thailand. Refers to letter dated 17 Oct. 2008 (A/63/495) from Cambodia and reports that all demining operations conducted by Thailand are within the territory of Thailand and the urgency of demining in the area adjacent to the Temple of Phra Viharn came after 2 Thai rangers stepped on landmines and lost their legs.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.17 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/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.12 (20 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution VIII in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.17) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/48.

# CHEMICAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1993) (Agenda item 89k) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/48 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, acknowledges progress made in the implementation of the action plan for the universality of the Convention, and calls upon all States that have not yet done so to become parties to the Convention without delay; reaffirms the obligation of the States parties to the Convention to destroy chemical weapons and to destroy or convert chemical weapons production facilities within the time limits provided for by the Convention; urges all States parties to the Convention to meet in full and on time their obligations under the Convention and to support the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons in its implementation activities; reaffirms that the provisions of the Convention shall be implemented in a manner that avoids hampering the economic or technological development of States parties and international cooperation in the field of chemical activities for purposes not prohibited under the Convention, including the international exchange of scientific and technical information, and chemicals and equipment for the production, processing or use of chemicals for purposes not prohibited under the Convention. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### CLIMATE (Agenda item 49d)

See also: AGENDA 21-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

# **Reports**

 A/63/294 Implementation of United Nations environmental conventions : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 Aug. 2008. - 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, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 62/86, 62/193 and 62/194.

# General documents

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

# CLIMATE (Agenda item 49d) (continued)

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/63/L.69 International Mother Earth Day : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Barbados, Belarus, Benin, Bhutan, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cape Verde, Chile, China, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Mongolia, Nepal, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Paraguay, Philippines, Portugal, Saint Lucia, Serbia, Seychelles, Somalia, Spain, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Togo, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

A/63/L.69/Add.1 International Mother Earth Day : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belize, Central African Republic, Eritrea, Finland, Germany, Grenada, Guyana, Jordan, Maldives, Myanmar, Peru, Slovenia, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey and Yemen.

 A/C.2/63/L.15 Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.45 (A/63/414/Add.4).

A/C.2/63/L.45 Protection of global climate for present and future generations : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.15.

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

A/63/414 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/414/Add.4 Report of the 2nd Committee.

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A/C.2/63/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.20 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.24 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.29 (25 Nov. 2008).

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.60 (26 Nov. 2008). At the 60th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/414/Add.4 (originally A/C.2/63/L.45) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/32.

A/63/PV.80 (22 Apr. 2009).

At the 80th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.69 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/278.

# CLIMATE (Agenda item 49d) (continued) <u>Resolutions</u>

A/RES/63/32 Protection of global climate for present and future generations.

Stresses the seriousness of climate change, and calls upon States to work cooperatively towards achieving the ultimate objective of the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change through the urgent implementation of its provisions; urges parties to the Convention, and invites parties to the Kyoto Protocol to the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change, to continue to make use of the information contained in the 4th assessment report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change in their work; recognizes the need to provide financial and technical resources, as well as capacity-building and access to and transfer of technology, to assist those developing countries adversely affected by climate change; calls upon the international community to fulfil the commitments made during the 4th replenishment of the Global Environment Facility Trust Fund; 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. (Adopted without vote, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

#### A/RES/63/278 International Mother Earth Day.

Decides to designate 22 Apr. as International Mother Earth Day; and invites all Member States, the organizations of the UN system, international, regional and subregional organizations, civil society, non governmental organizations and relevant stakeholders to observe and raise awareness of International Mother Earth Day, as appropriate. (Adopted without vote, 80th plenary meeting, 22 Apr. 2009)

# **CLUSTER MUNITIONS (Agenda item 89)**

# General documents

**A/C.1/63/5** Letter, 13 Oct. 2008, from Ireland. Transmits final document and convention of the Diplomatic Conference for the Adoption of a Convention on Cluster Munitions held in Dublin on 19 to 30 May 2008.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.56 Convention on Cluster Munitions : draft resolution / Ireland [on behalf of Austria, Ireland, Mexico, New Zealand, Norway and Peru (members of the Core Group of the Oslo Process)].

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee. A/C.1/63/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2008). A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008). A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

# CLUSTER MUNITIONS (Agenda item 89) (continued)

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XXXII in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.56) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/71.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/71 Convention on Cluster Munitions.

Noting that the Convention will be opened for signature at Oslo on 3 Dec. 2008, and will remain open for signature thereafter at UN Headquarters in New York until its entry into force; requests the Secretary-General to render the necessary assistance and to provide such services as may be necessary to fulfil the tasks entrusted to him by the Convention on Cluster Munitions. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# **COLONIAL COUNTRIES**

See: DECOLONIZATION

# COMMODITIES (Agenda item 47d)

# **Reports**

A/63/267 World commodity trends and prospects : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 12 Aug. 2008. - Transmits, as requested by General Assembly resolution 61/190 of 20 Dec. 2006, report on world commodity trends and prospects, prepared by the Secretariat of the UN Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD).

### **General documents**

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.2/63/L.42 Commodities : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

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

A/63/412 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/412/Add.4 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.8 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.28 (20 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.30 (26 Nov. 2008).

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/412/Add.4 (originally A/C.2/63/L.42), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/207.

# COMMODITIES (Agenda item 47d) (continued) Resolutions

#### A/RES/63/207 Commodities.

Notes the deliberations held in the context of the preparatory process for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus, held in Doha, 29 Nov. -2 Dec. 2008; stresses the importance of the continuing substantive consideration of the sub-item entitled "Commodities"; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th session a report on commodities. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# COMMUNITY OF PORTUGUESE-SPEAKING COUNTRIES-UN (Agenda item 114f)

# **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# General documents

**A/63/343** Letter, 20 Aug. 2008, from Portugal. Transmits report of the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries to the 63rd session of the General Assembly on progress achieved in cooperation between the Community and specialized agencies and other bodies and programmes of the UN.

**A/63/344** Letter, 20 Aug. 2008, from Portugal. Transmits, on behalf of the Presidency of the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries, final declaration of the 7th Conference of Heads of State and Government of the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries, held in Lisbon, 24-25 July 2008.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.41 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries : draft resolution / Angola, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Canada, Cape Verde, Czech Republic, Fiji, Guinea-Bissau, Luxembourg, Mauritius, Mozambique, Portugal, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Timor-Leste and Turkey.

A/63/L.41/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries : draft resolution: addendum.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Croatia, Equatorial Guinea, Finland, France, Liberia, Romania, South Africa, Spain and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008). A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

# COMMUNITY OF PORTUGUESE-SPEAKING COUNTRIES–UN (Agenda item 114f) (continued)

A/63/PV.68 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 68th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.41 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/143.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/143 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries. Welcomes the signature of a cooperation agreement between the Executive Secretariat of the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries and the Portuguese Language Unit of the Radio and Television Service of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat, in New York on 25 Apr. 2008; also welcomes the signature of a cooperation agreement between the International Fund for Agricultural Development and the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries on 8 Nov. 2007, on combating rural poverty in Portuguese-speaking developing countries, as well as the work done by the Executive Secretariat of the Community of Portuguesespeaking Countries, within the framework of the technical cooperation project signed in May 2008 with the Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN; further welcomes the establishment of the partnership between the Community of Portuguese-speaking countries and the International Labour Organization Office in Lisbon; encourages the Secretary-General and the Executive Secretary of the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries to initiate consultations with a view to considering the establishment of a formal cooperation agreement: and requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 65th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 68th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR TEST-BAN TREATY (1996)

See: NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS-TREATY

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

See: CLIMATE

# CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT

See: UN. CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT-REPORTS

# CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT-REPORTS (Agenda item 82)

# Draft resolutions/decisions

 A/C.1/63/L.12 Prohibition of the development and manufacture of new types of weapons of mass destruction and new systems of such weapons : report of the Conference on Disarmament : draft resolution / Armenia, Bangladesh, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Azerbaijan, Cuba, Egypt and Nicaragua (A/63/382).

# CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT-REPORTS (Agenda item 82) (continued)

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

A/63/382 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008). At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/382 (originally A/C.1/63/L.12) was adopted (175-1-1): resolution 63/36.

# Resolutions

A/RES/63/36 Prohibition of the development and manufacture of new types of weapons of mass destruction and new systems of such weapons : report of the Conference on Disarmament.

Requests the Conference on Disarmament to keep the matter under review with a view to making recommendations on undertaking specific negotiations on identified types of such weapons; calls upon all States to give favourable consideration to those recommendations: requests the Secretary-General to transmit to the Conference on Disarmament all documents relating to the consideration of this item by the General Assembly at its 63rd sess.: requests the Conference on Disarmament to report the results of any consideration of the matter in its annual reports to the General Assembly; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 66th sess. the item entitled "Prohibition of the development and manufacture of new types of weapons of mass destruction and new systems of such weapons: report of the Conference on Disarmament". (Adopted 175-1-1, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES (Agenda item 89y)

#### Reports

**A/63/171** Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 24 July 2008.

A/63/171/Add.1 Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 11 Sept. 2008.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.10 Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Kuwait, Malaysia, Pakistan, Syrian Arab Republic and Ukraine.

Additional sponsors: Fiji, Kazakhstan and the Marshall Islands (A/63/389).

# CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES (Agenda item 89y) (continued) <u>Discussion in the International Security</u> Committee (1st Committee)

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution V in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.10) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/45.

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/45** Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context.

Calls upon Member States to refrain from the use or threat of use of force in accordance with the purposes and principles of the Charter of UN; calls upon Member States to pursue these ways and means through sustained consultations and dialogue, while at the same time avoiding actions that may hinder or impair such a dialogue; urges States to comply strictly with all bilateral, regional and international agreements to which they are party; encourages the promotion of bilateral and regional confidence-building measures to avoid conflict and prevent the unintended and accidental outbreak of hostilities; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. containing the views of Member States on confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context". (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES-CONVENTIONAL ARMS (Agenda item 89g)

See also: CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS PEACE-CONVENTIONAL DISARMAMENT

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.29 Information on confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Barbados, Belarus, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mexico, Montenegro, Netherlands, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Uganda, United Kingdom, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belize, Bolivia,, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Canada, the Central African Republic, Côte d'Ivoire, Dominica, Fiji, Grenada, Guyana, Kuwait, Malawi, Malta, Nicaragua, Norway, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Timor-Leste, United Republic of Tanzania, the United States and Zimbabwe (A/63/389).

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

### A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

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

A/63/398 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XVII in A/63/398 (originally A/C.1/63/L.29) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/57.

# **CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES-CONVENTIONAL ARMS (Agenda item 89g)** (continued)

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/57 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; encourages Member States to continue the dialogue on confidence building measures in the field of conventional arms; requests the Secretary-General to keep the database updated and to assist Member States in the organization of seminars, courses and workshops aimed at enhancing the knowledge of new developments in this field; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 65th sess. the item entitled "Information on confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms". (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# **CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES-REGIONAL** PROGRAMMES-CENTRAL AFRICA (Agenda item 90q)

See also: DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (12TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1982)-FOLLOW-UP REGIONAL DISARMAMENT

### Reports

A/63/164 Regional confidence-building measures : activities of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 July 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.46 Regional confidence-building measures : activities of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa : draft resolution / Angola, Benin, Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Liberia, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Sierra Leone and Zimbabwe.

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

A/63/390 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution V in A/63/390 (originally A/C.1/63/L.46) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/78.

# CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES-REGIONAL PROGRAMMES-CENTRAL AFRICA (Agenda item 90g) (continued)

# Resolutions

A/RES/63/78 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; reaffirms the importance of disarmament, demobilization and reintegration programmes, and encourages the UN Peacebuilding Commission to support efforts for the political stabilization and reconstruction of post-conflict countries; requests the Secretary-General and the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees to continue their assistance to the countries of Central Africa in tackling the problems of refugees and displaced persons in their territories; requests the Secretary-General and the United Nations 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 to continue to support the ongoing efforts of the States members of the Standing Advisory Committee, including through provision of the assistance needed to ensure the success of their regular biannual meetings. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# **CONVENTION ON BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY (1992)**

See: BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY-TREATY (1992)

# **CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE (1992)** See: CLIMATE

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-TREATY (1980)

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

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT-CONFERENCE (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-TREATY (1972)

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

See: CHEMICAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1993)

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

See: NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-TREATY (DRAFT)

# CONVENTION ON THE PROHIBITION OF THE USE, STOCKPILING, PRODUCTION AND TRANSFER OF ANTI-PERSONNEL MINES AND ON THEIR DESTRUCTION (1997)

See: LANDMINES-TREATY (1997)

# CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (1989)

See: RIGHTS OF THE CHILD

# CONVENTION ON THE USE OF ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS IN INTERNATIONAL CONTRACTS (2005)

See: INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW-REPORTS

# CONVENTIONAL ARMS-REGIONAL PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 89x)

# **Reports**

- A/63/117 Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 July 2008.
- **A/63/117/Add.1** Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2008.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.9 Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Belarus, Egypt, Malaysia, Nepal, Pakistan, Peru, Syrian Arab Republic and Ukraine.

Additional sponsors: Dominican Republic, Fiji, Italy and Spain (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.9) was adopted (175-1-2): resolution 63/44.

# CONVENTIONAL ARMS-REGIONAL PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 89x) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/44 Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels.

Decides to give urgent consideration to the issues involved in conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels; requests the Conference on Disarmament to consider the formulation of principles that can serve as a framework for regional agreements on conventional arms control, and looks forward to a report of the Conference on this subject; requests the Secretary-General to seek the views of Member States on the subject and to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 64th sess.; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels". (Adopted 175-1-2, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS (Agenda item 89c)

See also: CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES-CONVENTIONAL ARMS CONVENTIONAL ARMS-REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1980)

### **Reports**

**A/63/182** Problems arising from the accumulation of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 28 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Group of Governmental Experts established pursuant to General Assembly resolution 61/72 to consider further steps to enhance cooperation with regard to the issue of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.1/63/L.35** Problems arising from the accumulation of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus : draft resolution / France and Germany.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, Ghana, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Uganda, Ukraine and the United Kingdom (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.12 (20 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XXI in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.35) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/61.

# **CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS (Agenda item 89c)** (continued)

# Resolutions

A/RES/63/61 Problems arising from the accumulation of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus.

Encourages all interested States to assess, on a voluntary basis, whether, in conformity with their legitimate security needs, parts of their stockpiles of conventional ammunition should be considered to be in surplus, and recognizes that the security of such stockpiles must be taken into consideration and that appropriate controls with regard to the security and safety of stockpiles of conventional ammunition are indispensable at the national level in order to eliminate the risk of explosion, pollution or diversion; appeals to all interested States to determine the size and nature of their surplus stockpiles of conventional ammunition, whether they represent a security risk, if appropriate, their means of destruction, and whether external assistance is needed to eliminate this risk; encourages States in a position to do so to contribute, on a voluntary and transparent basis, to the development within the UN of technical guidelines for the stockpile management of conventional ammunition; reiterates its decision to address the issue of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus in a comprehensive manner. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# **CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1980)** (Agenda item 93)

# **General documents**

- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/970 (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.31 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 / Greece, Jordan, the Netherlands and Sweden.

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

A/63/393 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.14 (21 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008). At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/393 (originally A/C.1/63/L.31) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/85

# **CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1980)** (Agenda item 93) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/85 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 take all measures to become parties, as soon as possible, 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 the Protocols thereto, as amended, with a view to achieving the widest possible adherence to these instruments at an early date, and so as to ultimately achieve their universality; 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 a non-international character; emphasizes the importance of the universalization of the Protocol on Explosive Remnants of War (Protocol V); requests the Secretary-General to render the necessary assistance and to provide such services, including summary records, as may be required for the Second Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Protocol V, to be held on 10 and 11 Nov. 2008, for the 10th Annual Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Amended Protocol II, to be held on 12 Nov. 2008, and for the Meeting of the High Contracting Parties to the Convention, to be held on 13-14 Nov. 2008, as well as for any continuation of work after the meetings. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# **CORRUPT PRACTICES (Agenda item 51d)** Reports

A/63/86 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 June 2008. - Transmits the report of the Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption on its 2nd sess., held in Nusa Dua, Indonesia, from 28 Jan, to 1 Feb, 2008 (CAC/COSP/2008/15).

A/63/88 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 24 June 2008.

# CORRUPT PRACTICES (Agenda item 51d) (continued)

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/C.2/63/L.32** Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.60 (A/63/416/Add.4).

A/C.2/63/L.60 Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Troy Torrington (Guyana), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.32.

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

A/63/416 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/416/Add.4 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.21 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.22 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.27 (18 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.60) in A/63/416/Add.4 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/226.

# CORRUPT PRACTICES (Agenda item 51d) (continued) Resolutions

**A/RES/63/226** Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption.

Urges all Governments to combat and penalize corruption in all its forms as well as the laundering of proceeds of corruption, to prevent the transfer of illicitly acquired assets, and to work for the prompt return of such assets through asset recovery consistent with the principles of the Convention, particularly chapter V; calls upon States parties to continue to support the work carried out by the Open-ended Intergovernmental Expert Working Groups on Asset Recovery, Technical Assistance and Review of Implementation in order to facilitate the full implementation of the Convention, and the review thereof, and in this regard encourages the Conference of the States Parties to the Convention at its third session to consider the recommendations prepared by the 3 working groups, including the terms of reference for a review mechanism; urges all Member States, consistent with the Convention, 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; and requests the international community to provide, inter alia, 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 as well as for asset recovery consistent with the principles of the Convention, particularly chapter V, and to support national efforts in formulating strategies for mainstreaming and promoting transparency and integrity in both the public and the private sectors. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# COTE D'IVOIRE

See: UN OPERATION IN COTE D'IVOIRE-FINANCING

# COUNCIL OF EUROPE–UN (Agenda item 114g)

# **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# COUNCIL OF EUROPE–UN (Agenda item 114g) (continued)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

 A/63/L.12 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

 A/63/L.12/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsors: Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Georgia, Greece, Israel, Italy, Japan, Malta, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova and the former Yugoslav Republic of

Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

At the 37th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.12 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/14.

#### **Resolutions**

Macedonia

A/RES/63/14 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe.

Calls for the reinforcement of cooperation and synergies with the Council of Europe regarding the protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms; encourages further cooperation between the 2 organizations through their mechanisms; supports the development of cooperation between the UN Peacebuilding Commission and the Council of Europe; encourages cooperation between UNHCR and the Council of Europe in the field of nationality and cooperation between UN and the Council of Europe in the area of democracy and good governance; encourages cooperation between the 2 organizations regarding the fight against transnational organized crime, cyber crime, corruption and money-laundering, as well as regarding the protection of the rights of victims of crime and the promotion of human rights and the rule of law in the information society; encourages cooperation between UN and its specialized agencies; reiterates its support for cooperation between the 2 organizations in the social field; encourages joint action between the UNESCO and the Council of Europe in the context of the follow-up to the Faro Platform; requests the Secretaries-General of UN and the Council of Europe to combine their efforts in seeking answers to global challenges. (Adopted without vote, 37th plenary meeting, 3 Nov. 2008)

# **CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 97)**

See also: INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT-REPORTS

# **Reports**

A/63/87 African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 4 July 2008.

- **A/63/89** Assistance in implementing the universal conventions and protocols related to terrorism : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 24 June 2008.
- **A/63/90** Improving the coordination of efforts against trafficking in persons : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 July 2008.
- A/63/99 Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 4 July 2008.

#### General documents

- **A/63/739** (S/2009/114) Identical letters, 19 Feb. 2009, from New Zealand addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Transmits, on behalf of the members of the Pacific Islands Forum, the conclusions of the Regional Consultation Workshop on measures for the legislative implementation of the legal regime against terrorism in the Pacific region and related technical assistance delivery, organized by the UN Office on Drugs and Crime in cooperation with the Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat, held in Suva, 2-3 June 2008.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/829** Note verbale, 21 Apr. 2009, from Belarus. Transmits joint letter of 2 Apr. 2009 from the representatives of Bahrain, Belarus, Egypt, Nicaragua and the Philippines proposing that a debate on the advisability of adopting a UN global plan of action for a collective, comprehensive and coordinated approach towards combating trafficking in persons be held under the auspices of the President of the General Assembly.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/844 (S/2009/237) Identical letters, 4 May 2009, from Kenya addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Transmits copy of the outcome document of the subregional workshop on the preparation of responses to the United Nations Security Council Committees dealing with counter-terrorism, held in Nairobi from 11 to 13 Nov. 2008.

# CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 97) (continued)

- **A/63/845** Letter, 6 May 2009, from Bahrain. Transmits the Manama Declaration on Human Trafficking, which was adopted at the International Conference entitled "Human Trafficking at the Crossroads", held in Manama, Bahrain, from 1 to 3 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/865** (S/2009/273) Letter, 21 May 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement on the growing threat to international security posed by the spread of narcotic drugs from Afghanistan made by the State Duma of the Russian Federal Assembly, 6 May 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.3/63/L.2 Preparations for the 12th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice : note / by the Secretariat.

Transmits draft resolution, recommended by the Economic and Social Council by its resolution 2008/22, for adoption by the General Assembly.

**A/C.3/63/L.9** Improving the coordination of efforts against trafficking in persons : draft resolution / Belarus, Russian Federation and Uzbekistan.

Additional sponsors: Cape Verde and Nicaragua (A/63/431).

A/C.3/63/L.9/Rev.1 Improving the coordination of efforts against trafficking in persons : revised draft resolution / Belarus, Ecuador, Philippines, Russian Federation, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan.

Additional sponsors: the Philippines, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan. Subsequently, the Bahamas, Bahrain, El Salvador, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Lebanon, Mauritius (on behalf of the Group of African States), Mexico, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Thailand and the United Arab Emirates (A/63/431).

**A/C.3/63/L.10** Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity : draft resolution / Italy.

Additional sponsors: Costa Rica, Guatemala, Panama, Paraguay, Peru and Turkey (A/63/431).

### CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 97) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.10/Rev.1 Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxemburg, Malaysia, Malta, Mexico, Mongolia, Netherlands, Pakistan, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Angola, Armenia, Bangladesh, Belarus, Benin, Cape Verde, the Congo, Cote d'Ivoire, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Ghana, Haiti, Honduras, Iceland, Indonesia, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Montenegro, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, the Philippines, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Senegal, Serbia, Sierra Leone, the Sudan, Swaziland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, the United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay (A/63/431).

A/C.3/63/L.11 United Nations African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders : draft resolution / Kenya [on behalf of the Group of African States].

Additional sponsors: Costa Rica and Nicaragua (A/63/431).

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

A/63/431 Report of the 3rd Committee.
A/C.3/63/SR.5 (9 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.6 (9 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.7 (10 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.11 (14 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.15 (16 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.23 (23 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

# CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 97) (continued)

### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 71st meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/431 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/63/L.2), adopted without vote: resolution 63/193; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/63/L.9/Rev.1), as orally revised, adopted without vote: resolution 63/194; draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/63/L.10/Rev.1), adopted without vote: resolution 63/195; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.3/63/L.11), as orally revised, adopted without vote: resolution 63/195; draft decision entitled "Documents considered by the General Assembly in connection with the question of crime prevention and criminal justice" adopted without vote: decision 63/536.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/193 Preparations for the 12th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice. Notes the progress made thus far in the preparations for the 12th UN Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice; decides to hold the 12th Congress in Salvador, Brazil, from 12 to 19 Apr. 2010, with pre Congress consultations to be held on 11 Apr. 2010; also decides that the high level segment of the 12th Congress shall be held during the last two days of the Congress; further decides that the main theme of the 12th Congress shall be "Comprehensive strategies for global challenges: crime prevention and criminal justice systems and their development in a changing world"; requests the Secretary General to appoint a Secretary General and an Executive Secretary of the 12th Congress; requests the Commission to accord sufficient time at its 18th session to reviewing the progress made in the preparations for the 12th Congress. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 97) (continued)

**A/RES/63/194** Improving the coordination of efforts against trafficking in persons.

Urges Member States that have not yet done so to consider taking measures to ratify or accede to the UN Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime; also urges Member States that have not yet done so to consider taking measures to ratify or accede to the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography, the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and the Supplementary Convention on the Abolition of Slavery, the Slave Trade, and Institutions and Practices Similar to Slavery, and to implement fully all aspects of those instruments; invites all Member States to accelerate the consideration of the advisability of a global plan of action on preventing trafficking in persons, prosecuting traffickers and protecting and assisting victims of trafficking, which would achieve the full and effective coordination of efforts against trafficking in persons of all Member States, organizations, machineries, treaty bodies and all other partners within and outside the UN system, including civil society, and ensure the full and effective implementation of all legal instruments relevant to trafficking in persons. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/195 Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity. Urges Member States and relevant international

organizations to develop national and regional strategies, as appropriate, and other necessary measures to address effectively transnational organized crime, including trafficking in persons, the smuggling of migrants and illicit manufacturing of and transnational trafficking in fire arms, as well as corruption and terrorism; urges the UN Office on Drugs and Crime to continue to assist Member States, upon request, in combating the illicit trafficking in firearms, their parts and components and ammunition, and to support them in their efforts to address its links with other forms of transnational organized crime, through, inter alia, technical assistance; requests the UN Office on Drugs and Crime to enhance its technical assistance to Member States, upon request, to strengthen international cooperation in preventing and combating terrorism through the facilitation of the ratification and implementation of the universal conventions and protocols related to terrorism. in close consultation with the Counter-Terrorism Committee and its Executive Directorate, as well as to contribute to the work of the Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force, and invites Member States to provide the Office with appropriate resources for its mandate (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# CRIME PREVENTION (Agenda item 97) (continued)

A/RES/63/196 United Nations African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders. Requests the Secretary General to intensify efforts to mobilize all relevant entities of the United Nations system to provide the necessary financial and technical support to the Institute to enable it to fulfil its mandate; requests the Secretary General to continue his efforts to mobilize the financial resources necessary to maintain the Institute with the core professional staff required to enable it to function effectively in the fulfilment of its mandated obligations; 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; requests the Secretary General to continue making concrete proposals, including for 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 64th session on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# **CRIMINAL COURT**

See: INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT-REPORTS

#### **CTBTO PREPCOM-UN**

See: PREPARATORY COMMISSION FOR THE COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR-TEST-BAN TREATY ORGANIZATION–UN

#### CUBA–UNITED STATES (Agenda item 19)

#### **Reports**

A/63/93 Necessity of ending the economic, commercial and financial embargo imposed by the United States of America against Cuba : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 1 Aug. 2008. - Transmits replies received from Governments and entities of the UN System, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 62/3.

A/63/93/Add.1 Necessity of ending the economic, commercial and financial embargo imposed by the United States of America against Cuba : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 27 Oct. 2008. - Transmits replies received from Tajikistan.

## **General documents**

**A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.

# CUBA–UNITED STATES (Agenda item 19) (continued)

- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/967** (S/2009/515) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Special Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the Non-Aligned Movement on the necessity of ending the economic, commercial and financial embargo imposed by the United States of America against Cuba, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/63/L.4** 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/63/PV.33** (29 Oct. 2008). At the 33rd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.4 was adopted (185-3-2): resolution 63/7.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/7 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 64th sess. (Adopted 185-3-2, 33rd plenary meeting, 29 Oct. 2008)

#### CULTURE–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 51c)

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

A/63/416 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/416/Add.3 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.21 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.22 (29 Oct. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/63/416/Add.3): decision 63/541.

### **CYPRUS**

See: CYPRUS QUESTION

UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS-FINANCING

### CYPRUS QUESTION (Agenda item 21)

See also: UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS-FINANCING

#### **General documents**

**A/63/543** (S/2008/704) Letter, 7 Nov. 2008, from Cyprus. Reports alleged violations of international air traffic regulations and the national airspace of Cyprus by military aircraft of the Turkish Air Force, recorded from 30 July to 31 Oct. 2008.

Title corrected by A/63/543/Corr.1-S/2008/704/Corr.1.

A/63/543/Corr.1 (S/2008/704/Corr.1) Letter, 7 Nov. 2008, from Cyprus.

Corrects title of document A/63/543-S/2008/704.

- **A/63/554** (S/2008/719) Letter, 14 Nov. 2008, from Cyprus. Transmits letter from the President concerning an incident which allegedly occurred on 13 Nov. 2008 off the southern territorial waters of Cyprus whereby vessels conducting exploratory surveys within the exclusive economic zone of Cyprus received threats by a Turkish warship and were forced to withdraw within the territorial waters of Cyprus.
- A/63/566 (S/2008/731) Letter, 21 Nov. 2008, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 20 Nov. 2008 from Kemal Gökeri of the Turkish Cypriot community refuting allegations of violations of international air traffic regulations and the national airspace of Cyprus by Turkish aircraft (A/63/543-S/2008/704 and Corr.1).
- A/63/574 (S/2008/741) Letter, 26 Nov. 2008, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 26 Nov. 2008 from Kemal Gökeri of the Turkish Cypriot Community forwarding letter by Mehmet Ali Talat of the Turkish Cypriot Community; refers to letter from Cyprus (A/63/554-S/2008/719) and states the views of the Turkish Cypriot side regarding the delimitation of maritime jurisdiction areas as well as the exploration of oil and natural gas in the Eastern Mediterranean.

# CYPRUS QUESTION (Agenda item 21) (continued)

- **A/63/575** (S/2008/742) Letter, 26 Nov. 2008, from Cyprus. Refers to letter dated 14 Nov. 2008 (A/63/554-S/2008/719) and transmits letter from the President concerning incidents which allegedly occurred on 19 and 21 Nov. 2008 whereby vessels conducting oceanographic and research work within the exclusive economic zone, south of the coast of Cyprus received threats by Turkish warships and were forced to return to Cypriot territorial waters.
- **A/63/578** (S/2008/749) Letter, 28 Nov. 2008, from Turkey. Transmits letter of the same date from Kemal Gökeri of the Turkish Cypriot Community forwarding letter by Mehmet Ali Talat of the Turkish Cypriot Community refuting allegations made in the speeches by the representatives of Cyprus during the latest high-level plenary of the UN General Assembly, as well as in the letter circulated as a UN document (A/63/378) on the ongoing talks to reach a political settlement in Cyprus.
- **A/63/579** (S/2008/750) Letter, 28 Nov. 2008, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 12 Aug. 2008 from Kemal Gökeri of the Turkish Cypriot Community conveying comments on statement made by the representative of Cyprus to the 3rd Committee at the 63rd session of the General Assembly on agenda item 64 (b), "Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms".
- **A/63/599** (S/2008/788) Letter, 10 Dec. 2008, from Cyprus. Refers to letter dated 7 Nov. 2008 (A/63/543-S/2008/704) and reports alleged violations of international air traffic regulations and the national airspace of Cyprus by military aircraft of the Turkish Air Force, recorded from 2 to 27 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/711** (S/2009/81) Letter, 6 Feb. 2009, from Cyprus. Refers to letter dated 10 Dec. 2008 (A/63/599-S/2008/788) and reports alleged violations of international air traffic regulations and the national airspace of Cyprus by military aircraft of the Turkish Air Force, recorded from 2 Dec. 2008 to 28 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/742** (S/2009/115) Letter, 25 Feb. 2009, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 24 Feb. 2009 from Kemal Gökeri of the Turkish Cypriot Community refuting alleged violations of international air traffic regulations and the national airspace of Cyprus by Turkish aircraft (A/63/711-S/2009/81).
- **A/63/813** (S/2009/187) Letter, 7 Apr. 2009, from Cyprus. Refers to letter dated 6 Feb. 2009 (A/63/711-S/2009/81) and reports alleged violations of international air traffic regulations and the national airspace of Cyprus by military aircraft of the Turkish Air Force, recorded from 2 Feb. 2009 to 28 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/828 (S/2009/216) Letter, 17 Apr. 2009, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 15 Apr. 2009 from Kemal Gökeri of the Turkish Cypriot community forwarding letter dated 14 Apr. from Mehmet Ali Talat of the Turkish Cypriot community concerning alleged activities of the Greek Cypriot Community regarding the delimitation of maritime jurisdiction areas in the Eastern Mediterranean.

### CYPRUS QUESTION (Agenda item 21) (continued)

- A/63/875 (S/2009/291) Letter, 4 June 2009, from Cyprus. Reports alleged violation of Cyprus's sovereignty and territorial integrity, as well as its air and maritime space, by Turkey on 27 and 28 May 2009.
- A/63/878 (S/2009/294) Letter, 5 June 2009, from Cyprus. Reports alleged violations of the airspace of Cyprus by military aircraft of the Turkish Air Force, 1 Apr. - 28 May 2009.
- A/63/887 (S/2009/313) Letter, 17 June 2009, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 16 June 2009 from Kemal Gökeri of the Turkish Cypriot community refuting alleged violations of international air traffic regulations and the national airspace of Cyprus by Turkish aircraft (A/63/878-S/2009/294).
- A/63/888 (S/2009/321) Letter, 19 June 2009, from Cyprus. Transmits letter dated 19 June 2009 from Kemal Gökeri of the Turkish Cypriot Community refuting alleged distortions of the realities of the Cyprus question (S/2009/296) and states that the Turkish Cypriot Community remains committed to finding a comprehensive settlement to Cyprus question.
- A/63/939 (S/2009/417) Letter, 10 Aug. 2009, from Cyprus. Reports alleged violations of international air traffic regulations and the airspace of Cyprus by military aircraft of the Turkish Air Force, 1 June-31 July 2009.
- A/63/948 (S/2009/428) Letter, 19 Aug. 2009, from Turkey. Transmits letter dated 19 Aug. 2009 from Kemal Gökeri of the Turkish Cypriot Community refuting alleged violations of international air traffic regulations and the airspace of Cyprus by Turkish aircraft (A/63/939-S/2009/417).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

#### **DEBTOR COUNTRIES**

See: EXTERNAL DEBT

# DECADE TO ROLL BACK MALARIA IN **DEVELOPING COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY IN** AFRICA (2001-2010)

See: MALARIA-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2001-2010)

### **DECLARATION OF COMMITMENT ON HIV/AIDS** (2001)

See: HIV/AIDS-DECLARATIONS

### **DECOLONIZATION (Agenda item 37)**

See also: AMERICAN SAMOA QUESTION ANGUILLA QUESTION BERMUDA QUESTION BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION CAYMAN ISLANDS QUESTION DECOLONIZATION-UN SYSTEM **GIBRALTAR QUESTION** GUAM QUESTION MONTSERRAT QUESTION NEW CALEDONIA QUESTION NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-ECONOMIC INTERESTS NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-**FELLOWSHIPS** NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-REPORTS PITCAIRN QUESTION SAINT HELENA QUESTION SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES TOKELAU QUESTION TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS QUESTION UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION

# Reports

A/63/23 (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008

Issued: 2008.

A/63/23/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008 : addendum.

Issued: 16 Sept. 2008.

A/63/61 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: 21 Feb. 2008.

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

- A/63/408 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).
- A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.5 (9 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.6 (10 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

#### **DECOLONIZATION (Agenda item 37) (continued)**

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

# **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/408 was as follows; draft resolution IV entitled "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", adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and B; draft resolution V entitled "Dissemination of information on decolonization", adopted (177-3-1): resolution 63/109; draft resolution VI entitled "Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples", adopted (177-3-1): resolution 63/110; draft decision II, entitled "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", adopted without vote: decision 63/526.

#### **Resolutions**

# A/RES/63/108[A] General.

Requests the administering Powers to transmit regularly to the Secretary-General information called for under Article 73 e of the Charter; requests the Territories and the administering Powers to take all necessary measures to protect and conserve the environment: stresses the importance of implementing the plan of action for the Second International Decade for the Eradication of Colonialism; requests the Special Committee to collaborate with the Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues and the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, within the framework of their respective mandates, with the aim of exchanging information on developments in those Non-Self-Governing Territories which are reviewed by those bodies; also 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 64th sess. and on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/108A-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 into 2 parts, A/RES/63/108 A and B; A/RES/63/108 A: General and A/RES/63/108 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 without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

#### **DECOLONIZATION (Agenda item 37) (continued)**

#### A/RES/63/108[B] Individual territories.

(Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/109** Dissemination of information on decolonization.

Approves the activities in the field of dissemination of information on decolonization undertaken by the Department of Public Information and the Department of Political Affairs of the Secretariat; requests the Secretary-General to further enhance the information provided on the UN decolonization website by including the full series of reports of the regional seminars on decolonization; requests the Department of Public Information to continue its efforts to update web-based information on the assistance programmes available to the Non-Self-Governing Territories; requests the Department of Political Affairs and the Department of Public Information to implement the recommendations of the Special Committee. (Adopted 177-3-1, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/110** Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

Calls upon the administering Powers to take all steps necessary to enable the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories concerned to exercise fully as soon as possible their right to self-determination, including independence; reaffirms once again that the existence of colonialism in any form or manifestation, including economic exploitation, is incompatible with the Charter of the United Nations, the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples and the Universal Declaration of Human Rights; requests the Secretary-General, the specialized agencies and other organizations of the United Nations system to provide economic, social and other assistance to the Non-Self-Governing Territories and to continue to do so, as appropriate, after they exercise their right to selfdetermination, including independence; approves the 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 covering its work during 2008, including the programme of work envisaged for 2009. (Adopted 177-3-1, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

## **DECOLONIZATION–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 35)**

See also: DECOLONIZATION

NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-ECONOMIC INTERESTS NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-FELLOWSHIPS NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-REPORTS SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

#### **Reports**

A/63/61 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: 21 Feb. 2008.

#### **General documents**

A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

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

**A/63/406** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2	(6 Oct. 2008).
A/C.4/63/SR.3	(7 Oct. 2008).
A/C.4/63/SR.5	(9 Oct. 2008).
A/C.4/63/SR.6	(10 Oct. 2008).
A/C.4/63/SR.7	(13 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/406, 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 (125-0-55): resolution 63/103.

# DECOLONIZATION–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 35) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/103** 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 in the specialized agencies and other organizations of the UN system; requests the specialized agencies and other organizations of the UN system and international and regional organizations to examine and review conditions in each Territory so as to take appropriate measures to accelerate progress in the economic and social sectors of the Territories; urges those specialized agencies and other organizations of the UN system that have not yet provided assistance to Non-Self-Governing Territories to do so as soon as possible; encourages the Non-Self-Governing Territories to take steps to establish and/or strengthen disaster preparedness and management institutions and policies, inter alia, with the assistance of the relevant specialized agencies; requests the specialized agencies to report periodically to the Secretary-General on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 125-0-55, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### 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

UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO-FINANCING

# DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO-ARMED AGGRESSION (Agenda item 22)

#### General documents

**A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

# DEPLETED URANIUM (Agenda item 89p)

# Reports

- A/63/170 Effects of the use of armaments and ammunitions containing depleted uranium : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 24 July 2008.
- A/63/170/Add.1 Effects of the use of armaments and ammunitions containing depleted uranium : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 15 Sept. 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.26 Effects of the use of armaments and ammunitions containing depleted uranium : draft resolution / Indonesia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement].

Additional sponsor: Uruguay (A/63/389).

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

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XIV in A/63/398 (originally A/C.1/63/L.26) was adopted (141-4-34): resolution 63/54.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/54 Effects of the use of armaments and ammunitions containing depleted uranium.

Invites Member States and relevant international organizations to communicate to the Secretary-General their views on the effects of the use of armaments and ammunitions containing depleted uranium; requests SG to request relevant international organizations to update and complete their studies and research on the effects of the use of armaments and ammunitions containing depleted uranium on human health and the environment; requests SG to submit an updated report on this subject to the General Assembly at its 65th sess.; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 65th sess. an item entitled "Effects of the use of armaments and ammunitions containing depleted uranium". (Adopted 141-4-34, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# DESERTIFICATION-TREATY (1994) (Agenda item 49e)

See also: AGENDA 21–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT–DEVELOPING ISLAND COUNTRIES–CONFERENCE (1994 : BRIDGETOWN)–FOLLOW-UP

# **Reports**

A/63/294 Implementation of United Nations environmental conventions : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 Aug. 2008. - 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, pursuant to General Assembly resolutions 62/86, 62/193 and 62/194.

#### **General documents**

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/63/L.16 Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.53 (A/63/414/Add.5).

A/C.2/63/L.53 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, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.16.

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

 A/63/414
 Report of the 2nd Committee.

 A/63/414/Add.5
 Report of the 2nd Committee.

 A/C.2/63/SR.17
 (27 Oct. 2008).

 A/C.2/63/SR.18
 (27 Oct. 2008).

 A/C.2/63/SR.19
 (28 Oct. 2008).

 A/C.2/63/SR.20
 (28 Oct. 2008).

 A/C.2/63/SR.24
 (4 Nov. 2008).

 A/C.2/63/SR.30
 (26 Nov. 2008).

# DESERTIFICATION-TREATY (1994) (Agenda item 49e) (continued)

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.53) in A/63/414/Add.5, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/218.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/218 Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa.

Reaffirms its decision to declare the decade 2010-2020 as the UN Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification; continues to support the efforts of the Executive Secretary of the Convention to continue the administrative renewal and reform of the secretariat: notes the request made for an assessment of the Global Mechanism by the Joint Inspection Unit; Invites the Executive Secretary of the Convention to actively prepare for and participate in the 17th session of the Commission on Sustainable Development; urges the Committee on Science and Technology to accelerate its efforts to establish links with scientific communities in order to make full use of relevant initiatives in areas relating to sustainable land and water management; stresses the need to accelerate the ongoing process of adopting the euro as the budgetary and accounting currency of the Convention secretariat. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# DEVELOPING ISLAND COUNTRIES-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

See: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-DEVELOPING ISLAND COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (1994 : BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP

## **DEVELOPMENT FINANCE (Agenda item 47b)**

See also: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE-CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)-FOLLOW-UP

EXTERNAL DEBT

POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2ND: 2008-2017)

# **Reports**

A/63/96 The international financial system and development : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 1 July 2008.

#### **General documents**

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

# DEVELOPMENT FINANCE (Agenda item 47b) (continued)

# Draft resolutions/decisions

 A/C.2/63/L.9 International financial system and development : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.41. A/C.2/63/L.41 International financial system and

development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the 2nd Committee, Martin Hoppe (Germany), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.9.

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

A/63/412 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/412/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.8 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.23 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.28 (20 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.41) in A/63/412/Add.2, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/205.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/205 International financial system and development.

Expresses concern at the impact of the current global financial crisis on development, and notes that its impact on financing for development was addressed at the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus, held in Doha, 29 Nov. -2 Dec. 2008; stresses the importance of the continued substantive consideration by the General Assembly of the issue of the international financial system and development, and in this regard notes the deliberations held in the context of the preparatory process for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development, at which this issue was addressed. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 48)

See also: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

### **Reports**

A/63/179 The latest developments related to the review process on financing for development and implementation of the Monterrey Consensus : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 July 2008.

#### DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 48) (continued)

- A/63/625 Doha Declaration on Financing for Development : outcome document of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/63/L.57 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/838** Recommendations of the Commission of Experts of the President of the General Assembly on Reforms of the International Monetary and Financial System : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

Issued: 29 Apr. 2009.

#### General documents

- A/63/80 (E/2008/67) 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, 14 April 2008) / by the President of the Economic and Social Council.
- A/63/123 Letter, 8 July 2008, from Italy. Transmits, on behalf of the Presidency of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, resolutions adopted at the 118th Assembly of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held in Cape Town, South Africa, 18 Apr. 2008.
- A/63/345 Proposed organization of work of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008) : note / by the Secretary-General.
- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/825 Proposed organization of work of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development (New York, 1-3 June 2009) : note / by the Secretariat.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.

#### DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 48) (continued)

- A/63/836 Letter, 20 Apr. 2009, from the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela. Transmits document of the countries of the Bolivarian Alternative for the Americas (ALBA) adopted at the 7th ALBA Summit, held in Cumaná, Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, on 16 and 17 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/872** Letter, 8 Apr. 2009, from Portugal. Transmits, in the capacity as Co-Chair of the African Partnership Forum, key messages to the London Summit of the Group of 20.
- **A/63/893** Letter, 4 June 2009, from the Syrian Arab Republic. Transmits Damascus Declaration on Responding to the International Financial Crisis in the ESCWA Region, adopted at the Regional High-Level Consultative Forum on the Impacts of the International Financial Crisis on the ESCWA Member Countries: the Way Forward, Damascus, 5-7 May 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/C.2/63/2** Note verbale, 6 Oct. 2008, from Chile. Transmits letter dated 24 Sept. 2008 from the Presidents of Brazil, Chile and Spain and the Minister for Foreign and European Affairs of France addressed to the Secretary-General transmitting the Declaration on Innovative Sources of Financing for Development, which was signed on 24 Sept. 2008 by the founding members of the "Action against Hunger and Poverty" initiative.
- A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.
- A/C.2/63/5 Letter, 31 Oct. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits lists of intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations seeking accreditation to the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus.

### DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 48) (continued)

- A/C.5/63/19 Doha Declaration on Financing for Development : outcome document of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/63/L.57 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/63/22 Organization of the United Nations conference at the highest level on the world financial and economic crisis and its impact on development : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/63/L.66 : statement/ submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.57 Doha Declaration on Financing for Development : outcome document of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.
- A/63/L.66 Organization of the United Nations conference at the highest level on the world financial and economic crisis and its impact on development : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.
- A/63/L.71 Arrangements and organization of work of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development (New York, 1-3 June 2009) : draft decision / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.
- A/63/L.75 Outcome document of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and its Impact on Development : draft resolution / by the President of the General Assembly.
- A/63/L.77 Establishment of an ad hoc open-ended working group of the General Assembly to follow up on the issues contained in the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and its Impact on Development : draft resolution / by the President of the General Assembly.
- A/63/L/102 High-Level Dialogue of the General Assembly on Financing for Development : draft decision / Mexico.
- A/C.2/63/L.19 Arrangements and organization of work of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008) : draft decision / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Martin Hoppe (Germany).
- A/C.2/63/L.20 Provisional rules of procedure for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008) : draft decision / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Martin Hoppe (Germany).

#### DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 48) (continued)

- A/C.2/63/L.21 Provisional agenda for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008) : draft decision / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Martin Hoppe (Germany).
- A/C.2/63/L.22 Accreditation of intergovernmental organizations to the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008) : draft decision / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Martin Hoppe (Germany).
- A/C.2/63/L.23 Accreditation of non-governmental organizations to the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008) : draft decision / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Martin Hoppe (Germany).
- A/C.2/63/L.37 Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

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

A/63/413(Parti) Report of the 2nd Committee. Document symbol corrected by A/63/413(Parti)/Corr.1.

A/63/413(Parti)/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee : corrigendum.

Corrects document symbol of A/63/413 to A/63/413(PartI).

A/63/413(PartII) Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.11	(16 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.12	(16 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.23	(3 Nov. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.25	(5 Nov. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.26	(5 Nov. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.27	(18 Nov. 2008).
A/C 2/63/SB 29	(25 Nov. 2008)

A/C.2/63/SR.29 (25 Nov. 2008).

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

A/63/657 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/807 Report of the 5th Committee.

# DEVELOPMENT FINANCE-CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 48) (continued)

# **Discussion in plenary**

# A/63/PV.53 (18 Nov. 2008).

At the 53rd meeting, action on draft decisions in A/63/413(PartI) was as follows: draft decision I (originally A/C.2/63/L.19) entitled "Arrangements and organization of work of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 Nov. -2 Dec. 2008)", adopted without vote: decision 63/509; draft decision II (originally A/C.2/63/L.20) entitled "Provisional rules of procedure for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 Nov. -2 Dec. 2008)", adopted without vote: decision 63/510; draft decision III (originally A/C.2/63/L.21) entitled "Provisional agenda for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 Nov. -2 Dec. 2008)", adopted without vote: decision 63/511; draft decision IV (originally A/C.2/63/L.22) entitled "Accreditation of intergovernmental organizations to the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 Nov.-2 Dec. 2008) " adopted without vote: decision 63/512; draft decision V (originally A/C.2/63/L.25) entitled "Accreditation of nongovernmental organizations to the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 Nov. -2 Dec. 2008)", adopted without vote: decision 63/513.

#### A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.37) in A/63/413 (Part II), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/208.

#### A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.57 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/239.

#### A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.66 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/277.

#### A/63/PV.82 (8 May 2009).

At the 82nd meeting, draft decision A/63/L.71, entitled "Arrangements and organization of work of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development (New York, 1-3 June 2009)" was adopted without vote: decision 63/555.

#### A/63/PV.84 (26 May 2009).

At the 84th meeting, the General Assembly decided to hold the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development from 24 to 26 June 2009 : decision 63/556.

### DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 48) (continued)

A/63/PV.95 (9 July 2009).

At the 95th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.75, entitled "Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development" was adopted without vote: resolution 63/303.

A/63/PV.102 (31 July 2009).

At the 102nd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.77 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/305.

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009). At the 105th meeting, draft decision A/63/L.102 was adopted without vote: decision 63/564.

### Resolutions

**A/RES/63/208** Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus.

Notes the deliberations held in the context of the preparatory process for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus, held in Doha, 29 Nov. -2 Dec. 2008; stresses the importance of continued discussions on the issue of financing for development; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 64th session on the progress made in the implementation of the Monterrey Consensus of the International Conference on Financing for Development. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/239 Doha Declaration on Financing for Development : outcome document of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus.

Decides to endorse the Doha Declaration on Financing for Development: outcome document of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/277** Organization of a United Nations conference at the highest level on the world financial and economic crisis and its impact on development.

Requests the Secretary-General to prepare a report, based upon the analytical work of UN programmes, departments and organizations, on the origins and causes of the present crisis, the mechanisms of its transmission to the developing countries, the potential impact of the crisis on development, the response of the UN to the crisis through its development activities and national and international policy responses to date; and requests the President of the General Assembly, through an open, transparent and inclusive process led by the Member States, to present in a timely manner a draft text based upon all preparatory inputs to serve as the basis for an outcome document, to be agreed by the Member States. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

#### DEVELOPMENT FINANCE–CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 48) (continued)

A/RES/63/303 Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and its Impact on Development.

Decides to endorse the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development. (Adopted without vote, 95th plenary meeting, 9 July 2009)

A/RES/63/305 Establishment of an Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group of the General Assembly to Follow up on the Issues Contained in the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and its Impact on Development.

Decides to establish an ad hoc open-ended working group of the General Assembly to follow up on the issues contained in the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development; requests the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group to submit a report on the progress of its work to the General Assembly before the end of the 64th session. (Adopted without vote, 102nd plenary meeting, 31 July 2009)

# DIAMONDS–FUELLING CONFLICT (Agenda item 11)

### **General documents**

**A/63/560** Letter, 20 Nov. 2008, from India. Transmits, on behalf of the Chair of the Kimberley Process, the 2008 Kimberley Process report, submitted pursuant to para. 21 of General Assembly resolution 62/11.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/63/L.52 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 / Argentina, India, Namibia, Singapore, South Africa and Turkey.
- A/63/L.52/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: Armenia, Australia, Botswana, Brazil, Canada, Guyana, Japan, New Zealand, Philippines, Russian Federation, Thailand, Ukraine and United States of America.

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.52, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/134.

# DIAMONDS-FUELLING CONFLICT (Agenda item 11) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/134** 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 and the Kimberley Process as a whole; notes the decision of the General Council of the World Trade Organization of 15 May 2003 granting a waiver with respect to the measures taken to implement the Kimberley Process Certification Scheme, effective from 1 Jan. 2003 to 31 Dec. 2006, and the decision of the General Council of 17 Nov. 2006 granting an extension of the waiver until 31 Dec. 2012; stresses that the widest possible participation in the Kimberley Process Certification Scheme is essential; notes with appreciation the cooperation of the Kimberley Process with the UN on the issue of diamonds from Côte d'Ivoire; stresses the importance of implementing the declaration on internal controls in diamond trading and manufacturing centres endorsed by the plenary meeting of the Kimberley Process, held in Brussels from 5 to 8 Nov. 2007; requests the Chair of the Kimberley Process to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th session a report on the implementation of the Process. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

#### DIPLOMATIC INDEBTEDNESS

See: UN-HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS

#### **DIPLOMATS' SECURITY (Agenda item 77)**

#### **Reports**

A/63/121 Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 July 2008.

A/63/121/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: 26 Sept. 2008.

A/63/121/Add.1/Corr.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 : corrigendum.

Issued: 3 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# DIPLOMATS' SECURITY (Agenda item 77) (continued)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.6/63/L.12 Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Lebanon, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malawi, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Trinidad and Tobago and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland:.

# Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/441 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.14 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.25 (5 Nov. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/441 (originally A/C.6/63/L.12) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/126.

# DIPLOMATS' SECURITY (Agenda item 77) (continued) Resolutions

**A/RES/63/126** 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, as well as against missions and representatives of international intergovernmental organizations and officials of such organizations, and emphasizes that such acts can never be justified; urges States to strictly observe, implement and enforce the applicable principles and rules of international law governing diplomatic and consular relations; also urges States to take all appropriate measures at the national and international levels to prevent any acts of violence against the missions, representatives and officials mentioned in paragraph 2 above, including during a period of armed conflict, and to ensure, with the participation of the United Nations where appropriate, that such acts are fully investigated with a view to bringing offenders to justice; recommends that States cooperate closely through, inter alia, contacts between the diplomatic and consular missions and the receiving State with regard to practical measures designed to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives and with regard to the exchange of information on the circumstances of all serious violations thereof; urges States to take all appropriate measures, in accordance with international law, at the national and international levels, to prevent any abuse of diplomatic or consular privileges and immunities, in particular serious abuses, including those involving acts of violence. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# **DISABLED PERSONS (Agenda item 55b)**

See also: DISABLED PERSONS-PROGRAMME OF ACTION

**DISABLED PERSONS-TREATY (2006)** 

# **Reports**

**A/63/183** Fifth quinquennial review and appraisal of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 July 2008.

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

A/63/424 Report of the 3rd Committee.

# DISABLED PERSONS–PROGRAMME OF ACTION (Agenda item 55e)

See also: DISABLED PERSONS

DISABLED PERSONS-TREATY (2006)

# **Reports**

A/63/183 Fifth quinquennial review and appraisal of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 July 2008.

# DISABLED PERSONS-PROGRAMME OF ACTION (Agenda item 55e) (continued)

# General documents

**A/63/699** Note verbale, 29 Jan. 2009, from Brazil. Transmits the Santos Charter adopted by the Meeting of Portuguese-speaking Countries for the Dissemination and Implementation of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and its Optional Protocol, held in Santos, Brazil, 10 and 14 Sept. 2008.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.3/63/L.3 Implementation of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons : realizing the Millennium Development Goals for persons with disabilities : draft resolution / Philippines.

Additional sponsors: Benin, Chile, the Dominican Republic, Ethiopia, Guatemala, Guinea, Mongolia, Mozambique, Panama, Paraguay, Senegal and Sri Lanka (A/63/424)

A/C.3/63/L.3/Rev.1 Realizing the Millennium

Development Goals for persons with disabilities through the implementation of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons and the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities : revised draft resolution / Benin, Chile, Dominican Republic, Ethiopia, Guatemala, Guinea, Mongolia, Mozambique, Panama, Paraguay, Philippines, Senegal and Sri Lanka. Additional sponsors: Colombia,, the Congo, El

Salvador, Ghana, Honduras, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Liberia, Mali, Mauritius, Montenegro, Nigeria, Peru, the Republic of Korea, Swaziland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkmenistan, Uganda and Ukraine (A/63/424).

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

A/63/424 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.1 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.4 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.11 (14 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.48 (25 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/424 (originally A/C.3/63/L.3/Rev. 1), as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/150.

# DISABLED PERSONS–PROGRAMME OF ACTION (Agenda item 55e) (continued) Resolutions

**A/RES/63/150** Realizing the Millennium Development Goals for persons with disabilities through the implementation of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons and the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.

Expresses concern about the persistent gap between policy and practice regarding mainstreaming the perspective of persons with disabilities, including their rights and well being, in the work of the UN in realizing the Millennium Development Goals; urges States to involve persons with disabilities on an equal basis with other persons in the formulation of strategies and plans, in particular those of most relevance to them; reaffirms the role of the United Nations Voluntary Fund on Disability; urges States to pay special attention to the gender- and age-specific needs of persons with disabilities; also urges States to take, in accordance with their obligations under international law, including international humanitarian law and international human rights law, all necessary measures to ensure the protection and safety of persons with disabilities in situations of risk, including situations of armed conflict, humanitarian emergencies and the occurrence of natural disasters; requests the Secretary-General to give higher priority to the concerns of and issues related to persons with disabilities and their inclusion within the work programme of the UN system. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# DISABLED PERSONS-TREATY (2006) (Agenda item 64e)

See also: DISABLED PERSONS DISABLED PERSONS-PROGRAMME OF ACTION

#### **Reports**

A/63/264 Status of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

A/63/264/Corr.1 Status of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 9 Sept. 2008. - Replaces annex.

**A/63/583** Revised estimates resulting from the entry into force of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 Dec. 2008.

A/63/628 Revised estimates resulting from the entry into force of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.

# DISABLED PERSONS-TREATY (2006) (Agenda item 64e) (continued)

# General documents

**A/63/699** Note verbale, 29 Jan. 2009, from Brazil. Transmits the Santos Charter adopted by the Meeting of Portuguese-speaking Countries for the Dissemination and Implementation of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and its Optional Protocol, held in Santos, Brazil, 10 and 14 Sept. 2008.

## **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.3/63/L.37 Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Guatemala, Guinea, Honduras, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jordan, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Namibia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Angola, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Barbados, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cameroon, Cape Verde, the Comoros, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus, Egypt, Ethiopia, Ghana, Greece, Guinea-Bissau, Iceland, Indonesia, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Montenegro, Morocco, the Niger, Nigeria, the Philippines, the Republic of Moldova, Rwanda, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Suriname, Swaziland, Togo, Tunisia, Turkmenistan, Uganda, Ukraine, the United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Yemen and Zambia (A/63/320/Add.5).

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

A/63/430 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/63/430/Add.5 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.20	(22 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.21	(22 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.22	(23 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.23	(23 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.28	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.29	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.30	(29 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.31	(30 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.35	(4 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.39	(11 Nov. 2008).

# DISABLED PERSONS-TREATY (2006) (Agenda item 64e) (continued)

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 71st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/430/Add.5 (originally A/C.3/63/L.37), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/192.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/192 Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto.

Welcomes the entry into force of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto on 3 May 2008; welcomes the holding of the 1st session of the Conference of States Parties to the Convention on 31 Oct. and 3 Nov. 2008, and the establishment of the Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities; requests the Secretary-General to provide the staff and facilities necessary to support the effective performance of the functions of the Conference of States Parties and of the Committee; also requests the Secretary-General to continue the progressive implementation of standards and guidelines for the accessibility of facilities and services of the UN system; further requests the Secretary-General to take further actions to promote the rights of persons with disabilities in the UN system. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# DISAPPEARANCE OF PERSONS (Agenda item 64b)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.36 Missing persons : draft resolution / Argentina, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Benin, Chile, Côte d'Ivoire, Ecuador, Georgia, Germany, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Romania, Senegal, Spain, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Uzbekistan and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Albania, Angola, Australia, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Colombia, the Congo, Egypt, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lebanon, Liberia, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, the Netherlands, Pakistan, Qatar, the Republic of Moldova, Tajikistan, Timor-Leste, Uganda and the United States (A/63/430/Add.2).

# DISAPPEARANCE OF PERSONS (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.41 International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Benin, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Spain, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Bolivia, Cambodia, Cape Verde, Colombia, the Congo, Cyprus, the Dominican Republic, Haiti, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Mali, Mauritius, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, the Republic of Korea, Senegal, Serbia, South Africa, Timor-Leste, Togo, Uganda and Ukraine (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.38 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution XVI in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.36), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/183; draft resolution XIX in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.41), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/186.

# DISAPPEARANCE OF PERSONS (Agenda item 64b) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/183 Missing persons.

Urges States strictly to observe and respect and ensure respect for the rules of international humanitarian law; 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 account for persons reported missing as a result of such a situation; urges States and encourages intergovernmental and non governmental organizations to take all necessary measures at the national, regional and international levels to address the problem of persons reported missing in connection with armed conflicts and to provide appropriate assistance as requested by the concerned States; calls upon States, without prejudice to their efforts to determine the fate of persons missing in connection with armed conflicts, to take appropriate steps with regard to the legal situation of the missing persons and the need of their family members, in fields such as social welfare, financial matters, family law and property rights; stresses the need for addressing the issue of missing persons as a part of peacebuilding processes; requests the Secretary General to submit a comprehensive report on the implementation of the present resolution, including relevant recommendations, to the Human Rights Council at its relevant session and to the General Assembly at its 65th session. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/186** International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance.

Welcomes the adoption on 20 Dec. 2006 of the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance, and looks forward to its entry into force at an early date: also welcomes the fact that since the signing ceremony for the Convention, on 6 Feb. 2007, 80 States have signed the Convention and 7 have ratified it, and calls upon States which have not yet done so to consider signing and ratifying the Convention as a matter of priority, as well as to consider the option provided for in articles 31 and 32 of the Convention regarding the Committee on Enforced Disappearances; requests the Secretary-General and the UN High Commissioner of Human Rights to intensify efforts to assist States to become parties to the Convention, with a view to achieving universal adherence; requests UN agencies and organizations, and invites intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances, to continue undertaking efforts to disseminate information on the Convention, to promote understanding of it, to prepare for its entry into force and to assist States parties in implementing their obligations under this instrument. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# DISARMAMENT-GENERAL AND COMPLETE (Agenda item 89)

See also: ARMS TRANSFERS-TRANSPARENCY BALLISTIC MISSILES **BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1972)** CHEMICAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1993) **CLUSTER MUNITIONS** CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT-REPORTS CONFIDENCE - BUILDING MEASURES CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES-CONVENTIONAL ARMS CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES-**REGIONAL PROGRAMMES-CENTRAL** AFRICA CONVENTIONAL ARMS-REGIONAL PROGRAMMES CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1980) DEPLETED URANIUM DISARMAMENT-TRAINING PROGRAMMES DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH SPECIAL SESS. ON DISARMAMENT : ####) 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 INFORMATION-UN DISARMAMENT-DEVELOPMENT LINK LANDMINES-TREATY (1997) MULTILATERALISM-DISARMAMENT NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES-SECURITY NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT-CONFERENCES NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT-TREATY COMPLIANCE NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS-NOTIFICATION NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS-TREATY NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-ICJ OPINION NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-TREATY (DRAFT) NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-CENTRAL ASIA NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MIDDLE EAST NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MONGOLIA NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE PEACE-CONVENTIONAL DISARMAMENT PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRES REGIONAL DISARMAMENT SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC

SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC-ASSISTANCE UN. CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT-REPORTS UN. DISARMAMENT COMMISSION-REPORTS WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION-TERRORISM

#### Reports

A/63/114 Verification in all its aspects, including the role of the United Nations in the field of verification : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 July 2008.

- A/63/114/Add.1 Verification in all its aspects, including the role of the United Nations in the field of verification : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 12 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/334** Towards an arms trade treaty : establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 26 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the Group of Governmental Experts to examine the feasibility, scope and draft parameters for a comprehensive, legally binding instrument establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms.

**A/63/621** Towards an arms trade treaty : establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/63/L.39 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

### General documents

- A/63/91 Measures to uphold the authority of the 1925 Geneva Protocol : note / by the Secretary-General.
- **A/63/603** (S/2008/775) Identical letters, 9 Dec. 2008, from France. Transmits letter dated 5 Dec. 2008 from the President, in his capacity as current President of the Council of the European Union, addressed to the Secretary-General of the United Nations concerning the disarmament initiatives which the European Union presented at the UN this year.
- **A/63/771** Letter, 10 Mar. 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits a statement by the President of the Russian Federation concerning conclusion of an agreement with the United States to replace the Treaty on the Reduction and Limitation of Strategic Offensive Arms.
- A/63/782 Letter, 24 Mar. 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits information entitled "Entry into force of the Treaty on a Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone in Central Asia".
- **A/63/814** (S/2009/192) Letter, 6 Apr. 2009, from the Russian Federation and the United States. Transmits 2 joint statements by the Presidents of the Russian Federation and the United States, adopted at their meeting in London on 1 Apr. 2009; one statement concerns strengthening strategic stability and international security, and meeting contemporary global challenges; the other concerns negotiations on further reductions in strategic offensive arms.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

# DISARMAMENT-GENERAL AND COMPLETE (Agenda item 89) (continued)

- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- A/C.1/63/3 Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Armenia. Transmits statement on jointly strengthening global security, issued by the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States Members of the Collective Security Treaty Organization during the meeting held in Moscow on 4 Sept. 2008.
- A/C.1/63/4 Letter, 7 Oct. 2008, from Lithuania. Transmits report of the Chairman of the international seminar on sea-dumped chemical weapons : perspectives of international cooperation held in Vilnius, 30 Sept.-1 Oct. 2008.
- A/C.1/63/L.59 Towards an arms trade treaty : establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/63/L.39 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/63/10 Towards an arms trade treaty: establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/63/L.39 : 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.1/63/L.5 Decreasing the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems : draft resolution / Chile, Malaysia, New Zealand, Nigeria, Sweden and Switzerland.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Austria, Benin, Brazil, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Fiji, Haiti, Ireland, Liechtenstein, Malta, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru, Timor-Leste, Togo, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/389).

- A/C.1/63/L.6 Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on their Destruction : draft resolution / Australia, Jordan and Switzerland.
- A/C.1/63/L.25 Measures to uphold the authority of the 1925 Geneva Protocol : draft resolution / Indonesia. Additional sponsors: Fiji (A/63/389).

A/C.1/63/L.32 Compliance with non-proliferation, arms limitation and disarmament agreements and commitments : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Haiti, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Palau, Poland, Portugal, 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: Liechtenstein, Malta, San Marino, Switzerland and Timor-Leste (A/63/389).

A/C.1/63/L.32/Rev.1 Compliance with non-proliferation, arms limitation and disarmament agreements and commitments : revised draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Haiti, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Palau, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Benin, Congo, Fiji, Malawi, Montenegro and the Republic of Moldova (A/63/389).

# DISARMAMENT-GENERAL AND COMPLETE (Agenda item 89) (continued)

A/C.1/63/L.38 The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation : draft resolution / Albania. Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Barbados, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burundi, Cambodia, Canada, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Comoros, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Eritrea, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Latvia, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Palau, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Samoa, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sudan, Suriname, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America, Uruguay and Uzbekistan.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Azerbaijan, Gabon, Grenada, Guyana, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Mali, Niger, Togo and Tunisia (A/63/389).

A/C.1/63/L.43 Preventing and combating illicit brokering activities : draft resolution / Angola, Australia, Austria, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Chile, Colombia, Lithuania, Mexico, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Samoa, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Belgium, Belize, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guinea, Guyana, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Latvia, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Spain, Sweden, Togo, Turkey and Uganda (A/63/389).

**A/C.1/63/L.56** Convention on Cluster Munitions : draft resolution / Ireland [on behalf of Austria, Ireland, Mexico, New Zealand, Norway and Peru (members of the Core Group of the Oslo Process)].

A/C.1/63/L.58 Renewed determination towards the total elimination of nuclear weapons : draft resolution / Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Canada, Chile, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Finland, Germany, Italy, Japan, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Paraguay, Philippines, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Ukraine. Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Albania, Andorra,

Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, Eritrea, Gabon, Haiti, Iceland, Kyrgyzstan, Madagascar, Montenegro, Nepal, the Netherlands, Norway, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Peru, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia, Seychelles, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Swaziland, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Togo, Uganda and the United republic of Tanzania (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.9	(15 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.11	(17 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.12	(20 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.13	(21 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.14	(21 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.15	(22 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.16	(23 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.17	(24 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.18	(27 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.19	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.20	(29 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.21	(30 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.22	(31 Oct. 2009).
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### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/389 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.1/63/L.5), adopted (141-3-34): resolution 63/41; draft resolution II (originally A/C.1/63/L.6), adopted (163-0-18): resolution 63/42; draft resolution XIII (originally A/C.1/63/L.25), adopted (174-0-4): resolution 63/53; draft resolution XIX (originally A/C.1/63/L.32/Rev.1), adopted (158-0-18): resolution 63/59; draft resolution XXIV (originally A/C.1/63/L.38), adopted (159-1-18): resolution 63/64; draft resolution XXVIII (originally A/C.1/63/L.43), adopted without vote: resolution 63/67; draft resolution XXVII (originally A/C.1/63/L.43), adopted without vote: resolution 63/71; draft resolution XXXIV (originally A/C.1/63/L.56), adopted (173-4-6): resolution 63/73.

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

# DISARMAMENT-GENERAL AND COMPLETE (Agenda item 89) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/41 Decreasing the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems.

Calls for further practical steps to be taken to decrease the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems, with a view to ensuring that all nuclear weapons are removed from high alert status; urges States to update the General Assembly on progress made in the implementation of the present resolution; decides to remain seized of the matter. (Adopted 141-3-34, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/42 Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction.

Invites all States that have not signed the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on their Destruction1 to accede to it without delay; urges all States that have signed but have not ratified the Convention to ratify it without delay; 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; invites all States that have not ratified the Convention or acceded to it to provide, on a voluntary basis, information to make global mine action efforts more effective: requests the Secretary-General to undertake the preparations necessary to convene the next Review Conference of the States parties to the Convention and, pending a decision to be taken at the 9th meeting of the States parties, and on behalf of the States parties and in accordance with article 11, paragraph 4. of the Convention, to invite States not parties to the Convention, as well as the UN, other relevant international organizations or institutions, regional organizations, the International Committee of the Red Cross and relevant non-governmental organizations to attend the Review Conference as observers. (Adopted 163-0-18, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/53 Measures to uphold the authority of the 1925 Geneva Protocol.

Renews General Assembly's 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; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 65th sess. a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 174-0-4, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

#### A/RES/63/59 Compliance with non-proliferation, arms limitation and disarmament agreements and commitments.

Urges all States to implement and to comply fully with their respective obligations; calls upon all Member States to encourage and to appropriately assist States which request assistance to increase their capacity to implement fully their obligations; calls upon all concerned States to take concerted action to encourage the compliance by all States with their respective non proliferation, arms limitation and disarmament agreements and with other agreed obligations, and to hold those not in compliance with such agreements accountable for their non-compliance; urges those States not currently in compliance with their respective obligations and commitments to make decision to come back into compliance; encourages efforts by all States, UN and other international organizations to take action to prevent serious damage to international security and stability arising from non-compliance by States with their existing non-proliferation, arms limitation and disarmament obligations. (Adopted 158-0-18, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/64** The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation.

Notes with satisfaction that 130 States have already subscribed to the Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation as a practical step against the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery; invites all States that have not yet subscribed to the Code of Conduct to do so; 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 159-1-18, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# A/RES/63/67 Preventing and combating illicit brokering activities.

Underlines the commitment of Member States to address the threat posed by illicit brokering activities; encourages Member States to fully implement relevant international treaties, instruments and resolutions to prevent and combat illicit brokering activities; calls upon Member States to establish appropriate national laws and/or measures to prevent and combat the illicit brokering of conventional arms and of materials. equipment and technology that could contribute to the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery, in a manner consistent with international law; emphasizes the importance of international cooperation and assistance, capacity-building and information-sharing in preventing and combating illicit brokering activities; encourages Member States to draw, where appropriate, on the relevant expertise of civil society in developing effective measures to prevent and combat illicit brokering activities. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# DISARMAMENT-GENERAL AND COMPLETE (Agenda item 89) (continued)

A/RES/63/71 Convention on Cluster Munitions. Noting that the Convention will be opened for signature at Oslo on 3 Dec. 2008, and will remain open for signature thereafter at UN Headquarters in New York until its entry into force; requests the Secretary-General to render the necessary assistance and to provide such services as may be necessary to fulfil the tasks entrusted to him by the Convention on Cluster Munitions. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# **A/RES/63/73** Renewed determination towards the total elimination of nuclear weapons.

Reaffirms the importance of all States parties to the Treaty on the Non Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons complying with their obligations under all the articles of the Treaty; calls for the nuclear-weapon States to further reduce the operational status of nuclear weapons systems in ways that promote international stability and security; stresses the necessity of a diminishing role for nuclear weapons in security policies to minimize the risk that these weapons will ever be used and to facilitate the process of their total elimination, in a way that promotes international stability and based on the principle of undiminished security for all: urges all States that have not vet done so to sign and ratify the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty at the earliest opportunity; emphasizes the importance of the immediate commencement of negotiations on a fissile material cut-off treaty in the Conference on Disarmament and its early conclusion; calls upon all States to redouble their efforts to prevent and curb the proliferation of nuclear and other weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery. (Adopted 173-4-6, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# DISARMAMENT-TRAINING PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 90a)

See also: DISARMAMENT EDUCATION Draft resolutions/decisions

#### Drait resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.49 United Nations disarmament fellowship, training and advisory services : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Botswana, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Chile, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Latvia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Luxembourg, Mauritius, Mexico, Montenegro, Morocco, Myanmar, Netherlands, New Zealand, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, Senegal, Slovakia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Swaziland, Timor-Leste, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, Uzbekistan and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Australia, Bangladesh, the Central African Republic, China, Croatia, Fiji, Guyana, Iceland, Liberia, Lithuania, Malaysia, Malta, the Republic of Moldova and Serbia (A/63/390).

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

A/63/390 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution VI in A/63/390 (originally A/C.1/63/L.49) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/79.

# DISARMAMENT-TRAINING PROGRAMMES (Agenda item 90a) (continued) Resolutions

**A/RES/63/79** 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, in particular to the Governments of Germany and Japan for the continuation of extensive and highly educative study visits for the participants in the programme, to the Government of the People's Republic of China for organizing a study visit for the fellows in the area of disarmament in 2007 and to the Government of Switzerland for organizing a study visit in 2008; commends the Secretary-General for the diligence with which the programme has continued to be carried out; 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 65th session. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

#### DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH SPECIAL SESS. ON DISARMAMENT : ####) (Agenda item 890)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.22 Convening of the 4th special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament : draft decision / Indonesia.

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.16 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft decision I in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.22) was adopted without vote: decision 63/519.

#### DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (10TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1978)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 91)

See also: DISARMAMENT-GENERAL AND COMPLETE NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-TREATY (DRAFT)

# **Reports**

A/63/279 Work of the Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

### DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (10TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1978)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 91) (continued)

#### **General documents**

- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/970 (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- A/C.1/63/7 Letter, 24 Oct. 2008, from Cuba. Expresses Cuba's concern at a publication sponsored by the UN Institute for Disarmament Research (UNIDIR), entitled "Implementing Resolution 1540: the Role of Regional Organizations" and points out factual errors that are alleged to be inexcusable and outdated.
- A/C.1/63/8 Letter, 24 Oct. 2008, from the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela. Expresses Venezuela's concern at a publication sponsored by the UN Institute for Disarmament Research (UNIDIR), entitled "Implementing Resolution 1540: the Role of Regional Organizations" and points out alleged unfounded claims made in the publication.
- A/C.1/63/9 Letter, 24 Oct. 2008, from Ecuador. Refers to the publication entitled "Implementing Resolution 1540: the Role of Regional Organizations" sponsored by UNIDIR and points out errors and outdated information in the chapter of the book that refers to resolution 1540 (2004) in Latin America and the role of the Organization of American States.

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

A/63/391 Report of the 1st Committee.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

#### **DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (12TH** SPECIAL SESS. : 1982)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 90)

See also: CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES-**REGIONAL PROGRAMMES-CENTRAL** AFRICA

DISARMAMENT-GENERAL AND COMPLETE PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRES

# Reports

A/63/129 United Nations disarmament fellowship, training and advisory services programme : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 July 2008.

### DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (12TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1982)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 90) (continued)

#### General documents

- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/970 (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

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

A/63/390 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

# **DISARMAMENT AGREEMENTS-ENVIRONMENT** (Agenda item 89n)

#### Reports

A/63/116 Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 10 July 2008.

A/63/116/Add.1 Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control : report of the Secretary-General

Issued: 6 Oct. 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.21 Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control : draft resolution / Indonesia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement]. Additional sponsor: Fiji (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XI in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.21) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/51.

# DISARMAMENT AGREEMENTS-ENVIRONMENT (Agenda item 89n) (continued) Resolutions

#### Resolutions

**A/RES/63/51** 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; 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, without detriment to the environment or to its effective contribution to attaining sustainable development; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report containing that information to the General Assembly at its 64th sess.; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control". (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

#### **DISARMAMENT COMMISSION**

See: UN. DISARMAMENT COMMISSION-REPORTS

### **DISARMAMENT EDUCATION (Agenda item 89d)**

See also: DISARMAMENT-TRAINING PROGRAMMES

### **Reports**

A/63/158 Disarmament and non-proliferation education : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 July 2008.

A/63/158/Add.1 Disarmament and non-proliferation education : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 19 Sept. 2008.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.52 United Nations study on disarmament and non-proliferation education : draft resolution / Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Estonia, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, India, Japan, Mexico, Monaco, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Pakistan, Panama, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Canada, Fiji, Iraq, the Netherlands, Norway and Peru (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

# DISARMAMENT EDUCATION (Agenda item 89d) (continued)

A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XXXI in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.52) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/70.

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/70** United Nations study on disarmament and non-proliferation education.

Requests the Secretary-General to prepare a report reviewing the results of the 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 65th session; reiterates the request to 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 Office for Disarmament Affairs gathers on an ongoing basis in regard to the implementation of the recommendations of the UN study. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# DISARMAMENT INFORMATION–UN (Agenda item 90b)

#### **Reports**

A/63/162 United Nations Disarmament Information Programme : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 July 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.53 United Nations Disarmament Information Programme : draft resolution / Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, South Africa, Spain, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Trinidad and Tobago and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Canada, Fiji and Norway (A/63/390).

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

A/63/390 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution VIII in A/63/390 (originally A/C.1/63/L.53) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/81.

# DISARMAMENT INFORMATION–UN (Agenda item 90b) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/81 United Nations Disarmament Information Programme.

Welcomes the launch of the new United Nations Office for Disarmament Affairs website, and invites Member States and other users to make use of its expanded content and specialization; stresses the importance of the United Nations Disarmament Information Programme as a significant instrument in enabling all Member States to participate fully in the deliberations and negotiations on disarmament in the various United Nations bodies, in assisting them in complying with treaties, as required, and in contributing to agreed mechanisms for transparency; recommends that the Programme continue to inform, educate and generate public understanding of the importance of multilateral action and support for it, including action by the United Nations and the Conference on Disarmament, in the field of arms control and disarmament; recognizes the importance of all support extended to the Voluntary Trust Fund for the United Nations Disarmament Information Programme. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# DISARMAMENT-DEVELOPMENT LINK (Agenda item 89aa)

#### **Reports**

A/63/134 Relationship between disarmament and development : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 16 July 2008.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.23 Relationship between disarmament and development : draft resolution / Indonesia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement].

Additional sponsors: Fiji and Uruguay (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XII in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.23) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/52.

# DISARMAMENT-DEVELOPMENT LINK (Agenda item 89aa) (continued) Resolutions

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/52 Relationship between disarmament and development.

Stresses the central role of UN in the disarmamentdevelopment relationship, and requests the Secretary-General to strengthen the role of the Organization in this field; requests the Secretary-General to continue to take action for the implementation of the action programme adopted at the 1987 International Conference on the Relationship between Disarmament and Development; urges the international community to devote part of the resources made available by the implementation of disarmament and arms limitation agreements to economic and social development; requests Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Relationship between disarmament and development". (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# DISASTER PREVENTION (Agenda item 49c)

# **Reports**

A/63/351 Implementation of the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 Sept. 2008.

#### General documents

**A/63/347** Letter, 3 Sept. 2008, from Tajikistan. Transmits the Dushanbe Declaration on water-related disaster reduction, adopted at the International Conference on Water-Related Disaster Reduction, held in Dushanbe, 27-28 June 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/63/L.14 International cooperation to reduce the impact of the El Niño phenomenon : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.36 (A/63/414/Add.3).

A/C.2/63/L.28 International Strategy for Disaster Reduction : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.51 (A/63/414/Add.3).

**A/C.2/63/L.30** Natural disasters and vulnerability : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.50 (A/63/414/Add.3).

# DISASTER PREVENTION (Agenda item 49c) (continued)

- A/C.2/63/L.36 International cooperation to reduce the impact of the El Niño phenomenon : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the 2nd Committee, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.14.
- A/C.2/63/L.50 Natural disasters and vulnerability : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.30.
- A/C.2/63/L.51 International Strategy for Disaster Reduction : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.28.

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

A/63/414 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/414/Add.3 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.17 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2008). A/C.2/63/SR.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.20 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.24 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.27 (18 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.30 (26 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/414/Add.3 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/63/L.36) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/215; draft resolution II (A/C.2/63/L.51) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/216; draft resolution III (originally A/C.2/63/L.50) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/217.

# DISASTER PREVENTION (Agenda item 49c) (continued) Resolutions

#### resolutions

A/RES/63/215 International cooperation to reduce the impact of the El Niño phenomenon.

Recognizes the efforts made by the Government of Ecuador, the World Meteorological Organization and the inter-agency secretariat of the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction which led to the establishment of the International Research Centre on El Niño at Guayaquil, Ecuador, and encourages them to continue their support for the advancement of the Centre; also recognizes the technical and scientific support of the World Meteorological Organization to producing regionally coordinated monthly and seasonal forecasts; encourages, in this regard, the World Meteorological Organization to strengthen collaboration and the exchange of data as well as of information with the relevant institutions; underscores the importance of maintaining the El Niño/Southern Oscillation observation system, continuing research into extreme weather events, improving forecasting skills and developing appropriate policies for reducing the impact of the El Niño phenomenon and other extreme weather events, and emphasizes the need to further develop and strengthen these institutional capacities in all countries, in particular developing countries. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/216 International Strategy for Disaster Reduction.

Welcomes the progress made in the implementation of the Hyogo Framework for Action, and stresses the need for a more effective integration of disaster risk reduction into sustainable development policies, planning and programming; for the development and strengthening of institutions, mechanisms and capacities to build resilience to hazards: and for a systematic incorporation of risk reduction approaches into the implementation of emergency preparedness, response and recovery programmes; calls upon the international community to increase its efforts to fully implement the commitments of the Hyogo Declaration and the Hyogo Framework for Action; encourages Member States to increase their commitment to the effective implementation of the Hyogo Framework for Action, making full use of the mechanisms of the Strategy system, such as the Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction; stresses the importance of disaster risk reduction and subsequent increased responsibilities of the secretariat of the Strategy, and requests the Secretary-General to explore all means of securing additional funding to ensure predictable and stable financial resources for the operation of the secretariat and to report on this to the General Assembly at its 64th session; stresses the need to address risk reduction of and vulnerabilities to all natural hazards, including geological and hydro meteorological hazards, in a comprehensive manner. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# DISASTER PREVENTION (Agenda item 49c) (continued)

A/RES/63/217 Natural disasters and vulnerability. Urges the international community to continue to address ways and means, including through development 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, including least developed countries and in Africa; expresses its deep concern at the number and scale of natural disasters and the increasing challenges posed by the consequences of natural disasters, as well as the impact of climate change, to all countries, in particular developing countries, especially small island developing States and least developed countries, as well as other particularly vulnerable countries; encourages continued and greater support by the international community for adaptation strategies, particularly in countries vulnerable to the adverse effects of climate change, in order to contribute to disaster management efforts, and encourages enhanced coordination between adaptation strategies and disaster management strategies; stresses that, in order to reduce vulnerability to natural hazards, risk assessments should be integrated into disaster risk reduction programmes at national and local levels; stresses the need to address risk reduction of and vulnerabilities to all natural hazards, including geological and hydro meteorological hazards. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

### DISASTER RELIEF

See: EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

#### **DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN**

See: WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT

### **DISPLACED PERSONS (Agenda item 64b)**

#### Reports

A/63/286 Protection of and assistance to internally displaced persons : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report submitted

by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on the human rights of internally displaced persons, Walter Kälin, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 62/153 and Commission on Human Rights resolution 6/32.

A/63/299 Missing persons : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 18 Aug. 2008.

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

A/C.3/63/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2008).

# DOCUMENTS-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (6eRD SESS. : 2008-2009)

See: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–DOCUMENTS

### DROUGHT

See: DESERTIFICATION-TREATY (1994)

DRUG ABUSE

See: NARCOTIC DRUGS

### DRUG CONTROL

See: NARCOTIC DRUGS

#### **DRUG TRAFFIC**

See: NARCOTIC DRUGS

### ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65b)

See also: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE-KAZAKHSTAN ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE-LIBERIA ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE-YEMEN EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE PALESTINIANS-ASSISTANCE REFUGEES

# **Reports**

**A/63/659** Humanitarian assistance and rehabilitation for selected countries and regions : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 24 Dec. 2008.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.43	(10 Nov. 2008).
A/63/PV.44	(11 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.45 (11 Nov. 2008).

# ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE-KAZAKHSTAN (Agenda item 65b)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.67 International cooperation and coordination for the human and ecological rehabilitation and economic development of the Semipalatinsk region of Kazakhstan : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Algeria, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, Cuba, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guinea-Bissau, Iraq, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Maldives, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Nicaragua, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Singapore, Slovenia, Sudan, Switzerland, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, United States of America, Uzbekistan. Vietnam and Zambia.

# ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–KAZAKHSTAN (Agenda item 65b) (continued)

A/63/L.67/Add.1 International cooperation and

coordination for the human and ecological rehabilitation and economic development of the Semipalatinsk region of Kazakhstan : draft resolution : addendum/. Additional sponsors: Albania, Australia, Austria,

Benin, Burkina Faso, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Djibouti, France, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Ireland, Israel, Mauritius, Monaco, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Slovakia, Spain, Syrian Arab Republic and Thailand

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.81 (24 Apr. 2009).

At the 81st meeting, the Assembly adopted draft resolution A/63/L.67 without vote: resolution 63/279.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/279 International cooperation and coordination for the human and ecological rehabilitation and economic development of the Semipalatinsk region of Kazakhstan.

Urges the international community to provide assistance to Kazakhstan in the formulation and implementation of special programmes and projects for the treatment and care of the affected population as well as in efforts to ensure economic growth and sustainable development in the Semipalatinsk region; requests the Secretary-General to continue his efforts in implementing relevant resolutions of the General Assembly and to encourage the donor community and international and regional organizations to fulfil their commitments declared at the Tokyo international conference; also requests the Secretary-General to pursue a consultative process, with the participation of interested States and relevant UN agencies, on modalities for mobilizing and coordinating the necessary support to seek appropriate solutions to the problems and needs of the Semipalatinsk region, including those prioritized in his report. (Adopted without vote, 81st plenary meeting, 24 Apr. 2009)

# ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–LIBERIA (Agenda item 65b)

#### **Reports**

A/63/295 Humanitarian assistance and reconstruction of Liberia : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 Aug. 2008.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/63/L.45 Humanitarian assistance and reconstruction of Liberia : draft resolution / Australia, Denmark, Finland, France, Ireland, Japan, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Portugal, Sweden, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

 A/63/L.45/Add.1 Humanitarian assistance and reconstruction of Liberia : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsors: Brazil, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Egypt, Greece, Guatemala, Iceland, Israel, Italy, Lesotho, Lithuania, Morocco, Slovenia and Spain.

# ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE–LIBERIA (Agenda item 65b) (continued)

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.68 (11 Dec. 2008). At the 68th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.45 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/136.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/136** Humanitarian assistance and reconstruction of Liberia.

Expresses its gratitude to the Economic Community of West African States, the African Union, donor countries and institutions, the UN system and its specialized agencies and non-governmental organizations for their valuable support in their adoption of a comprehensive approach to peacebuilding in Liberia and in the subregion; welcomes the agreement, in June 2008, on the Government of Liberia/ UN Joint Programme to Prevent and Respond to Sexual Gender-based Violence (2008-2012), and calls upon all parties to implement it; takes note with appreciation of the fact that the Government of Liberia's poverty reduction strategy has been finalized and overwhelmingly endorsed by its partners at the Liberia Poverty Reduction Forum, held in Berlin on 26 and 27 June 2008. (Adopted without vote, 68th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE-YEMEN (Agenda item 65b)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.21 Special economic assistance for Yemen : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Algeria, Angola, Bahrain, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Chile, Comoros, Croatia, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Guatemala, India, Iraq, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Mauritania, Mexico, Morocco, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen and Palestine.

A/63/L.21/Add.1 Special economic assistance for Yemen : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Bangladesh, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ecuador, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kyrgyzstan, Madagascar, Malaysia, Myanmar, Pakistan, Philippines, Tajikistan, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and the United States of America.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.45 (11 Nov. 2008). At the 45th meeting, draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.21 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/20.

# ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE-YEMEN (Agenda item 65b) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/20 Special economic assistance for Yemen. Expresses General Assembly's solidarity with and support for Yemen; invites Member States and relevant United Nations entities to provide economic and technical assistance in the post-disaster recovery and rehabilitation process; invites the international community and the UN system and other international organizations to support the disaster risk management and disaster preparedness capacity of Yemen. (Adopted without vote, 45th plenary meeting, 11 Nov. 2008)

# ECONOMIC COMMUNITY OF CENTRAL AFRICAN STATES–UN (Agenda item 114h)

#### **Reports**

- A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

# ECONOMIC COOPERATION ORGANIZATION-UN (Agenda item 114i)

### **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

A/63/228/Corr.1 (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.39 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, Tajikistan, Turkey and Uzbekistan.
- A/63/L.39/Rev.1 Cooperation bet ween the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization : revised draft resolution / Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, Tajikistan, Turkey and Uzbekistan.

# ECONOMIC COOPERATION ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 114i) (continued)

 A/63/L.39/Rev.1/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization : revised draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsors: Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Cambodia

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.60 (26 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.69 (15 Dec. 2008).

At the 69th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.39/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/144.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/144 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization. Stresses the importance of the continuation and

expansion of areas of cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization, including the provision of financial and technical assistance for pre-feasibility and feasibility studies of projects, consultancy services, workshops and training courses and project management services by specialized agencies of the UN; calls for a further increase in the technical assistance of the World Trade Organization, the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development and the International Trade Centre to the States members of the Economic Cooperation Organization; and calls for the strengthening of the technical assistance provided by the relevant UN bodies, in particular the United Nations Environment Programme, to the Economic Cooperation Organization plan of action for cooperation on the environment; and appreciates the efforts of the Economic Cooperation Organization and its member States in combating the production of and trafficking in narcotic drugs and calls for increased cooperation between the Organization and relevant UN bodies, including the UN Office on Drugs and Crime, as well as the European Commission and the international community. (Adopted without vote, 69th plenary meeting, 15 Dec. 2008)

#### **ECONOMIC EMBARGO-CUBA**

See: CUBA-UNITED STATES

#### ECONOMIES IN TRANSITION (Agenda item 51e)

#### **Reports**

A/63/256 Integration of the economies in transition into the world economy : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

#### General documents

**A/63/823** Letter, 13 Mar. 2009, from Kazakhstan. Transmits speech given by the President of Kazakhstan entitled "Through crisis to renovation and prosperity" on 6 Mar. 2009.

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

A/63/416 Report of the 2nd Committee.

# ECONOMIES IN TRANSITION (Agenda item 51e) (continued)

A/63/416/Add.5 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.21 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.22 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft decision in para.3 of A/63/416/Add.5, entitled "Report of the Secretary-General on the integration of the economies in transition into the world economy" was adopted without vote: decision 63/542.

### **EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65a)**

See also: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE PALESTINIANS-ASSISTANCE REFUGEES

### **Reports**

- A/63/81 (E/2008/71) Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 30 May 2008.
- A/63/277 International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 13 Aug. 2008.

A/63/348 Central Emergency Response Fund : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Oct. 2008.

#### **General documents**

- A/63/665 Letter, 26 Dec. 2008, from the Secretary-General. Transmits note on the outcome of the meeting of the Advisory Group of the Central Emergency Response Fund, held in Geneva, 19-20 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/910** Letter, 29 June 2009, from the Secretary-General. Transmits note on the outcome of the meeting of the Central Emergency Response Fund (CERF) Advisory Group, which took place in New York on 28 and 29 Apr. 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.47 Strengthening emergency relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction and prevention in the aftermath of the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster : draft resolution / Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, Bangladesh, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Canada, Central African Republic, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Eritrea, Fiji, Finland, Germany, Guinea, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Japan, Kyrgyzstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Liberia, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Maldives, Monaco, Nigeria, Panama, Philippines, Senegal, Seychelles, Singapore, Spain, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Turkey, United States of America and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

# EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65a) (continued)

A/63/L.47/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, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Belize, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Chile, Congo, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, France, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guyana, Hungary, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Israel, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lebanon, Lesotho, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Lithuania, Malta, Mauritius, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Myanmar, Nepal, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Slovenia, Sri Lanka, Swaziland, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Tunisia, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Viet Nam, Yemen and Zambia

A/63/L.49 Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, India, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Marshall Islands, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. United States of America and Zambia.

A/63/L.49/Add.1 Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsors: Angola, Cambodia,

Mozambique and Pakistan.

A/63/L.53 International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/63/L/53/Add.1 International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development : draft resolution. Additional sponsors: Japan, Mexico and Russian Federation

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.43 (10 Nov. 2008). A/63/PV.44 (11 Nov. 2008). A/63/PV.45 (11 Nov. 2008).

# EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65a) (continued)

A/63/PV.68 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 68th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.47 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/137; draft resolution A/63/L.49 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/139; draft resolution A/63/L.53 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/141.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/137 Strengthening emergency relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction and prevention in the aftermath of the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster. Recognizes and encourages ongoing efforts to

promote transparency and accountability among donors and recipient countries; encourages the sharing of lessons learned by tsunami-affected countries and other relevant stakeholders with other disaster-affected and disasterprone countries: urges Governments of the affected countries to identify their unmet needs in terms of financial and technical assistance, and encourages them to continue to examine ways to strengthen their regulatory frameworks for international disaster assistance; encourages the continued effective coordination among the Governments of affected countries, relevant bodies of the United Nations system, international organizations, donor countries, regional and international financial institutions, civil society, the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and private sectors involved in rehabilitation and reconstruction efforts; calls upon States to fully implement the Hyogo Declaration and the Hyogo Framework for Action 2005-2015; and stresses the importance of and the need for regular updating of recovery assessment by the Governments of affected countries, the United Nations system and international and regional financial institutions, based on the affected countries' national data and utilizing a consistent methodology. (Adopted without vote, 68th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/139 Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations.

Requests the Emergency Relief Coordinator to continue his efforts to strengthen the coordination of humanitarian assistance; encourages UN to continue to pursue efforts to strengthen partnerships at the global level with the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement; reaffirms the importance of implementing the Hyogo Framework for Action 2005-2015; also encourages efforts to provide education in emergencies to contribute to a smooth transition from relief to development; requests the Secretary-General to commission an independent comprehensive review of the activities of the Central Emergency Response Fund; invites Member States, the private sector and all concerned individuals and institutions to consider voluntary contributions to other humanitarian funding mechanisms; urges all Member States to address gender-based violence in humanitarian emergencies: decides to designate 19 August as World Humanitarian Day. (Adopted without vote, 68th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65a) (continued)

A/RES/63/141 International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development.

Expresses its deep concern at the number and scale of natural disasters and their increasing impact; reaffirms the role of the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs of the Secretariat as the focal point within the overall UN system; welcomes the incorporation of experts from developing countries that are prone to natural disasters into the UN Disaster Assessment and Coordination system; encourages States that have not acceded to or ratified the Tampere Convention on the Provision of Telecommunication Resources for Disaster Mitigation and Relief Operations, to consider doing so; encourages the further use of space-based and groundbased remote-sensing technologies, as well as the sharing of geographical data, for the prevention, mitigation and management of natural disasters; requests the UN system to improve its coordination of disaster recovery efforts, from relief to development; stresses the importance of rapid access to funds to ensure a more predictable and timely UN response to humanitarian emergencies; invites Member States, the private sector and all concerned individuals and institutions to consider voluntary contributions to other humanitarian funding mechanisms. (Adopted without vote, 68th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# ENVIRONMENT

See also: AGENDA 21-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

# **Reports**

A/63/25 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 25) United Nations Environment Programme : report of the Governing Council, 10th special session (20-22 February 2008). Issued: 2008.

### ERITREA-ETHIOPIA

See: UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA-FINANCING

#### ETHIOPIA-ERITREA

See: UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA-FINANCING

# EURASIAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY–UN (Agenda item 114j)

#### **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# EURASIAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY–UN (Agenda item 114j) (continued)

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.13 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Eurasian Economic Community : draft resolution / Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Russian Federation and Tajikistan.

A/63/L.13/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Eurasian Economic Community : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Mongolia, Philippines and Thailand.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

At the 37th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.13 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/15.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/15 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Eurasian Economic Community.

Commends the commitment of the States members of the Eurasian Economic Community to scaling up regional economic integration by establishing a customs union and free-trade zone. consistent with the multilateral trading system, as well as the formation of a common energy market; underlines the importance of further strengthening dialogue, cooperation and coordination between the UN system and the Eurasian Economic Community; invites the specialized agencies and other organizations, programmes and funds of the UN system, as well as international financial institutions, to enhance cooperation and direct contacts with the Eurasian Economic Community for the purpose of undertaking joint implementation of programmes to achieve their goals; invites in particular the Economic Commission for Europe, the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific and other related organizations of the UN system to further contribute to the development by the Eurasian Economic Community of a concept for the effective use of water and energy resources in States members of the Community as well as to the resolution of water-related disaster risk reduction issues in the region. (Adopted without vote, 37th plenary meeting, 3 Nov. 2008)

#### EXTERNAL DEBT (Agenda item 47c)

See also: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

#### Reports

A/63/181 Towards a durable solution to the debt problems of developing countries : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 28 July 2008.

# EXTERNAL DEBT (Agenda item 47c) (continued) General documents

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.2/63/L.7 External debt and development : towards a durable solution to the debt problems of developing countries : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.38.

**A/C.2/63/L.38** External debt and development : towards a durable solution to the debt problems of developing countries : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the 2nd Committee, Martin Hoppe (Germany), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.7.

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

A/63/412 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/412/Add.3 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.8 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.23 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.28 (20 Nov. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008). At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.38) in A/63/412/Add.3, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/206.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/206 External debt and development : towards a durable solution to the debt problems of developing countries.

Notes the deliberations held in the context of the preparatory process for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus, held in Doha, 29 Nov. -2 Dec. 2008, at which the issue of "External debt and development: towards a durable solution to the debt problems of developing countries" was substantively addressed; stresses the importance of the continued substantive consideration of the sub-item entitled "External debt and developing countries"; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th session a comprehensive report on the issue. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### **EXTRADITION**

See: CRIME PREVENTION

### FALKLAND ISLANDS

See: FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) QUESTION

# FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) QUESTION (Agenda item 23)

### **General documents**

- **A/63/485** Letter, 13 Oct. 2008, from the United Kingdom. Refers to letter dated 1 July 2008 (A/62/900) from Argentina on the question of the Falkland Islands, South Georgia and the Soutah Sandwich Islands and rejects the claims by Argentina to sovereignty over the Falkland Islands, South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands and their surrounding maritime areas.
- **A/63/542** Letter, 10 Nov. 2008, from Argentina. Transmits protest note and press release of the same date by Argentina concerning alleged adoption of a new constitution for the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) by the United Kingdom; protests against the unilateral act taken in relation to a disputed territory.
- **A/63/589** Letter dated 2008/12/03 from the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General.

Refers to letter dated 10 Nov. 2008 (A/63/542) from Argentina and rejects the assertion that the Falkland Islands Constitution Order 2008 is contrary to any aspect of the Joint Statements agreed between the United Kingdom and Argentina; reiterates its claim of sovereignty over the Falkland Islands, South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands and the surrounding maritime areas.

- **A/63/671** Letter, 3 Jan. 2009, from Argentina. Transmits press release on the occasion of the latest anniversary of the alleged illegal occupation of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) by the United Kingdom.
- **A/63/690** Letter, 21 Jan. 2009, from the United Kingdom. Refers to letter dated 3 Jan. 2009 (A/63/671) from Argentina and refutes the assertion that the new Falkland Islands constitution shows disregard for General Assembly resolution or violates any aspect of the joint statements by the United Kingdom and Argentina.
- **A/63/719** Letter, 12 Feb. 2009, from Argentina. Transmits letter dated 30 Dec. 2008 addressed to the President of the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) rejecting the assigning of the Internet domains ".fk" and ".gs" to the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) and South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands, respectively.
- **A/63/745** Letter, 26 Feb. 2009, from Argentina. Transmits copies of a note of protest and counter-reply dated 28 Oct. 2008 and 18 Feb. 2009 respectively submitted by the Government of Argentina to the United Kingdom concerning the alleged siting of missile firing facilities in the Falkland Islands (Malvinas).

# FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) QUESTION (Agenda item 23) (continued)

- **A/63/759** Letter, 6 Mar. 2009, from the United Kingdom. Refers to the letter dated 12 Feb. 2009 from the Argentina, transmitting a letter from the Director General at the Argentine Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Worship, to the President of the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) (A/63/719) regarding the assignment of Internet domains for the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) and South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands and rejects the points made by Argentina in the letter.
- **A/63/765** Letter, 11 Mar. 2009, from the United Kingdom. Transmits copy of note dated 13 Nov. 2008 from the United Kingdom in response to note verbale from Argentina (A/63/745) relating to missile practice in the Falkland Islands (Malvinas).
- A/63/833 Letter, 23 Apr. 2009, from Argentina. Transmits copy of the protest note by Argentina dated 4 Feb. 2009 concerning the issuance by the United Kingdom of postage stamps marked "Falkland Islands", "South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands" and "British Antarctic Territory".
- **A/63/859** Letter, 19 May 2009, from the United Kingdom. Refers to letter dated 23 April 2009 from Argentina regarding the issuing of postage stamps by the Falkland Islands, South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands, and British Antarctic Territory and rejects the complaint and claim that the Falkland Islands, South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands, British Antarctic Territory and the surrounding maritime areas form an integral part of Argentina.
- **A/63/890** Letter, 12 June 2009, from Argentina. Transmits copy of the protest note by Argentina dated 12 June 2009 concerning the submission to the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf by the United Kingdom which allegedly refers to the continental shelf of Argentina.
- A/63/923 Letter, 26 June 2009, from Argentina. Transmits statement made by the Minister for Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Worship of Argentina at the meeting of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence of Colonial Countries and Peoples on the question of the Falkland (Malvinas) Islands held in New York on 18 June 2009.

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

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

#### **FINANCIAL FLOWS**

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

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# FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT-FAMILY REUNIFICATION (Agenda item 64b)

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.43 Respect for the right to universal freedom of travel and the vital importance of family reunification : draft resolution / Bolivia, Cuba, Ecuador, Ethiopia, Sudan and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Additional sponsors: Angola, the Philippines and

Zimbabwe (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.38 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

## Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 70th meeting, draft resolution XXI in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.43), was adopted (121-4-60): resolution 63/188.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/188 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; calls upon all States to allow, in conformity with international legislation, the free flow of financial remittances by foreign nationals residing in their territory to relatives in the country of origin; and also 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 121-4-60, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

## GEORGIA

See: UN OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA-FINANCING

### GIBRALTAR QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

### Reports

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

# Hearings requested

A/C.4/63/2 Letter, 26 Sept. 2008, from J. J. Bossano, Leader of the Opposition. Requests a hearing on the question of Gibraltar.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/63/L.4 Question of Gibraltar : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.

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

A/63/408 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft decision I in A/63/408 entitled "Question of Gibraltar" (originally A/C.4/63/L.4) was adopted without vote: decision 63/525.

### **GLOBAL FINANCIAL INTEGRATION**

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

# GLOBALIZATION-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64b)

#### **Reports**

A/63/259 Globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of all human rights : report of the Secretary-General

Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

# GLOBALIZATION-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.3/63/L.28 Globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of all human rights : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ecuador, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gabon, Ghana, Guinea, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kenya, Lebanon, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Morocco, Niger, Pakistan, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Sudan, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Azerbaijan, Bolivia, El Salvador, the Gambia, Honduras, Mozambique, Myanmar, Namibia, the Philippines, Sri Lanka and Viet Nam (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.38 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 70th meeting, draft resolution IX in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.28), was adopted (129-54-4): resolution 63/176.

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/176** 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; reaffirms that narrowing the gap between rich and poor is an explicit goal at the national and international levels; welcomes the report of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights on globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of human rights; calls upon Member States, relevant agencies of the UN system, intergovernmental organizations and civil society to promote equitable and environmentally sustainable economic growth for managing globalization so that poverty is systematically reduced and the international development targets are achieved; underlines the urgent need to establish an equitable, transparent and democratic international system to strengthen and broaden the participation of developing countries in international economic decision-making and norm-setting; underlines, therefore, the need to continue to analyse the consequences of globalization for the full enjoyment of all human rights. (Adopted 129-54-4, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# GLOBALIZATION–INTERDEPENDENCE (Agenda item 51)

See also: CORRUPT PRACTICES CULTURE-DEVELOPMENT ECONOMIES IN TRANSITION GLOBALIZATION-UN MIGRATION-DEVELOPMENT

#### General documents

- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/925** Letter, 2 July 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the Political Declaration on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, adopted at the Ministerial Conference on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, held in Managua, Nicaragua, on 24 June 2009.
- A/C.2/63/4 Letter, 17 Sept. 2008, from the Dominican Republic. Transmits declaration that was adopted as the outcome document of the 1st Workshop-Conference on Energy & Development, with the theme "Oil Speculation", Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, 30 Aug. 2008.

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

A/63/416 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.21 (29 Oct. 2008).

# GLOBALIZATION–INTERDEPENDENCE (Agenda item 51) (continued)

A/C.2/63/SR.22 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/63/416): decision 63/540.

#### GLOBALIZATION-UN (Agenda item 51a)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/333** Impact of globalization on the achievement of the internationally agreed development goals, including the Millennium Development Goals : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 26 Aug. 2008.

### **General documents**

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.2/63/L.29 Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.66 (A/63/416/Add.1).

A/C.2/63/L.33 Development cooperation with middleincome countries : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.47 (A/63/416/Add.1).

A/C.2/63/L.34 Towards a new international economic order : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

**A/C.2/63/L.47** Development cooperation with middleincome countries : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the 2nd Committee, Troy Torrington (Guyana), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.33.

A/C.2/63/L.66 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, Troy Torrington (Guyana), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.29.

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

A/63/416 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/416/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.21 (29 Oct. 2008).

# GLOBALIZATION–UN (Agenda item 51a) (continued)

 A/C.2/63/SR.22
 (29 Oct. 2008).

 A/C.2/63/SR.27
 (18 Nov. 2008).

 A/C.2/63/SR.28
 (20 Nov. 2008).

 A/C.2/63/SR.29
 (25 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/416/Add.1 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/63/L.66) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/222; draft resolution II (A/C.2/63/L.47) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/223; draft resolution III (originally A/C.2/63/L.34) was adopted (123-1-52): resolution 63/224.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/222** Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence.

Expresses deep concern at the impact of the current financial crisis and global economic slowdown on the ability of developing countries to gain access to the financing necessary for their development objectives, and underlines the fact that developing countries and countries with economies in transition risk suffering very serious setbacks to their development objectives, in particular the achievement of the internationally agreed development goals, including the Millennium Development Goals; recognizes the measures adopted by Governments to address the present financial crisis, and, in that regard, calls upon all countries to manage their macroeconomic and financial policies in ways that contribute to global stability and sustained economic growth and sustainable development; reaffirms that each country has primary responsibility for its own development, that the role of national policies and development strategies cannot be overemphasized in the achievement of sustainable development, and that national efforts should be complemented by supportive global programmes. measures and policies aimed at expanding the development opportunities of developing countries, while taking into account national conditions and ensuring respect for national ownership, strategies and sovereignty; reaffirms the commitment to broaden and strengthen the participation of developing countries and countries with economies in transition in international economic decisionmaking and norm-setting, stresses, to that end, the importance of continuing efforts to reform the international financial architecture, noting that enhancing the voice and participation of developing countries and countries with economies in transition in the Bretton Woods institutions remains a continuous concern, and calls in this regard for further and effective progress. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# GLOBALIZATION–UN (Agenda item 51a) (continued)

A/RES/63/223 Development cooperation with middleincome countries.

Recognizes that middle-income countries still face significant challenges in their efforts to achieve the internationally agreed development goals, including the Millennium Development Goals, and, in that regard, underlines the importance of international support, through various forms, that is well aligned with national priorities, to address the development needs of middle-income countries; invites the UN development system to support middle-income countries, as appropriate, and to improve its coordination and exchange of experiences with other international organizations, international financial institutions and regional organizations in this field; acknowledges the initiative of middle-income countries to hold follow-up conferences and other meetings regarding their development on a yearly basis, and, in this regard, requests the UN system to continue supporting these endeavours in collaboration with other relevant international organizations. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/224 Towards a New International Economic Order.

Decides to consider in depth the international economic situation and its impact on development during the 64th sess. of the General Assembly, and in that regard requests the Secretary-General to include in his next report under the agenda item entitled "Globalization and interdependence" an overview of the major international economic and policy challenges for an equitable and inclusive sustained economic growth and sustainable development, and of the role of UN in addressing these issues, in the light of the relevant principles contained in the Declaration on the Establishment of a New International Economic Order and the Programme of Action for the Establishment of a New International Economic Order. (Adopted 123-1-52, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### **GOLAN HEIGHTS**

See: TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-NATURAL RESOURCES

#### **GRATIS PERSONNEL**

See: PERSONNEL QUESTIONS-UN SYSTEM UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

### GROUP OF LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. MINISTERIAL MEETING (2004 : SÃO PAULO, BRAZIL)

See: LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

#### **GUAM (ORGANIZATION)**

See: ORGANIZATION FOR DEMOCRACY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT-GUAM

# GUAM QUESTION (Agenda item 37) <u>Reports</u>

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

#### Hearings requested

- **A/C.4/63/3** Letter, 17 Sept. 2008, from Victoria-Lola M. Leon Guerrero, Chamoru Nation. Requests a hearing on the question of Guam.
- A/C.4/63/3/Add.1 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from Craig Santos Perez, Guahan Indigenous Collective. Requests a hearing on the question of Guam.
- A/C.4/63/3/Add.2 Letter, 17 Sept. 2008, from Michael A. Tun'cap, Guam Famoksaiyan Collective – Oakland Chapter. Requests a hearing on the question of Guam.

**A/C.4/63/3/Add.3** Letter, 1 Oct. 2007, from Vicente C. Pangelinan, Senator in the Guam Legislature. Requests a hearing on the question of Guam.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/63/L.6 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

**A/63/408** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.6 (10 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-VI].

# GUAM QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued) Resolutions

#### A/RES/63/108[B-VI] Guam.

Calls once again upon the administering Power to take into consideration the expressed will of the Chamorro people as supported by Guam voters in the referendum of 1987 and as subsequently provided for in Guam law regarding Chamorro self-determination efforts, and encourages the administering Power and the territorial Government to enter into negotiations on the matter; requests the administering Power, in cooperation with the territorial Government, to continue to transfer land to the original landowners of the Territory, to continue to recognize and to respect the political rights and the cultural and ethnic identity of the Chamorro people of Guam and to take all measures necessary to address the concerns of the territorial Government with regard to the question of immigration; also requests the administering Power to cooperate in establishing programmes for the sustainable development of the economic activities and enterprises of the Territory, noting the special role of the Chamorro people in the development of Guam; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating public outreach efforts, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### HABITAT II

See: HUMAN SETTLEMENTS-CONFERENCE-FOLLOW-UP

### HAITI

See: HAITI-POLITICAL CONDITIONS UN STABILIZATION MISSION IN HAITI-FINANCING

# HAITI-POLITICAL CONDITIONS (Agenda item 24)

Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

HIGH-LEVEL DIALOGUE ON INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT (2006 : NEW YORK)

See: MIGRATION-DEVELOPMENT

#### **HIGHLY MIGRATORY FISH STOCKS**

See: STRADDLING FISH STOCKS

# HIV/AIDS–DECLARATIONS (Agenda item 41) Reports

**A/63/152** Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the review of the progress made by the United Nations system organizations in achieving Millennium Development Goal 6, Target 7, to combat HIV/AIDS : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Review of the progress made by the United Nations system organizations in achieving Millennium Development Goal 6, Target 7, to combat HIV/AIDS" (JIU/REP/2007/12).

A/63/152/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the review of the progress made by the United Nations system organizations in achieving Millennium Development Goal 6, Target 7, to combat HIV/AIDS : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 8 May 2009. - Transmits his comments and those of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the review of the progress made by the organizations of the UN system in achieving Millennium Development Goal 6, Target 7, to combat HIV/AIDS" (A/63/152).

A/63/812 Progress made in the implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declaration on HIV/AIDS : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 7 May 2009.

### **General documents**

- **A/63/307** Letter, 15 August 2008, from Mexico. Transmits the ministerial declaration entitled "Prevention through education" adopted at the 1st meeting of Ministers of Health and Education to stop HIV/AIDS and sexually transmitted infections in Latin America and the Caribbean, held in Mexico City on 1 Aug. 2008 and attended by representatives of 31 Latin American and Caribbean countries.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/925** Letter, 2 July 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the Political Declaration on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, adopted at the Ministerial Conference on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, held in Managua, Nicaragua, on 24 June 2009.

# HIV/AIDS–DECLARATIONS (Agenda item 41) (continued)

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.73 Implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declaration on HIV/AIDS : draft decision / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.88 (16 June 2009).

A/63/PV.89 (16 June 2009).

A/63/PV.90 (17 June 2009).

A/63/PV.104 (9 Sept. 2009). At the 104th meeting, draft decision A/63/L.73, as

orally revised, was adopted without vote: decision 63/560.

#### HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE (Agenda item 59)

### **Reports**

**A/63/316** Programme of outreach on the "Holocaust and the United Nations" : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 20 Aug. 2008.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

#### HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS-UN

See: UN-HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS

#### HOUSING

See: HUMAN SETTLEMENTS-CONFERENCE-FOLLOW-UP

#### HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT-UN

See: UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

#### HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64)

See also: DISABLED PERSONS-TREATY (2006) HUMAN RIGHTS-PROGRAMMES OF ACTION (1993)

HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS

HUMAN RIGHTS-TREATIES-IMPLEMENTATION

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT

POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2ND: 2008-2017)

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

- RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION
- RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

**RIGHTS OF THE CHILD** 

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

- UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (27th SPECIAL SESS. : 2002)-FOLLOW-UP
- UN. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS
- UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL-REPORTS

#### **Reports**

 A/63/40(Vol.I) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 40) Report of the Human Rights Committee. Volume 1, 91st session (15 October-2 November 2007); 92nd session (17 March-4 April 2008); 93rd session (7-25 July 2008). Issued: 2008.

A/63/40(Vol.II) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 40) Report of the Human Rights Committee. Volume 2, 91st session (15 October-2 November 2007); 92nd session (17 March-4 April 2008); 93rd session (7-25 July 2008). Issued: 2008.

#### General documents

**A/63/123** Letter, 8 July 2008, from Italy. Transmits, on behalf of the Presidency of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, resolutions adopted at the 118th Assembly of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held in Cape Town, South Africa, 18 Apr. 2008.

- **A/63/281** (S/2008/431) Letter, 30 June 2008, from Cuba. Transmits statement made by the Minister of Foreign Relations at a press conference on 22 May 2008, concerning the alleged relationship between terrorists of Cuban origin in Miami, United States diplomats in Havana and mercenary activities in Cuba.
- **A/63/370** (S/2008/614) Identical letters, 19 Sept. 2008, from China, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits text of the Dushanbe Declaration of the Heads of members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, adopted at the Shanghai Cooperation Organization summit held in Dushanbe, 28 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/497** (S/2008/668) Letter, 20 Oct. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits final statement and recommendations of the 9th meeting of the European Union-Azerbaijan Parliamentary Cooperation Committee" held in Brussels, 6-7 Oct. 2008.

#### HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64) (continued)

- **A/63/500** Letter, 20 Sept. 2008, from Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Norway and Qatar. Requests to convene a thematic debate during the 63rd session of the General Assembly on the issue of access to education in emergency, post-crisis and transition situations caused by man-made conflicts or natural disasters.
- **A/63/553** Letter, 11 Nov. 2008, from Mexico. Transmits report of the International Meeting on the Protection of the Rights of Children in the Context of International Migration held in Mexico City on 30 Sept. and 1 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/564** Letter, 20 Nov. 2008, from Ukraine. Transmits address from the President to Ukrainians throughout the world and the International community and a resolution by the European Parliament on the commemoration of the 75th anniversary of the Holodomor of 1932-1933.
- **A/63/609** Letter, 11 Dec. 2008, from the Russian Federation. Transmits text of address given by Mr. D. A. Medvedev, President of the Russian Federation, to participants attending the plenary meeting of the UN General Assembly held on 10 Dec. 2008 to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the adoption of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
- **A/63/627** Letter, 10 Dec. 2008, from Cuba. Transmits the Declaration of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the commemoration of the 60th anniversary of the adoption of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- A/63/764 Letter, 11 Mar. 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits information on the efforts of the Republic of Uzbekistan aimed at the protection and promotion of the rights of women.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/822** Letter, 15 Apr. 2009, from Turkmenistan. Transmits information on the gender policy of Turkmenistan.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.

#### HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64) (continued)

- **A/63/854** Note verbale, 7 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits aide-memoire in support of the candidacy of Cuba for membership in the Human Rights Council for the period 2009-2012.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/886** Letter, 12 June 2009, from Moldova. Transmits the texts of the joint statement of the Heads of State and Government of the South-East European Cooperation Process and of the Chisinau Declaration of the 12th meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the South-East European Cooperation Process, held in Chisinau from 2 to 5 June 2009.
- **A/63/931** (S/2009/372) Letter, 17 July 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits the Yekaterinburg Declaration of the Heads of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, adopted at its Heads of States Council meeting, held on 15 and 16 June 2009 in Yekaterinburg, Russian Federation.
- **A/63/945** Letter, 10 Aug. 2009, from Cuba. Concerns the denial of an entry visa to the United States of Adriana Pérez O'Connor, wife of Gerardo Hernández Nordelo, a Cuban citizen imprisoned in the United States; transmits annex entitled "Appeal to the parliaments and peoples of the world".
- **A/63/968** (S/2009/516) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Special Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the Non-Aligned Movement on Nelson Mandela International Day, 18 July, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.31 Commemoration of the 60th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights : draft resolution / Algeria, Argentina, Azerbaijan, Germany and Indonesia.
- **A/63/L.54** Sixtieth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights : draft resolution/ submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

### HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64) (continued) Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/63/430 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.28 (28 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.57 (24 Nov. 2008). At the 57th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.31 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/25.

#### A/63/PV.65 (10 Dec. 2008).

At the 65th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.54, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/116.

#### A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft decision in A/63/430 entitled "Reports considered by the General Assembly in connection with the promotion and protection of human rights" was adopted without vote: decision 63/534.

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/25 Commemoration of the 60th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

Reaffirms its decision to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights1 on 10 Dec. 2008; decides that the commemorative event will comprise a plenary meeting, including the award ceremony for the UN prize in the field of human rights, and 2 consecutive informal interactive panel discussions; encourages all Member States and observers to participate at the highest level possible; decides that the President of the General Assembly, the President of the Human Rights Council, the Secretary-General and the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights will address the commemorative plenary meeting; requests the President of the General Assembly, in consultation with Member States and with the technical support of the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, to draw up, no later than 30 Nov. 2008, a list of 2 representatives of pertinent non-governmental organizations for each of the informal interactive panel discussions who will speak on behalf of civil society, and to circulate the list to Member States to be considered on a no objection basis; further requests the President of the General Assembly to hold open consultations with Member States and observers in order to prepare a brief declaration reaffirming the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the commitment for its full implementation, to be adopted by consensus at the commemorative plenary meeting. (Adopted without vote, 57th plenary meeting, 24 Nov, 2008)

#### HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64) (continued)

**A/RES/63/116** Sixtieth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

Celebrate today the 60th anniversary of the adoption of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, which is a common standard of achievement for all peoples and all nations in the field of human rights; remains a relevant ethical compass that guides us in addressing the challenges we face today; deplore that human rights and fundamental freedoms are not yet fully and universally respected in all parts of the world; continue to strengthen the human rights pillar of the United Nations, as we undertook with the creation of the Human Rights Council. (Adopted without vote, 65th plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2008)

#### HUMAN RIGHTS-DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA (Agenda item 64c)

### **Reports**

A/63/322 Situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 22 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Vitit Muntarbhorn, covering the period from 2007 to mid-2008.

**A/63/332** Situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 26 Aug. 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.26 Situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Palau, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, 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: Bosnia and Herzegovina, El Salvador, Georgia, Montenegro and Turkey (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee. Para. inserted by A/63/430/Add.3/Corr.1.

A/63/430/Add.3/Corr.1 Report of the 3rd Committee : corrigendum.

Inserts para. to A/63/430/Add.3.

A/C.3/63/SR.22 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).

### HUMAN RIGHTS-DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA (Agenda item 64c) (continued)

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 71st meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/430/Add.3 (originally A/C.3/63/L.26), was adopted (94-22-63): resolution 63/190.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/190 Situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

Expresses its very serious concern at: (a) the persistence of continuing reports of systematic, widespread and grave violations of civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea; (b) the continued refusal of the Government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to recognize the mandate of the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea; strongly urges the Government of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to respect fully all human rights and fundamental freedoms; decides to continue its examination of the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea at its 64th session. (Adopted 94-22-63, 71st plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# HUMAN RIGHTS-IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF) (Agenda item 64c)

#### **Reports**

A/63/459 Report of the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran. Issued: 1 Oct. 2008.

#### General documents

A/C.3/63/6 Letter, 3 Nov. 2008, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Transmits report entitled "Promotion and protection of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran: a brief account of policies and practices".

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.40 Situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran : draft resolution / Andorra, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, New Zealand, Netherlands, Norway, Palau, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America. Additional sponsor: the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (A/63/430/Add.3).

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

A/63/430/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee. Para. inserted by A/63/430/Add.3/Corr.1.

# HUMAN RIGHTS-IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF) (Agenda item 64c) (continued)

A/63/430/Add.3/Corr.1 Report of the 3rd Committee : corrigendum.

Inserts para. to A/63/430/Add.3.

### A/C.3/63/SR.45 (21 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution III in A/63/430/Add.3 (originally A/C.3/63/L.40), was adopted (69-54-57): resolution 63/191.

## **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/191** Situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran.

Expresses its deep concern at serious human rights violations; further calls upon the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran to redress its inadequate record of cooperation with international human rights mechanisms; requests an update from the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran; decides to continue its examination of the situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran at its 64th session. (Adopted 69-54-57, 71st plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

### HUMAN RIGHTS-MYANMAR (Agenda item 64c) Reports

**A/63/341** Situation of human rights in Myanmar : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Sept. 2008. - Transmits report of the Special Rapporteur on the Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar, Tomás Ojea Quintana, in accordance with paragraph 6 of General Assembly resolution 62/222.

A/63/356 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 17 Sept. 2008.

 A/63/614 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.33 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 16 Dec. 2008.

#### General documents

A/C.3/63/4 Letter, 17 Oct. 2008, from Myanmar. Transmits memorandum on the situation of human rights in Myanmar.

A/C.3/63/L.71 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.33 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

A/C.5/63/12 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.33 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

# HUMAN RIGHTS-MYANMAR (Agenda item 64c) (continued)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.3/63/L.33 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, 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: Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Turkey (A/63/430/Add.3).

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

A/63/430/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee. Para. inserted by A/63/430/Add.3/Corr.1.

A/63/430/Add.3/Corr.1 Report of the 3rd Committee : corrigendum.

Inserts para. to A/63/430/Add.3.

A/C.3/63/SR.20 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.22 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.45 (21 Nov. 2008).

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

A/63/651 Report of the 5th Committee.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008). At the 74th meeting, draft resolution II in A/63/430/Add.3 (originally A/C.3/63/L.33), was adopted (80-25-45): resolution 63/245.

### HUMAN RIGHTS-MYANMAR (Agenda item 64c) (continued) Resolutions

#### A/RES/63/245 Situation of human rights in Myanmar. Strongly condemns the ongoing systematic violations of civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights of the people of Myanmar; strongly calls upon the Government of Myanmar: to ensure full respect for all human rights and fundamental freedoms; to allow a full, transparent, effective, impartial and independent investigation; to reveal the whereabouts of persons who are detained or missing or who have been subjected to enforced disappearance; to seize the opportunity of the good offices of SG; to desist from further politically motivated arrests; to lift all restraints on the peaceful political activity of all persons; to cooperate with the Special Rapporteur; to ensure timely, safe, full and unhindered access to all parts of Myanmar; to put an immediate end to the continuing recruitment and use of child soldiers; to permit all political representatives and representatives of ethnic nationalities to participate fully in the political transition process without restrictions; to refrain from imposing restrictions on access to and flow of information from the people of Myanmar; to fulfil its obligations to restore the independence of the judiciary and due process of law; to engage in a dialogue with the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and International Committee of the Red Cross; requests SG: to continue to provide his good offices: to give all necessary assistance to enable the Special Adviser and the Special Rapporteur to discharge their mandates; to report to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. as well as to the Human Rights Council on the progress made in the implementation of the present resolution; decides to continue the consideration of the question at its 64th sess. (Adopted 80-25-45, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

# HUMAN RIGHTS-NATIONAL INSTITUTIONS (Agenda item 64b)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.20 The role of the Ombudsman, mediator and other national human rights institutions in the promotion and protection of human rights : draft resolution / Benin, Costa Rica, Djibouti, Egypt, Japan, Mali, Mauritius, Morocco and Senegal.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Brazil, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Canada, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, the Gambia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Latvia, Lebanon, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malta, Mongolia, the Netherlands, Norway, Oman, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Ukraine, the United Arab Emirates and the United Kingdom (A/63/430/Add.2).

# HUMAN RIGHTS-NATIONAL INSTITUTIONS (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.23 National institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights : draft resolution / Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Mongolia, Netherlands, Norway, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia and Spain.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Bangladesh, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, the Central African Republic, Costa Rica, Cyprus, the Dominican Republic, Estonia, Georgia, Ghana, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Iceland, Israel, Japan, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Malta, Montenegro, Morocco, Nigeria, Panama, Peru, the Philippines, Poland, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, the Russian Federation, Serbia, Sierra Leone, Spain, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Thailand, Timor-Leste, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine, the United Kingdom, the United Republic of Tanzania and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.35 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, action on draft resolution in A/63/430/Add.2 was as follows: draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/63/L.20), adopted without vote: resolution 63/169; draft resolution V (originally A/C.3/63/L.23), adopted without vote: resolution 63/172.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/169** The role of the Ombudsman, mediator and other national human rights institutions in the promotion and protection of human rights.

Encourages Member States: (a) to consider the creation or the strengthening of independent and autonomous Ombudsman, mediator and other national human rights institutions; (b) to develop, where appropriate, mechanisms of cooperation between these institutions, where they exist, in order to coordinate their action, strengthen their achievements and enable the exchange of lessons learned; also encourages Member States: (a) to consider conducting communication campaigns, with other relevant actors, in order to enhance public awareness on the importance of the role of the Ombudsman, mediator and other national human rights institutions; (b) to give serious consideration to implementing the recommendations and proposals of their Ombudsman, mediator and other national human rights institutions, with the aim of addressing claims of the complainants, consistent with the principles of justice, equality and rule of law. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

### HUMAN RIGHTS-NATIONAL INSTITUTIONS (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/RES/63/172 National institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights.

Reaffirms the importance of the development of effective, independent and pluralistic national institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights, in accordance with the principles relating to the status of national institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights ("the Paris Principles"); commends the high priority given by the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights to work on national institutions, encourages the High Commissioner, in view of the expanded activities relating to national institutions, to ensure that appropriate arrangements are made and budgetary resources provided to continue and further extend activities in support of national human rights institutions, and invites Governments to contribute additional voluntary funds to that end: requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide the necessary assistance for holding meetings of the International Coordinating Committee of National Institutions during the sessions of the Human Rights Council, in cooperation with the Office of the High Commissioner. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# HUMAN RIGHTS-PROGRAMMES OF ACTION (1993) (Agenda item 64d)

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS HUMAN RIGHTS-TREATIES-IMPLEMENTATION HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT

#### **General documents**

A/C.3/63/3 Letter, 7 Oct. 2008, from Austria. Transmits summary of recommendations of the International Expert Conference "Gobal Standards : Local Action" held in Vienna, 28-29 Aug. 2008, on the occasion of the 15th anniversary of the World Conference on Human Rights.

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

A/63/430 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/63/430/Add.4 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.18 (21 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.19 (21 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 71st meeting, the Assembly decided to take note of the report of the 3rd Committee: decision 63/535.

#### HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS (Agenda item 64c)

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS

HUMAN RIGHTS-DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA

HUMAN RIGHTS-IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)

- HUMAN RIGHTS-MYANMAR
- HUMAN RIGHTS-PROGRAMMES OF ACTION (1993)

HUMAN RIGHTS-TREATIES-IMPLEMENTATION HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT HUMAN RIGHTS IN ARMED CONFLICTS

UN. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS

UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL-REPORTS

Reports

**A/63/289** Effects of foreign debt and other related international financial obligations of States on the full enjoyment of all human rights, particularly economic, social and cultural rights : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 14 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the Independent Expert on the Effects of Foreign Debt and Other Related International Financial Obligations of States on the Full Enjoyment of All Human Rights, particularly Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, Cephas Lumina, submitted pursuant to Human Rights Council resolution 7/4.

### General documents

**A/63/223** Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism : note / by the Secretary-General.

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

A/63/430 Report of the 3rd Committee.

- A/63/430/Add.3 Report of the 3rd Committee. Para. inserted by A/63/430/Add.3/Corr.1.
- A/63/430/Add.3/Corr.1 Report of the 3rd Committee : corrigendum.

Inserts para. to A/63/430/Add.3.

A/C.3/63/SR.20	(22 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.21	(22 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.22	(23 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.23	(23 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.26	(27 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.28	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.29	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.30	(29 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.31	(30 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.44	(21 Nov. 2008).

# HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS (Agenda item 64c) (continued)

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

# HUMAN RIGHTS-TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL

See: TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS

#### HUMAN RIGHTS-TERRORISM (Agenda item 64b)

See also: TERRORISM

### **Reports**

A/63/337 Protecting human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 Aug. 2008.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.39 Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism : draft resolution / Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Chile, Croatia, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Angola, Armenia, Benin, Cape Verde, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus, Iceland, Indonesia, Iraq, Montenegro, Nigeria, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/430/Add.2).

A/C.3/63/L.39/Rev.1 Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism : revised draft resolution / Albania, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Japan and the Russian Federation (A/63/430/Add.2).

# HUMAN RIGHTS-TERRORISM (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.78 Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.39/Rev.1 / South Africa.

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsor in the light of the oral revisions made to the text of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.39/Rev.1 by Mexico.

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.48 (25 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution XVIII in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.39/Rev.1), as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/185.

## **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/185** Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism.

Deeply deplores the suffering caused by terrorism to the victims and their families, expresses its profound solidarity with them, and stresses the importance of providing them with assistance; calls upon States not to resort to profiling based on stereotypes founded on grounds of discrimination prohibited by international law, including discrimination on racial, ethnic and/or religious grounds; calls upon States to refrain from returning persons, including in cases related to terrorism, to their countries of origin or to a third State whenever such transfer would be contrary to their obligations under international law, in particular international human rights law, international humanitarian law and international refugee law, including in cases where there are substantial grounds for believing that they would be in danger of subjection to torture, or where their life or freedom would be threatened in violation of international refugee law on account of their race, religion, nationality, membership of a particular social group or political opinion, bearing in mind obligations that States may have to prosecute individuals not returned; also calls upon States to ensure that guidelines and practices in all border control operations and other pre-entry mechanisms are clear and fully respect their obligations under international law, particularly refugee law and human rights law, towards persons seeking international protection; opposes any form of deprivation of liberty that amounts to placing a detained person outside the protection of the law. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# HUMAN RIGHTS-TREATIES-IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 64a)

See also: DISABLED PERSONS-TREATY (2006) HUMAN RIGHTS-PROGRAMMES OF ACTION (1993) HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT HUMAN RIGHTS IN ARMED CONFLICTS TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL TREATMENT UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE-ACTIVITIES WOMEN IN ARMED CONFLICTS

#### **Reports**

**A/63/175** Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 28 July 2008. - Transmits interim report of the Special Rapporteur of the Human Rights Council on Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, Manfred Nowak, submitted in accordance with General Assembly resolution 62/148.

**A/63/280** Effective implementation of international instruments on human rights, including reporting obligations under international instruments on human rights : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 13 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the chairpersons of human rights treaty bodies on the 20th meeting, held at Geneva on 24 and 25 June 2008, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/202.

### **General documents**

**A/63/137** Status of the United Nations Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery : note / by the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

 A/C.3/63/L.45 Equitable geographical distribution in the membership of the human rights treaty bodies : draft resolution / Belarus, Benin, Burundi, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Egypt, Ethiopia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Madagascar, Myanmar, Nicaragua, South Africa, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Viet Nam and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Angola, Bangladesh, Belize, Bolivia, Chad, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Ghana, Honduras, Indonesia, Kenya, Kuwait, Lebanon, Liberia, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Nigeria, Pakistan, Qatar, Rwanda, Saudi Arabia, Sierra Leone, the Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Togo and Zambia (A/63/430/Add.1).

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

A/63/430 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/63/430/Add.1 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.18 (21 Oct. 2008).

- A/C.3/63/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.3/63/SR.38 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

### HUMAN RIGHTS-TREATIES-IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 64a) (continued) Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 70th meeting, draft resolution II in A/63/430/Add.1 (originally A/C.3/63/L.45) was adopted (128-55-2): resolution 63/167.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/167 Equitable geographical distribution in the membership of the human rights treaty bodies. Encourages the States parties to the UN human rights instruments to consider and 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; recommends, when considering the possible establishment of a quota by region for the election of the membership of each treaty body; 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 High Commissioner to submit concrete recommendations on the implementation of the present resolution to the General Assembly at its 64th session. (Adopted 128-55-2, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 64b)

See also: CAPITAL PUNISHMENT DISAPPEARANCE OF PERSONS DISPLACED PERSONS FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT-FAMILY REUNIFICATION GLOBALIZATION-HUMAN RIGHTS HUMAN RIGHTS-NATIONAL INSTITUTIONS HUMAN RIGHTS-PROGRAMMES OF ACTION (1993)HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS HUMAN RIGHTS-TERRORISM HUMAN RIGHTS-TREATIES-IMPLEMENTATION HUMAN RIGHTS IN ARMED CONFLICTS HUMAN RIGHTS INSTITUTIONS - CENTRAL AFRICA JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE MIGRANTS-PROTECTION MINORITIES POVERTY-HUMAN RIGHTS RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE **RIGHT TO DEVELOPMENT RIGHT TO EDUCATION RIGHT TO FOOD RIGHT TO HEALTH RIGHT TO HOUSING** SANCTIONS-INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS SUMMARY EXECUTIONS TRANSNATIONAL CORPORATIONS-HUMAN RIGHTS WOMEN IN ARMED CONFLICTS

### **Reports**

A/63/288 Human rights defenders : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 14 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report submitted by the Special Rapporteur on the Situation of Human Rights Defenders, Margaret Sekaggya, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 62/152.

 A/63/624 Committee on the Rights of the Child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.46/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.

#### General documents

**A/63/290** Composition of the staff of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits report of the High Commissioner for Human Rights on the composition of the staff of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (A/HRC/7/57).

**A/63/486** Regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights : note / by the Secretary-General.

# HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

- **A/63/613** Letter, 16 Dec. 2008, from Ukraine. Transmits, on behalf of the delegations listed, the Declaration on the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Holodomor of 1932-1933 in Ukraine.
- **A/63/635** Letter, 18 Dec. 2008, from Argentina, Brazil, Croatia, France, Gabon, Japan, Netherlands and Norway. Transmits statement on human rights, sexual orientation and gender identity.
- **A/63/663** Note verbale, 19 Dec. 2008, from the Syrian Arab Republic. Transmits declaration by 59 Member States in relation to statement delivered at the 71st plenary meeting of the General Assembly at its 63rd session, on human rights and the notions of sexual orientation and gender identity.
- **A/63/778** Letter, 18 Mar. 2009, from the United States. States that the United States wishes to associate itself with the statement on human rights, sexual orientation and gender identity contained in document A/63/635.
- A/C.3/63/L.61 Committee on the Rights of the Child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.46 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/C.5/63/13** Committee on the Rights of the Child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.46/Rev.1 (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.3/63/L.21 Regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights : draft resolution / Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovi na, Burundi, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Timor-Leste and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Australia, Azerbaijan, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Canada, Chile, the Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, the Czech Republic, El Salvador, Ghana, Guatemala, Honduras, Indonesia, Israel, Japan, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Mali, Malta, Mongolia, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, the Republic of Moldova, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay (A/63/430/Add.2).

A/C.3/63/L.32 Enhancement of international cooperation in the field of human rights : draft resolution / Cuba [on behalf of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries]. Additional sponsors: China and El Salvador (A/63/430/Add.2).

# HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.44 Promotion of a democratic and equitable international order : draft resolution / Angola, Belarus, Bolivia, Burundi, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Ecuador, Egypt, Ethiopia, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Uganda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Bangladesh, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Chad, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, El Salvador, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jamaica, Lebanon, Lesotho, Malaysia, Myanmar, Namibia, Nigeria, Sierra Leone, Solomon Islands, South Africa, Swaziland and Zambia (A/63/430/Add.2).

 A/C.3/63/L.45 Equitable geographical distribution in the membership of the human rights treaty bodies : draft resolution / Belarus, Benin, Burundi, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Egypt, Ethiopia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Madagascar, Myanmar, Nicaragua, South Africa, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Viet Nam and Zimbabwe. Additional sponsors: Algeria, Angola, Bangladesh,

Belize, Bolivia, Chad, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Ghana, Honduras, Indonesia, Kenya, Kuwait, Lebanon, Liberia, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Nigeria, Pakistan, Qatar, Rwanda, Saudi Arabia, Sierra Leone, the Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Togo and Zambia (A/63/430/Add.1).

A/C.3/63/L.46 Committee on the Rights of the Child : draft resolution / Liechtenstein, New Zealand, Norway and Switzerland.

Additional sponsors: Benin, Cote d'Ivoire, the Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Panama, the Republic of Korea, Senegal and the United Republic of Tanzania (A/63/430/Add.2).

A/C.3/63/L.46/Rev.1 Committee on the Rights of the Child : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Benin, Chile, Colombia, Côte d'Ivoire, Dominican Republic, France, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Liechtenstein, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Senegal, Switzerland, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guinea-Bissau, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lesotho, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malta, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Nigeria, Paraguay, Portugal, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovenia, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Thailand and Turkey (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/63/430/Add.1 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

# HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/63/430/Add.2/Corr.1 Report of the 3rd Committee : corrigendum. Corrects text.		
A/C.3/63/SR.20	(22 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.21	(22 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.23	(23 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.24	(24 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.25	(24 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.26	(27 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.27	(27 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.28	(28 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.29	(28 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.30	(29 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.31	(30 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.35	(4 Nov. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.38	(6 Nov. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.39	(11 Nov. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.43	(20 Nov. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.44	(21 Nov. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.48	(25 Nov. 2008).	

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

A/63/652 Report of the 5th Committee.

#### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/430/Add.2 was as follows: draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/63/L.21), adopted without vote: resolution 63/170; draft resolution XIII (originally A/C.3/63/L.32), adopted without vote: resolution 63/180; draft resolution XXII (originally A/C.3/63/L.44), adopted (124-55-7): resolution 63/189; at the same meeting, draft resolution II in A/63/430/Add.1 (originally A/C.3/63/L.45) was adopted (128-55-2): resolution 63/167.

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution XXIII in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.46/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/244.

# HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/167 Equitable geographical distribution in the membership of the human rights treaty bodies. Encourages the States parties to the UN human rights instruments to consider and 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; recommends, when considering the possible establishment of a quota by region for the election of the membership of each treaty body; 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 High Commissioner to submit concrete recommendations on the implementation of the present resolution to the General Assembly at its 64th session. (Adopted 128-55-2, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/170** Regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights.

Welcomes the growing exchanges between the UN and the UN human rights treaty bodies; invites States in areas in which regional arrangements in the field of human rights do not yet exist to consider concluding agreements with a view to establishing, within their respective regions, suitable regional machinery for the promotion and protection of human rights; requests the Secretary-General to continue to strengthen exchanges between the UN and regional intergovernmental organizations dealing with human rights; requests the Office of the High Commissioner to continue to pay special attention to the most appropriate ways of assisting countries of the various regions. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

**A/RES/63/180** Enhancement of international cooperation in the field of human rights.

Reaffirms that it is 1 of the purposes of UN and the responsibility of all Member States to promote, protect and encourage respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms through, inter alia, international cooperation; reaffirms that dialogue among cultures and civilizations facilitates the promotion of a culture of tolerance and respect for diversity, and welcomes in this regard the holding of conferences and meetings at the national, regional and international levels on dialogue among civilizations; 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; calls upon Member States, the specialized agencies and intergovernmental organizations to continue to carry out a constructive dialogue and consultations for the enhancement of understanding and the promotion and protection of all human rights and fundamental freedoms, and encourages non-governmental organizations to contribute actively to this endeavour; requests the Secretary-General, in collaboration with the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, to consult States and intergovernmental and nongovernmental organizations on ways and means to enhance international cooperation and dialogue in UN human rights machinery, including the Human Rights Council. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

# A/RES/63/189 Promotion of a democratic and equitable international order.

Calls upon all Member States to fulfil their commitment expressed in Durban, South Africa, during the World Conference against Racism, Racial Discrimination, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance to maximize the benefits of globalization; 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 Human Rights Council, the human rights treaty bodies, the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, the special mechanisms extended by the Council and the Human Rights Council Advisory Committee to pay due attention, within their respective mandates, to the present resolution and to make contributions towards its implementation: calls upon the Office of the High Commissioner to build upon the issue of the promotion of a democratic and equitable international order; and 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. (Adopted 124-55-7, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/244 Committee on the Rights of the Child. Decides to authorize the Committee to meet in parallel chambers for the purposes of considering the reports of the States parties; also decides to assess the situation regarding the meeting time of the Committee at its 65th session on the basis of an evaluation made by the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights; requests the Committee to intensify its review of its working methods in order to enhance the efficiency and quality of its proceedings. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2008)

# HUMAN RIGHTS IN ARMED CONFLICTS (Agenda item 76)

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS–PROGRAMMES OF ACTION (1993)

HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS

HUMAN RIGHTS-TREATIES-IMPLEMENTATION

HUMAN RIGHTS ADVANCEMENT

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS

WOMEN IN ARMED CONFLICTS

#### **Reports**

**A/63/118** 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: 11 July 2008. - Corner notation was corrected by document A/63/118/Corr.1.

A/63/118/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: 7 Oct. 2008.

**A/63/118/Corr.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 : corrigendum.

Issued: 6 Oct. 2008. - Corrects the corner notation of document A/63/118.

### **General documents**

A/63/467 (S/2008/636) Letter, 2 Oct. 2008, from Switzerland. Transmits the Montreux Document containing rules and good practices relating to private military and security companies operating in armed conflicts, which is the result of an international process launched in 2006 with the intention of promoting respect for international humanitarian law and human rights law.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.6/63/L.15 Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Convention of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts : draft resolution / Albania, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Congo, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Senegal, Serbia, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Swaziland, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

# HUMAN RIGHTS IN ARMED CONFLICTS (Agenda item 76) (continued)

# Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/C.6/63/SR.13 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.14 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/440 (originally A/C.6/63/L.15) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/125.

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/125** 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 that have not yet done so to consider becoming parties to the Additional Protocols and 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; 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 65th sess. a report on the status of the Additional Protocols relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts, as well as on measures taken to strengthen the existing body of international humanitarian law. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

### HUMAN RIGHTS INSTITUTIONS-CENTRAL AFRICA (Agenda item 64b)

### **Reports**

A/63/367 Subregional Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Central Africa : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 19 Sept. 2008.

### HUMAN RIGHTS INSTITUTIONS-CENTRAL AFRICA (Agenda item 64b) (continued) Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.29 Subregional Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Central Africa : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Ghana, Guinea, Kenya, Madagascar, Mali, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal and Swaziland

Additional sponsors: Albania, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Chile, Comoros, Costa Rica, Croatia, Djibouti, El Salvador, Ethiopia, France, Honduras, Italy, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Malawi, Namibia, Nigeria, Portugal, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, the Sudan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Uganda, the United States and the United Republic of Tanzania (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.38 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 70th meeting, draft resolution X in

A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.29), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/177.

# Resolutions

A/RES/63/177 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; takes note of the implementation of the new three-year strategy for the Centre, which aims to reinforce its activities; requests the Secretary-General and the High Commissioner to continue to provide additional funds and human resources within the existing resources of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights to enable the Centre to respond positively and effectively to the growing needs in the promotion and protection of human rights and in developing a culture of democracy and the rule of law in the Central African subregion. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

### HUMAN RIGHTS LEARNING-INTERNATIONAL YEARS (Agenda item 64b) Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.24 International Year of Human Rights Learning : draft resolution / Argentina, Kenya [on behalf of the Group of African States] and Saint Vincent and the Grenadines.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Antigua and Barbuda, Armenia, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Ecuador, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Indonesia, Iraq, Israel, Italy, Jordan, Lebanon, Lithuania, Oman, Panama, the Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, Spain, Suriname, Switzerland, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, the United Arab Emirates and the United States (A/63/430/Ass.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.35 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.38 (6 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution VI in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.24), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/173.

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/173 International Year of Human Rights Learning

Urges Member States to develop throughout the International Year of Human Rights Learning and beyond, in coordination with civil society, the private sector, academia and parliamentarians and regional organizations, including the appropriate specialized agencies, funds and programmes of the United Nations system, international strategies and/or regional, national and local programmes of action aimed at broad based and sustained human rights learning at all levels; and calls upon the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights and the Human Rights Council to support, cooperate and collaborate with civil society, the private sector, academia, regional organizations and other relevant stakeholders, as well as with organizations, programmes and funds of the UN system, in efforts to develop, in particular, the design of international strategies and/or regional, national and local programmes of action aimed at broad based and sustained human rights learning for all. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

### HUMAN SETTLEMENTS-CONFERENCE-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 50)

# Reports

A/63/291 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) : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 Aug. 2008.

#### HUMAN SETTLEMENTS-CONFERENCE-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 50) (continued)

A/63/353 Coordinated implementation of the Habitat Agenda : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 Sept. 2008.

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.2/63/L.26 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 / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.64 (A/63/415).

A/C.2/63/L.64 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, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.26.

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

A/63/415 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.20 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.27 (18 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.64) in A/63/415 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/221.

### HUMAN SETTLEMENTS-CONFERENCE-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 50) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/221 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).

Welcomes the efforts of UN-Habitat in the implementation of its Medium-term Strategic and Institutional Plan for the period 2008-2013, and encourages Governments in a position to do so, and other stakeholders, to contribute to UN-Habitat; encourages Governments to promote the principles and practice of sustainable urbanization and strengthen the role and contribution of their respective local authorities in applying those principles and practice; reiterates its call for continued financial support to UN-Habitat through increased voluntary contributions, and invites Governments in a position to do so, and other stakeholders, to provide predictable multi-year funding and increased non-earmarked contributions to support the strategic and institutional objectives of the Medium-term Strategic and Institutional Plan for the period 2008-2013 and its Global Campaign on Sustainable Urbanization; requests the Secretary-General to keep the resource needs of UN-Habitat under review: requests UN-Habitat. within the framework of its experimental reimbursable seeding operations for housing finance, and in close collaboration with international and regional financial institutions, to document and disseminate lessons learned: and emphasizes the importance of the Nairobi headquarters location of UN-Habitat, and requests the Secretary-General to keep the resource needs of UN-Habitat and the UN Office at Nairobi under review. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65)

See also: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PALESTINIANS-ASSISTANCE REFUGEES

#### **Reports**

A/63/84 (E/2008/80) Strengthening emergency relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction, recovery and prevention in the aftermath of the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 13 June 2008.

A/63/305 Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Aug. 2008.

A/63/305/Corr.1 Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 2 Oct. 2008. - Corrects text.

# HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65) (continued)

#### General documents

- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/747** Letter, 24 Feb. 2009, from Canada and Mexico. Transmits the report of the 1st Regional Meeting on Enhancing International Humanitarian Partnerships, which was held in Mexico City on 10 and 11 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.48 Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel : draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominica, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America and Vanuatu.
- **A/63/L.48/Add.1** Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel : draft resolution: addendum.

Additional sponsors: Botswana, Colombia, Gabon, Georgia, Kenya, Saint Lucia and Uruguay.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.43 (10 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.44 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.45 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.68 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 68th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.48 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/138.

### HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65) (continued) Resolutions

#### A/RES/63/138 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 associated personnel and to respect and ensure respect for the inviolability of UN premises, which are essential to the continuation and successful implementation of United Nations operations; requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary measures to ensure full respect for the human rights, privileges and immunities of UN and other personnel carrying out activities in fulfilment of the mandate of a UN operation, and also requests the Secretary-General to seek the inclusion, in negotiations of headquarters and other mission agreements concerning United Nations and associated personnel, of the applicable conditions contained in the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of UN, the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies and the Convention on the Safety of UN and Associated Personnel; 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; requests the Secretary-General to continue to take the necessary measures to ensure that UN and other personnel carrying out activities in fulfilment of the mandate of a UN operation are properly informed about and operate in conformity with the minimum operating security standards and relevant codes of conduct and are properly informed about the conditions under which they are called upon to operate and the standards that they are required to meet, including those contained in relevant national laws and international law, and that adequate training in security, human rights law and international humanitarian law is provided so as to enhance their security and effectiveness in accomplishing their functions; also underlines the need for better coordination between the UN and host Governments, in accordance with the relevant provisions of international law and national laws, on the use and deployment of essential equipment required to provide for the safety and security of UN personnel and associated personnel working in the delivery of humanitarian assistance by UN organizations. (Adopted without vote, 68th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

### IAEA-REPORTS (Agenda item 80)

#### General documents

A/63/276 Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency : note / by the Secretary-General. Transmits the 52nd report of the IAEA for the calendar year 2007 (GC(52)/9).

#### IAEA-REPORTS (Agenda item 80) (continued)

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

 A/63/L.6 Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency : draft resolution / Algeria, Argentina, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Italy, Kuwait, Lithuania, Malaysia, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Ukraine and United States of America.

A/63/L.6/Add.1 Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Angola, Armenia, Australia, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, Estonia, Ethiopia, India, Iraq, Ireland, Japan, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, New Zealand, Nigeria, Panama, Peru, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia, Singapore, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.31 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.32 (27 Oct. 2008).

At the 32nd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.6 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/6.

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/6 Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency.

Reaffirms its strong 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 63rd sess. of the General Assembly relating to the activities of the Agency. (Adopted without vote, 32nd plenary meeting, 27 Oct. 2008)

#### ICJ-ADVISORY OPINION-NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE

See: NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-ICJ OPINION

#### ICJ–MEMBERS (Agenda item 103c)

#### General documents

- **A/63/186** (S/2008/502) Election of 5 members of the International Court of Justice : memorandum / by the Secretary-General.
- **A/63/187** (S/2008/503) List of candidates nominated by national groups : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/63/187/Add.1 (S/2008/503/Add.1) List of candidates nominated by national groups : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.
- A/63/187/Add.2 (S/2008/503/Add.2) List of candidates nominated by national groups : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.
- **A/63/188** (S/2008/504) Curricula vitae of candidates nominated by national groups : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/63/373 (S/2008/619) Letter, 23 Sept. 2008, from Spain. Refers to the election of 5 members of the International Court of Justice to take place during the 63rd session of the General Assembly and states that the list of candidates nominated by national groups (A/63/187-S/2008/503) does not include the nomination by the Spanish national group of Antonio Augusto Cançado Trindade (Brazil) in the Permanent Court of Arbitration.

#### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.39 (6 Nov. 2008).

At the 39th meeting, Ronny Abraham, Awn Shawkat Al-Khasawneh, Antônio Augusto Cançado Trindade and Christopher Greenwood have been elected to the International Court of Justice for a period of 9 years, beginning on 6 Feb. 2009: decision 63/406.

A/63/PV.40 (6 Nov. 2008).

At the 40th meeting, Abdulqawi Ahmed Yusuf has been elected to the International Court of Justice for a period of 9 years, beginning on 6 Feb. 2009: decision 63/406.

#### ICJ-REPORTS (Agenda item 66)

#### **Reports**

A/63/4 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 4) Report of the International Court of Justice, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008.

Issued: 2008.

A/63/229 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: 8 Aug. 2008.

# ICJ-REPORTS (Agenda item 66) (continued)

# **General documents**

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sham El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.34 (30 Oct. 2008).

At the 34th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the International Court of Justice (A/63/4): decision 63/508.

A/63/PV.35 (31 Oct. 2008).

#### **ICJ OPINION-KOSOVO**

See: KOSOVO-ICJ OPINION

#### INDEPENDENT INQUIRY COMMITTEE INTO THE UNITED NATIONS OIL-FOR-FOOD PROGRAMME (Agenda item 115)

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, the General Assembly decided to defer the consideration of this item and to include it in the draft agenda of its 64th sess.: decision 63/566.

#### **INDIGENOUS PEOPLES (Agenda item 61a)**

See also: INDIGENOUS PEOPLES-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2005-2014)

### **Reports**

A/63/166 Status of the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations : report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights. Issued: 23 July 2008.

#### General documents

- A/63/790 Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.

# INDIGENOUS PEOPLES (Agenda item 61a) (continued)

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.3/63/L.17 Indigenous issues : draft resolution / Guatemala.
- A/C.3/63/L.17/Rev.1 Indigenous issues : revised draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Barbados, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Republic of Moldova, Spain, Suriname, Timor-Leste and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Belize, Benin, the Congo, Cote d'Ivoire, Cyprus, Dominica, Iraq, Madagascar, the Philippines and Slovenia (A/63/427).

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

A/63/427 Report of the 3rd Committee.		
A/C.3/63/SR.17	(20 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.18	(21 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.29	(28 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.39	(11 Nov. 2008).	
A/C.3/63/SR.48	(25 Nov. 2008).	
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#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, action on draft resolution and draft decision in A/63/427 was as follow: draft resolution (originally A/C.3/63/L.17/Rev.1), adopted without vote: resolution 63/161; draft decision entitled "The status of the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Population", adopted without vote: decision 63/533.

# INDIGENOUS PEOPLES (Agenda item 61a) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/161 Indigenous issues.

Requests the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights and fundamental freedoms of indigenous people to report on the implementation of his mandate to the General Assembly at its 64th session; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the Assembly at its 65th session a midterm assessment report that evaluates progress made in the achievement of the goal and objectives of the 2nd International Decade of the World's Indigenous People; decides to adjust the mandate of the UN Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations so as to facilitate the participation of representatives of indigenous peoples' organizations in the expert mechanism established in accordance with Human Rights Council resolution 6/36 of 14 Dec. 2007. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

#### INDIGENOUS PEOPLES-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2005-2014) (Agenda item 61b)

See also: INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

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

A/63/427 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.17 (20 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.18 (21 Oct. 2008).

# INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT-INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item 53b)

#### **Reports**

A/63/309 Industrial development cooperation : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 19 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the Director-General of the UN Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) in accordance with General Assembly resolution 61/215 of 20 Dec. 2006.

#### **General documents**

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.2/63/L.6 Industrial development cooperation : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.46 (A/63/418/Add.2).

A/C.2/63/L.46 Industrial development cooperation : draft resolution / submitted by the Rapporteur of the Committee, Awsan Al-Aud (Yemen), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.6.

### INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT-INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item 53b) (continued) Discussion in the Economic and Financial Committee (2nd Committee)

A/63/418 Report of the 2nd Committee.		
A/63/418/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.		
A/C.2/63/SR.14 (22 Oct. 2008).		
A/C.2/63/SR.15 (22 Oct. 2008).		
A/C.2/63/SR.16 (23 Oct. 2008).		
A/C.2/63/SR.19 (28 Oct. 2008).		
A/C.2/63/SR.29 (25 Nov. 2008).		
Discussion in plenary		

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008). At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.46) in A/63/418/Add.2 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/231.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/231 Industrial development cooperation. Calls for the continuing use of official development assistance for sustainable industrial development, the achievement of greater efficiency and effectiveness of official development assistance resources and industrial development cooperation between developing countries and with countries with economies in transition: underlines the importance of mobilizing resources for sustainable industrial development at the country level; calls for the continuing use of all other resources, including private and public, foreign and domestic resources, for industrial development in the developing countries as well as countries with economies in transition; calls upon the UN Industrial Development Organization to take appropriate actions for the full implementation of General Assembly resolution 62/208 of 19 Dec. 2007: stresses the importance of the development of agro-industries and the reduction of post-harvest losses; encourages the UN Industrial Development Organization to continue to promote environmentally sound and sustainable production through, inter alia, its programmes on cleaner production, industrial water management and industrial energy efficiency and the utilization of renewable energy for productive uses, especially in rural areas; and takes note of the increased emphasis given by the UN to South-South cooperation, including triangular cooperation, and encourages it to pay particular attention to promoting industrial cooperation among developing countries. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

### **INFORMATION (Agenda item 32)**

#### Reports

A/63/21 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 21) Committee on Information : report on the 30th session (28 April-11 May 2008).

Issued: 2008.

#### **INFORMATION (Agenda item 32) (continued)**

A/63/258 Questions relating to information : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.4/63/L.8 United Nations public information policies and activities : amendment to draft resolution B contained in document A/63/21, para. 31 / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

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

**A/63/403** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.12	(20 Oct. 2008).
A/C.4/63/SR.13	(21 Oct. 2008).
A/C.4/63/SR.14	(22 Oct. 2008).
A/C.4/63/SR.15	(23 Oct. 2008).
A/C.4/63/SR.22	(5 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, action on draft resolution and draft decision contained in A/63/403 and an amendment (A/C.4/63/L.8) to draft resolution B was as follows: draft resolution entitled "Questions relating to information", adopted without vote: resolution 63/100 A and B; draft decision entitled "Increase in the membership of the Committee on Information", adopted without vote: decision 63/524.

# INFORMATION (Agenda item 32) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/100[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 and interact with a view to reducing existing disparities in information flows at all levels by increasing assistance for the development of communication infrastructures 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; (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 adopted within the UN system; (f) to provide full support for the International Programme for the Development of Communication of the Unesco which should support both public and private media. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

#### A/RES/63/100A-B Questions relating to information.

The resolution is divided in 2 parts: A/RES/63/100 A: Information in the service of humanity and A/RES/61/100 B: United Nations public information policies and activities. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/100[B] United Nations public information policies and activities.

Requests DPI to pay particular attention to progress in implementing the internationally agreed development goals, including those contained in the Millennium Declaration, and the outcomes of the major related UN summits and conferences in carrying out its activities; calls upon the DPI to continue to examine its policies and activities regarding the durable preservation of its radio, television and photographic archives and to take action within existing resources in ensuring that such archives are preserved and are accessible, and encourages the Department to work further with all interested partners in order to reach that objective; requests DPI, the Department of Peacekeeping Operations and the Department of Field Support to continue their cooperation in raising awareness of the new realities, far-reaching successes and challenges faced by peacekeeping operations; requests the Secretary-General to continue to take full advantage of new developments in information technology in order to improve, in a cost-effective manner, the expeditious dissemination of information on the UN; requests DPI to strengthen its role as a focal point for twoway interaction with civil society relating to those priorities and concerns of the Organization identified by Member States. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# INFORMATION–INTERNATIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 85)

## **Reports**

**A/63/139** Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 July 2008.

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/370** (S/2008/614) Identical letters, 19 Sept. 2008, from China, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits text of the Dushanbe Declaration of the Heads of members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, adopted at the Shanghai Cooperation Organization summit held in Dushanbe, 28 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/931** (S/2009/372) Letter, 17 July 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits the Yekaterinburg Declaration of the Heads of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, adopted at its Heads of States Council meeting, held on 15 and 16 June 2009 in Yekaterinburg, Russian Federation.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.45 Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security : draft resolution / Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Chile, China, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ethiopia, Haiti, India, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Madagascar, Mali, Myanmar, Nicaragua, Russian Federation, Serbia, Seychelles, Sudan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan and Zimbabwe. Additional concorre: Prazil Eiii Japan and Viot Nam

Additional sponsors: Brazil, Fiji, Japan and Viet Nam (A/63/385).

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

A/63/385 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008). At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/385 (originally A/C.1/63/L.45) was adopted (178-1-0): resolution 63/37.

### INFORMATION–INTERNATIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 85) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/37 Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security.

Calls upon Member States to promote the consideration of existing and potential threats in the field of information security, as well as possible measures to limit the threats emerging in this field; considers that the purpose of such measures could be served through the examination of relevant international concepts: invites all Member States to continue to inform the Secretary-General of their views and assessments on the following questions; requests the Secretary-General to continue to study existing and potential threats in the sphere of information security and possible cooperative measures to address them and to submit a report on the results of this study to the General Assembly at its 65th sess.; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security". (Adopted 178-1-0, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 46)

#### **Reports**

A/63/72 (E/2008/48) Progress made in the implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the World Summit on the Information Society at the regional and international levels : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 30 Apr. 2008.

A/63/180 Communication for development programmes in the United Nations System : report of the Director-General of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization on the implementation of General Assembly resolution 50/130, including the recommendations of the 10th United Nations Inter-Agency Round Table on Communication for Development : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Director-General of Unesco submitted in accordance with General Assembly resolution 50/130.

#### **General documents**

**A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY-DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 46) (continued)

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/63/L.10 Information and communication technologies for development : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.55 (A/63/411).

A/C.2/63/L.55 Information and communication technologies for development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Troy Torrington (Guyana), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.10.

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

A/63/411 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.16 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.24 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.30 (26 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.55) in A/63/411, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/202.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/202** Information and communication technologies for development.

Recognizes that information and communication technologies have the potential to provide new solutions to development challenges, particularly in the context of globalization, and can foster economic growth, competitiveness, access to information and knowledge, poverty eradication and social inclusion that will help to expedite the integration of all countries, particularly developing countries, into the global economy; stresses the important role of Governments in the design of public policies and in the provision of public services responsive to national needs and priorities through, inter alia, making effective use of information and communication technologies, on the basis of a multi-stakeholder approach, to support national development efforts; recognizes that South-South cooperation, particularly through triangular cooperation, can be a useful tool to promote the development of information and communication technologies; invites Member States to support the meaningful participation of stakeholders from developing countries in the preparatory meetings of the Internet Governance Forum and in the Forum itself in 2009 and 2010, and to consider contributing to the multistakeholder trust fund created for the Forum. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION–UN (Agenda item 114I)

### **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

### General documents

**A/63/729** Summary report of the 2008 Parliamentary Hearing (United Nations Headquarters, 20 and 21 November 2008) : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

 A/63/L.26 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Inter-Parliamentary Union : draft resolution / Belgium, Benin, Canada, Chile, China, Czech Republic, Egypt, France, Italy, Mongolia, Namibia, Peru, Romania, Thailand and Uruguay.

A/63/L.26/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Inter-Parliamentary Union : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Costa Rica, Croatia, Ethiopia, Finland, Gabon, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Japan, Kuwait, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Panama, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Russian Federation, Rwanda, San Marino, Serbia, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Togo, Turkey, Ukraine and Yemen.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.53 (18 Nov. 2008).

At the 53rd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.26 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/24.

# INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION–UN (Agenda item 114I) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/24 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; invites the Peacebuilding Commission to continue to work closely with the Inter-Parliamentary Union in engaging national parliaments in the countries under consideration by the Commission in efforts to promote democratic governance, national dialogue and reconciliation; encourages the Inter-Parliamentary Union to continue to work closely with the Development Cooperation Forum and bring a robust parliamentary contribution to the Forum process and the broader development cooperation agenda; also encourages the Inter-Parliamentary Union to strengthen its contribution to the Human Rights Council, particularly as it relates to the universal periodic review of the fulfilment of human rights obligations and commitments by Member States. (Adopted without vote, 53rd plenary meeting, 18 Nov. 2008)

### INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

See: IAEA-REPORTS

### INTERNATIONAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION-MEMBERS (Agenda item 105e)

### **General documents**

**A/63/104** Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission : note / by the Secretary-General.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.5/63/7 Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission : note / by the Secretary-General.

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

A/63/531 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.16 (7 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.56 (20 Nov. 2008).

At the 56th 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 2009: Fatih Bouayad-Agha (Algeria), Shamsher Chowdhury (Bangladesh), Vladimir Morozov (Russian Federation), Wang Xiaochu (China) and El Hassane Zahid (Morocco): decision 63/410.

#### INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE-CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)-FOLLOW-UP

### INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (1965)

See: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION

### INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE

See: ICJ-REPORTS NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-ICJ OPINION

#### INTERNATIONAL COVENANTS ON HUMAN RIGHTS (1966)

See: HUMAN RIGHTS-TREATIES-IMPLEMENTATION

# INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT–REPORTS (Agenda item 69)

See also: CRIME PREVENTION INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA

INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA

### **Reports**

**A/63/323** Report of the International Criminal Court : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 22 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the International Criminal Court, submitted in accordance with article 6 of the Relationship Agreement between the UN and the International Criminal Court (A/58/874 and Add.1, annex) and para. 16 of General Assembly resolution 62/12; covers the period 1 Aug. 2007-31 July 2008.

A/63/471 Expenses incurred and reimbursement received by the United Nations in connection with assistance provided to the International Criminal Court report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 7 Oct. 2008.

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/926** Letter, 8 July 2009, from Botswana. Transmits press release issued by the Government concerning the decision made by the African Union Summit on International Criminal Court, held last week in Sirte, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya; states that the Government of Botswana does not agree with the decision and reaffirms its position that as a State party to the Rome Statute on the International Criminal Court, it has treaty obligations to fully cooperate with the Court in the arrest and transfer of the President of the Sudan to the International Criminal Court.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT-REPORTS (Agenda item 69) (continued)

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.19 Report of the International Criminal Court : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Kenya, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

A/63/L.19/Add.1 Report of the International Criminal Court : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Albania, Andorra, Antigua and Barbuda, Barbados, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burkina Faso, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Fiji, Gabon, Gambia, Georgia, Guyana, Honduras, Iceland, Jamaica, Japan, Latvia, Lesotho, Liberia, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malawi, Mongolia, Montenegro, Nauru, Niger, Panama, Paraguay, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, Senegal, Serbia, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Suriname, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, Uruguay and Zambia.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.35 (31 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.45 (11 Nov. 2008).

At the 45th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.19, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/21.

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/21 Report of the International Criminal Court. Welcomes the report of the International Criminal Court for 2007/08: welcomes the States that have become parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court in the past year; welcomes the States parties as well as States not parties to the Rome Statute that have become parties to the Agreement on the Privileges and Immunities of the International Criminal Court; welcomes the cooperation and assistance provided thus far to the International Criminal Court by States parties as well as States not parties; encourages all States parties to take the interests, needs for assistance and mandate of the International Criminal Court into account when relevant matters are being discussed in the United Nations; encourages States to contribute to the Trust Fund established for the benefit of victims of crimes within the jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court and the families of such victims. (Adopted without vote, 45th plenary meeting, 11 Nov. 2008)

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 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: AGENDA 21-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

#### INTERNATIONAL DECADE FOR THE ERADICATION OF COLONIALISM (2ND : 2001-2010)

See: DECOLONIZATION

#### INTERNATIONAL DECADE OF THE WORLD'S INDIGENOUS PEOPLE (2nd : 2005-2014)

See: INDIGENOUS PEOPLES–INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2005-2014)

## INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR SAVING THE ARAL SEA-OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 156)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/63/L.13 Observer status for the International Fund for Saving the Aral Sea in the General Assembly : draft resolution / Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan.

#### Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/454 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.25 (5 Nov. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/454 (originally A/C.6/63/L.13) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/133.

### INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR SAVING THE ARAL SEA-OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 156) (continued)

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/133 Observer status for the International Fund for Saving the Aral Sea in the General Assembly. Decides to invite the International Fund for Saving the Aral Sea 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, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# INTERNATIONAL JURISDICTION (Agenda item 158)

See also: INTERNATIONAL LAW-REPORTS

INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW-REPORTS

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/63/L.100** The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction : draft decision / United Republic of Tanzania [on behalf of the Group of African States].

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009). At the 105th meeting, draft decision A/63/L.100 was adopted without vote: decision 63/568.

# INTERNATIONAL LAW–REPORTS (Agenda item 75)

See also: CRIME PREVENTION

INTERNATIONAL JURISDICTION INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW-REPORTS LAW OF THE SEA OCEANS-LAW OF THE SEA

#### **Reports**

A/63/10 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 10) Report of the International Law Commission, 60th session (5 May-6 June and 7 July-8 August 2008). Issued: 2008.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/C.6/63/L.20** Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its 60th session : draft resolution.

A/C.6/63/L.21 The law of transboundary aquifers : draft resolution.

A/C.6/63/L.22 Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its 60th session : amendment to draft resolution A/C.6/L.20 / Russian Federation.

#### Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/439 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.16 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.17 (28 Oct. 2008).

# INTERNATIONAL LAW–REPORTS (Agenda item 75) (continued)

A/C.6/63/SR.18	(29 Oct. 2008).
A/C.6/63/SR.19	(29 Oct. 2008).
A/C.6/63/SR.20	(30 Oct. 2008).
A/C.6/63/SR.21	(31 Oct. 2008).
A/C.6/63/SR.22	(31 Oct. 2008).
A/C.6/63/SR.23	(3 Nov. 2008).
A/C.6/63/SR.24	(4 Nov. 2008).
A/C.6/63/SR.25	(5 Nov. 2008).
A/C.6/63/SR.26	(14 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/439 (originally A/C.6/63/L.20) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/123; draft resolution II in A/63/439 (originally A/C.6/63/L.21) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/124.

## **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/123 Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its 60th session. Draws the attention of Governments to the importance for the International Law Commission of having their comments and observations by 1 Jan. 2010 on the draft articles and commentaries on the topic "Effects of armed conflicts on treaties" adopted on first reading by the Commission at its 60th session: invites the International Law Commission to continue taking measures to enhance its efficiency and productivity and to consider making proposals to that end; requests the International Law Commission to continue to pay special attention to indicating in its annual report, for each topic, any specific issues on which expressions of views by Governments, either in the 6th Committee or in written form, would be of particular interest in providing effective guidance for the Commission in its further work; approves the conclusions reached by the International Law Commission in paragraph 359 of its report, and reaffirms its previous decisions concerning the documentation and summary records of the Commission; requests the Secretary-General to provide the International Law Seminar with adequate services, including interpretation, as required, and encourages him to continue considering ways to improve the structure and content of the Seminar. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# INTERNATIONAL LAW–REPORTS (Agenda item 75) (continued)

A/RES/63/124 The law of transboundary aquifers. Welcomes the conclusion of the work of the International Law Commission on the law of transboundary aquifers and its adoption of the draft articles and a detailed commentary on the subject; expresses its appreciation to the Commission for its continuing contribution to the codification and progressive development of international law; also expresses its appreciation to the International Hydrological Programme of the UN Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization and to other relevant organizations for the valuable scientific and technical assistance rendered to the International Law Commission; encourages the States concerned to make appropriate bilateral or regional arrangements for the proper management of their transboundary aquifers, taking into account the provisions of these draft articles. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

#### 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-CONFERENCE (1994 : BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP

# INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF LA FRANCOPHONIE–UN (Agenda item 114k)

# **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.59 Cooperation between the United Nations and the International Organization of la Francophonie : draft resolution / Andorra, Armenia, Belgium, Benin, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Chile, Comoros, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, France, Gabon, Greece, Guinea, Hungary, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Mali, Monaco, Niger, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Togo, Tunisia and Uruguay.

#### INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF LA FRANCOPHONIE–UN (Agenda item 114k) (continued)

**A/63/L.59/Add.1** Cooperation between the United Nations and the International Organization of la Francophonie : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Angola, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burundi, Cambodia, Cameroon, Djibouti, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Egypt, Finland, Georgia, Ghana, Haiti, Honduras, Ireland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Madagascar, Mauritius, Morocco, Mozambique, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Serbia, Thailand, Ukraine and Viet Nam.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.73 (22 Dec. 2008).

At the 73rd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.59 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/236.

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/236 Cooperation between the United Nations and the International Organization of la Francophonie.

Requests the Secretary-General of the UN, acting in cooperation with 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 between representatives of the UN Secretariat and representatives of the Secretariat of the International Organization of la Francophonie in order to promote the exchange of information, coordination of activities and identification of new areas of cooperation; and requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 65th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 73rd plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2008)

#### INTERNATIONAL SECURITY-NOTIFICATION BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL (Agenda item 102)

#### General documents

**A/63/300** 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 of which the Security Council is seized.

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.53 (18 Nov. 2008).

At the 53rd meeting, the Assembly took note of the Note by the Secretary-General (A/63/300): decision 63/514.

#### 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 47a)**

See also: EXTERNAL DEBT

# **Reports**

- A/63/15(PartI) (To be issued as GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no.15) Report of the Trade and Development Board on its 43rd executive session, Geneva, 3 March 2008. Issued: 12 May 2008.
- A/63/15(PartII) (To be issued as GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no.15) Report of the Trade and Development Board on its 24th special session, Geneva, 17-20 March 2008.

Issued: 12 May 2008.

**A/63/15(PartIII)** (To be issued as GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no.15) Report of the Trade and Development Board on its 44th executive session, Geneva, 10 July 2008.

Issued: 17 Sept. 2008.

**A/63/15(PartIV)** (To be issued as GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no.15) Report of the Trade and Development Board on its 55th session, Geneva, 15 to 26 September 2008.

Issued: 24 Oct. 2008.

**A/63/168** Report of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on its 12th session : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 July 2008. - Transmits report of the UN Conference on Trade and Development on its 12th session, held in Accra, 20-25 April 2008 (TD/442).

A/63/324 International trade and development : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 25 Aug. 2008.

#### **General documents**

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.2/63/L.8 International trade and development : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.49 (A/63/412/Add.1).

- A/C.2/63/L.35 Report of the 12th session of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Martin Hoppe (Germany).
- A/C.2/63/L.49 International trade and development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Martin Hoppe (Germany), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.8.

# INTERNATIONAL TRADE (Agenda item 47a) (continued)

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

A/63/412 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/412/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.25 (5 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.26 (5 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.28 (20 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.29 (25 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/412/Add.1 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/63/L.49) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/203; draft resolution II (originally A/C.2/63/L.35) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/204.

## **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/203 International trade and development. Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General on international trade and development and the report of the Trade and Development Board on its 55th session, held 15-6 Sept. 2008; stresses the importance of the continued substantive consideration of the issue of international trade and development; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th session, under the item entitled "Macroeconomic policy questions", the sub-item entitled "International trade and development"; requests the Secretary-General, in collaboration with the secretariat of the UN Conference on Trade and Development, to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th session a report on international trade and development. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/204** Report of the 12th session of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development.

Notes with satisfaction the outcome of the 12th sess. of UN Conference on Trade and Development, held in Accra, 20-25 Apr. 2008, specifically the Accra Declaration and the Accra Accord; expresses its deep gratitude to the Government and people of Ghana for the hospitality extended to participants in the 12th sess. of UN Conference on Trade and Development; welcomes the generous offer of the Government of Qatar to host the 13th sess. of UN Conference on Trade and Development in 2012. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW–REPORTS (Agenda item 74)

# Reports

 A/63/17 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 17) Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law, 41st session, 16 June-3 July 2008. Issued: 2008.

# INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW–REPORTS (Agenda item 74) (continued)

A/63/17/Corr.1 Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law [41st session, 16 June-3 July 2008] : corrigendum.

Issued: 31 Oct. 2008. - Corrects text.

## **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.6/63/L.4 Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its resumed 40th and its 41st sessions : draft resolution / Algeria, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cameroon, Canada, Chile, China, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, India, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mexico, Morocco, Netherlands, Nigeria, Norway, Paraguay, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, Senegal, Serbia, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Additional sponsors: Albania, Bosnia and

Herzegovina, Egypt, Fiji, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Latvia, Malta, Montenegro, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (A/64/548).

- A/C.6/63/L.5 Legislative Guide on Secured Transactions of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law : draft resolution.
- A/C.6/63/L.6 United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Carriage of Goods Wholly or Partly by Sea : draft resolution.

# Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/438 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.9 (20 Oct. 2008).

- A/C.6/63/SR.10 (20 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.6/63/SR.25 (5 Nov. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/438 (originally A/C.6/63/L.4) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/120; draft resolution II in A/63/438 (originally A/C.6/63/L.5) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/121; draft resolution III in A/63/438 (originally A/C.6/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/122.

# INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW-REPORTS (Agenda item 74) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/120** Reports of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its resumed 40th and its 41st sessions.

Takes note with appreciation of the reports of the UN Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its resumed 40th and its 41st sessions; commends the Commission for the completion and adoption of the Legislative Guide on Secured Transactions; decides, in order to ensure full participation by all Member States in the sessions of the Commission and its working groups, to continue, in the competent Main Committee during the 63rd session of the General Assembly, 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; reiterates its request to the Secretary-General, in conformity with the General Assembly resolutions on documentation-related matters, which, in particular, emphasize that any reduction in the length of documents should not adversely affect either the quality of the presentation or the substance of the documents, to bear in mind the particular characteristics of the mandate and work of the Commission in implementing page limits with respect to the documentation of the Commission; stresses the importance of bringing into effect the conventions emanating from the work of the Commission for the global unification and harmonization of international trade law. and to this end urges States that have not yet done so to consider signing, ratifying or acceding to those conventions. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/121 Legislative Guide on Secured Transactions of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law.

Expresses its appreciation to the UN Commission on International Trade Law for the completion and adoption of the Legislative Guide on Secured Transactions; requests the Secretary-General to disseminate broadly the text of the Legislative Guide, transmitting it to Governments and other interested bodies, such as national and international financial institutions and chambers of commerce; recommends also that all States continue to consider becoming party to the UN Convention on the Assignment of Receivables in International Trade, the principles of which are also reflected in the Legislative Guide. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

#### INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW-REPORTS (Agenda item 74) (continued)

A/RES/63/122 United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Carriage of Goods Wholly or Partly bv Sea.

Commends the UN Commission on International Trade Law for preparing the draft Convention on Contracts for the International Carriage of Goods Wholly or Partly by Sea; adopts the UN Convention on Contracts for the International Carriage of Goods Wholly or Partly by Sea, contained in the annex to the present resolution; authorizes a ceremony for the opening for signature to be held on 23 Sept. 2009 in Rotterdam, the Netherlands, and recommends that the rules embodied in the Convention be known as the "Rotterdam Rules"; calls upon all Governments to consider becoming party to the Convention. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

#### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA (Agenda item 160)

See also: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-ACCOUNTS INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-FINANCING INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-JUDGES INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-REPORTS

### General documents

- A/63/942 Letter, 19 June 2009, from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letters dated 27 and 29 May 2009 from the Presidents of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda respectively requesting the expansion of the Appeals Chamber, extension of the term of office of judges, exceeding temporarily the statutory maximum number of ad litem judges and allow one judge to engage in another occupation in his home country
- A/63/946 Letter, 7 Aug. 2009, from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly. Refers to letter dated 4 Aug. 2009 from the President of the General Assembly concurring with the proposal to appoint Guy Delvoie, Howard Morrison and Sir Burton Hall as permanent judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and reports that he has received a corresponding letter from the President of the Security Council and has accordingly appointed the 3 judges effective 1 Sept. 2009, 31 Aug. 2009 and 7 Aug. 2009, respectively, until 31 Dec. 2010, or until the completion of the cases to which they will be assigned if sooner; includes their curricula vitae in an annex.
- A/63/957 Letter, 8 July 2009, from the President of the Security Council. Transmits text of resolution 1877 (2009), adopted by the Security Council at its 6155th meeting, held on 7 July 2009 on the review and extension of the terms of office of the permanent and ad litem judges of the Tribunal.

### **INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER** YUGOSLAVIA (Agenda item 160) (continued) **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.104 (9 Sept. 2009).

At the 104th meeting, the General Assembly decided to endorse the recommendation of the Secretary-General that was endorsed by the Security Council in its resolution 1877 (2009), of 7 July 2009 and took note of the appointment of Guy Delvoie, Howard Morrison and Burton Hall to the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia for terms of office effective 1 Sept. 2009, 31 Aug. 2009 and 7 Aug. 2009, respectively, until 31 Dec. 2010, or until the completion of the cases to which they will be assigned if sooner: decision 63/426; at the same meeting, the Assembly decided to include in the draft agenda for the 64th session an item entitled "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" and to consider this item directly in plenary meeting: decision 63/562.

#### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116q)

See also: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-FINANCING

# Reports

A/63/5/Add.12 (GAOR. 63rd 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 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008

A/63/238 Request for the inclusion of 2 additional items in the agenda of the 63rd session : 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 : 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 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Aug. 2009.

#### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL –FORMER YUGOSLAVIA–FINANCING (Agenda item 131)

See also: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-ACCOUNTS

#### **Reports**

**A/62/7/Add.38** Revised estimates arising in respect of Security Council resolution 1800 (2008) on the appointment of additional ad litem judges at the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia : 39th report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009.

Issued: 24 June 2008.

- **A/62/681** Comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Feb. 2008.
- **A/62/734** Comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 10 Mar. 2008.
- **A/62/809** Revised estimates arising in respect of Security Council resolution 1800 (2008) on the appointment of additional ad litem judges at the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Apr. 2008.
- A/63/513 Revised estimates relating to 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 2008-2009 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 30 Oct. 2008.

- A/63/559 First performance report of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia for the biennium 2008-2009 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/595** Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia for the biennium 2008-2009 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 10 Dec. 2008.

- A/63/605 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 3, 5, 17, 18, 20, 21, 27, 28E, 28G, 32, 33 and 35, revised estimates relating to the financing for the biennium 2008-2009 of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/769 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Mar. 2009.

#### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL –FORMER YUGOSLAVIA–FINANCING (Agenda item 131) (continued)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/63/L.12 Comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/63/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

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

A/63/644 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/645 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.23 (15 Dec. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/644 (originally A/C.5/63/L.16) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/255; draft resolution in A/63/645 (originally A/C.5/63/L.12) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/256.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/255 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 on a revised appropriation to the Special Account for the International Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia of US \$376,232,900 gross (\$342,332,300 net) for the biennium 2008-2009; decides, for 2009, to apportion among Member States, in accordance with the scale of assessments applicable to the regular budget of UN for the year, of \$101,158,400 gross (\$91,981,800 net), including \$14,333,000 gross (\$12,930,100 net), being the increase in assessments and to apportion among Member States, in accordance with the rates of assessment applicable to peacekeeping operations for the year, of \$101,158,400 gross (\$91,981,800 net), including \$14,333,000 gross (\$12,930,100 net), being the increase in assessments; 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 \$18,353,200, including \$2,805,800, being the increase in the estimated staff assessment income approved for the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia for the biennium 2008-2009. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

#### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL –FORMER YUGOSLAVIA–FINANCING (Agenda item 131) (continued)

**A/RES/63/256** Comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia.

Endorses the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, subject to the provisions contained in the present resolution; requests the Secretary-General to use the existing contractual frameworks to offer contracts to staff, in line with dates of planned post reductions in accordance with the relevant prevailing trial schedules, in order to remove uncertainty with regard to future employment with the aim of ensuring that the Tribunals have the necessary capacity to complete their respective mandates effectively, as recommended by the International Civil Service Commission in para. 21 (b) of its report. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-JUDGES (Agenda item 154)

### **General documents**

- **A/63/458** (S/2008/621) Letter, 24 Sept. 2008, from the Secretary-General. Transmits 2 letters from the President of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia requesting the extension of the terms of office of the permanent and ad litem judges elected to serve with the Tribunal in 2005 and whose terms of office expire on 16 Nov. 2009 and 23 Aug. 2009, respectively and requests the approval of the Security Council, as the parent organ of the Tribunal, as the statute of the Tribunal does not provide for the extension of the terms of office of the Tribunal's judges.
- **A/63/470** Letter, 29 Sept. 2008, from the President of the Security Council. Transmits Security Council resolution 1837 (2008) on the extension of the terms of office of permanent and ad litem Judges to the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia, adopted unanimously by the Security Council at its 5986th meeting on 29 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/548** Letter, 17 Nov. 2008, from the Secretary-General. Reports the resignation of Judge Wolfgang Schomburg as a permanent judge of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia effective 18 Nov. 2008 and reports the decision to appoint Judge Christoph Flügge to replace Judge Schomburg; includes his curriculum vitae.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.23 (9 Oct. 2008).

At the 23rd meeting, the Assembly decided to endorse the recommendation of the Secretary-General, which was endorsed by the Security Council in its resolution 1837 (2008): decision 63/402.

#### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-JUDGES (Agenda item 154) (continued)

A/63/PV.23 (9 Oct. 2008).

At the 23rd meeting, the Assembly decided to extend the term of office of the following permanent judges who are member of the Appeals Chamber, of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia until 31 Dec. 2010: Liu Daqun (China), Theodor Meron (United States), Fausto Pocar (Italy) and Mohamed Shahabuddeen (Guyana); the following permanent judges who are member of the Trials Chamber until 31 Dec. 2009: Carmel Agius (Malta), Jean-Claude Antonetti (France), Iain Bonomy (United Kingdom), Christoph Flügge (Germany), O-Gon Kwon (South Korea), Bakone Justice Moloto (South Africa), Alphons Orie (The Netherlands), Kevin Parker (Australia), Patrick Robinson (Jamaica) and Christine Van den Wyngaert (Belgium); the following ad litem judges who are currently serving at the Tribunal until 31 Dec. 2009: Ali Nawaz Chowhan (Pakistan), Pedro David (Argentina), Elizabeth Gwaunza (Zimbabwe), Frederik Harhoff (Denmark), Tsvetana Kamenova (Bulgaria), Uldis Kinis (Latvia), Flavia Lattanzi (Italy), Antoine Kesia-Mbe Mindua (Democratic Republic of the Congo), Janet Nosworthy (Jamaica), Michèle Picard (France), Árpád Prandler (Hungary), Kimberly Prost (Canada), Ole Bjorn Stole (Norway) and Stefan Trechsel (Suisse): the following ad litem judges who are not currently serving at the Tribunal until 31 Dec. 2009: Melville Baird (Trinidad and Tobago), Frans Bauduin (The Netherlands), Burton Hall (The Bahamas); Frank Hopfel (Austria): Raimo Lahti (Finland), Jawdat Naboty (Svrian Arab Republic), Chioma Egondu Nwosu-Iheme (Nigeria), Prisca Matimba Nyambe (Zambia), Brynmor Pollard (Guyana), Vonimbolana Rasoazanany (Madagascar), Krister Thelin (Sweden), Klaus Tolksdorf (Germany) and Tan Sri Dato Lamin Haji Mohd Yunus (Malaysia): decision 63/402.

#### A/63/PV.56 (20 Nov. 2008).

At the 56th meeting, the Assembly took note of the appointment of Judge Christoph Flügge to the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia for the remainder of the term of office of Judge Wolfgang Schomburg: decision 63/402.

# INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-REPORTS (Agenda item 68)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/210** (S/2008/515) Report of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 4 Aug. 2008. - Transmits the 15th annual report of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia covering the period 1 Aug. 2007-31 July 2008

### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-REPORTS (Agenda item 68) (continued)

#### General documents

**A/63/820** (S/2009/208) Letter, 1 Apr. 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits text of a decision of the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation entitled "On the 10th anniversary of the military operation launched by the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia".

## **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.24 (13 Oct. 2008).

At the 24th meeting, the Assembly took note of the 15th annual report of International Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia (A/63/210): decision 63/506.

# INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA (Agenda item 159)

See also: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-ACCOUNTS

> INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-FINANCING

> INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-REPORTS

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/940** Letter, 7 July 2009, from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter dated 1 July 2009 from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda reporting the intention of the Russian Federation to replace Judge Egorov; requests permission for Judge Egorov to continue to serve in the Tribunal until the completion of the cases which he was assigned; also requests derogation from the statutory prohibition against 2 judges of the same nationality serving at the Tribunal at the same time.
- **A/63/941** Letter, 26 June 2009, from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter dated 15 June 2009 from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda requesting one judge to engage in another professional occupation in his home country and to work part-time while drafting his final judgement, and permit the Tribunal to recruit an additional ad litem judge from former judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia who have not been assigned to any case.
- **A/63/942** Letter, 19 June 2009, from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letters dated 27 and 29 May 2009 from the Presidents of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda respectively requesting the expansion of the Appeals Chamber, extension of the term of office of judges, exceeding temporarily the statutory maximum number of ad litem judges and allow one judge to engage in another occupation in his home country.

# INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA (Agenda item 159) (continued)

- **A/63/947** Letter, 18 Aug. 2009, from the Secretary-General. Refers to letter of 4 Aug. 2009 from the President of the General Assembly and corresponding letter from the President of the Security Council (S/2009/404) and reports the appointment of Bakhtiyar Tuzmukhamedov as a permanent judge of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda effective 18 Aug. 2009 until 31 Dec. 2010; includes curriculum vitae.
- **A/63/956** Letter, 8 July 2009, from the President of the Security Council. Transmits text of resolution 1878 (2009), adopted by the Security Council at its 6156th meeting, held on 7 July 2009 on the review and extension of the terms of office of the permanent and ad litem judges of the Tribunal.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.104 (9 Sept. 2009).

At the 104th meeting, the General Assembly decided to endorse the recommendation of the Secretary-General that was endorsed by the Security Council in its resolution 1878 (2009) of 7 July 2009 and took note of the appointment of Bakhtiyar Tuzmukhamedov as a permanent judge of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, effective 18 Aug. 2009 until 31 Dec. 2010, or until the completion of the cases to which he will be assigned if sooner: decision 63/425; at the same meeting, the Assembly also decided to include in the draft agenda for the 64th session an item entitled "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" and to consider this item directly in plenary meeting: decision 63/561

#### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116p)

See also: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-FINANCING

#### **Reports**

A/63/5/Add.11 (GAOR, 63rd 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 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors.

Issued: 2008.

### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116p) (continued)

A/63/238 Request for the inclusion of 2 additional items in the agenda of the 63rd session : 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 : 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 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Aug. 2009.

### INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-FINANCING (Agenda item 130)

See also: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-ACCOUNTS

#### Reports

- **A/62/681** Comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Feb. 2008.
- A/62/734 Comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 10 Mar. 2008.
- A/63/506 Revised estimates relating to the budget 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 2008-2009 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 27 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/558 First performance report of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda for the biennium 2008-2009 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/595** Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia for the biennium 2008-2009 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 10 Dec. 2008.

# INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-FINANCING (Agenda item 130) (continued)

- A/63/605 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 3, 5, 17, 18, 20, 21, 27, 28E, 28G, 32, 33 and 35, revised estimates relating to the financing for the biennium 2008-2009 of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/769 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Mar. 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/63/L.12 Comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.13** 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/63/643 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/645 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.23 (15 Dec. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/643 (originally A/C.5/63/L.13) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/254; draft resolution in A/63/645 (originally A/C.5/63/L.12) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/256; at the same meeting, the Assembly decided to take note of the report of the 5th Committee A/63/645: decision 63/551.

# INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA– FINANCING (Agenda item 130) (continued) Resolutions

**A/RES/63/254** 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 on a revised appropriation to the Special Account for the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda of US \$305,378,600 gross (\$282,597,100 net) for the biennium 2008-2009; decides, for the year 2009, to apportion among Member States, in accordance with the scale of assessments applicable to the regular budget of the United Nations for the year, of \$84,657,900 gross (\$78,253,300 net), including \$19,011,200 gross (\$17,565,250 net), being the increase in assessments and to apportion among Member States, in accordance with the rates of assessment applicable to peacekeeping operations for the year, of \$84,657,900 gross (78,253,300 net), including \$19,011,200 gross (\$17,565,250 net), being the increase in assessments; 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 \$12,809,200, including \$2,891,900, being the increase in the estimated staff assessment income approved for the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda for the biennium 2008-2009. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/256** Comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia.

Endorses the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, subject to the provisions contained in the present resolution; requests the Secretary-General to use the existing contractual frameworks to offer contracts to staff, in line with dates of planned post reductions in accordance with the relevant prevailing trial schedules, in order to remove uncertainty with regard to future employment with the aim of ensuring that the Tribunals have the necessary capacity to complete their respective mandates effectively, as recommended by the International Civil Service Commission in para. 21 (b) of its report. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

# INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-REPORTS (Agenda item 67)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/209** (S/2008/514) Report of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 4 Aug. 2008. - Transmits the 13th annual report of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda submitted by the President of the Tribunal for the period 1 July 2007-30 June 2008.

# INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL–RWANDA–REPORTS (Agenda item 67) (continued) Discussion in plenary

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A/63/PV.24 (13 Oct. 2008). At the 24th meeting, the Assembly took note of the 13th annual report of International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (A/63/209): decision 63/505.

#### 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

INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-ACCOUNTS

INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-FINANCING

INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-JUDGES

INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-REPORTS

# INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF DESERTS AND DESERTIFICATION (2006)

See: DESERTIFICATION-TREATY (1994)

# INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF OLDER PERSONS (1999)

See: AGEING PERSONS-INTERNATIONAL YEAR (1999)

#### **INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF PLANET EARTH (2008)**

See: AGENDA 21-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

#### **INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF THE POTATO (2008)**

See: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

### INTOLERANCE

See: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE

### **IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)-HUMAN RIGHTS**

See: HUMAN RIGHTS-IRAN (ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF)

# IRAQ-ISRAEL (Agenda item 25)

# General documents

**A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

### IRAQ-ISRAEL (Agenda item 25) (continued)

- **A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

#### **IRAQ-KUWAIT**

See: IRAQ-KUWAIT SITUATION

# **IRAQ-KUWAIT SITUATION (Agenda item 26)**

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/970 (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

#### ISRAEL

See: TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-NATURAL RESOURCES

### **ISRAEL-IRAQ**

See: IRAQ-ISRAEL

#### JERUSALEM

See: TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-NATURAL

RESOURCES

# JIU

See: JOINT INSPECTION UNIT

#### JOINT INSPECTION UNIT (Agenda item 124)

A/63/34/Corr.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 34) Report of the Joint Inspection Unit for 2008 and programme of work for 2009 : corrigendum. Corrects text.

#### **Reports**

A/63/34 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 34) Report of the Joint Inspection Unit for 2008 and programme of work for 2009. Issued: 2009.

**A/63/140** Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on knowledge management in the United Nations system : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Knowledge management in the United Nations system" (JIU/REP/2007/6) prepared by Juan Luis Larrabure.

A/63/140/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on knowledge management in the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2008. - Transmits Secretary-General's comments and those of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination (CEB) on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Knowledge management in the United Nations system"(JIU/REP/2007/6).

**A/63/151** Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on liaison offices in the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Liaison offices in the United Nations system" (JIU/REP/2007/10) prepared by Gérard Biraud. - Agenda items corrected by A/63/151/Corr.1.

A/63/151/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on liaison offices in the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2008. - Transmits Secretary-General's comment and those of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination (CEB) on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on liaison offices in the UN system (JIU/REP/2007/10).

**A/63/151/Corr.1** Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on liaison offices in the United Nations system : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2008. - Corrects agenda items for document A/63/151.

**A/63/152** Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the review of the progress made by the United Nations system organizations in achieving Millennium Development Goal 6, Target 7, to combat HIV/AIDS : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Review of the progress made by the United Nations system organizations in achieving Millennium Development Goal 6, Target 7, to combat HIV/AIDS" (JIU/REP/2007/12).

# JOINT INSPECTION UNIT (Agenda item 124) (continued)

A/63/152/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the review of the progress made by the United Nations system organizations in achieving Millennium Development Goal 6, Target 7, to combat HIV/AIDS : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 8 May 2009. - Transmits his comments and those of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the review of the progress made by the organizations of the UN system in achieving Millennium Development Goal 6, Target 7, to combat HIV/AIDS" (A/63/152).

A/63/731 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit for 2008 : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 20 Feb. 2009.

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.5/63/L.36 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit for 2008 and programme of work for 2009 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/786 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.30 (4 Mar. 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.39 (27 Mar. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/786 (originally A/C.5/63/L.36) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/272.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/272 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit for 2008 and programme of work for 2009.

Requests the Unit to continue to focus its work and reports on system-wide issues of interest and relevance to the participating organizations and the States Members of the UN and to provide advice on ways to ensure the avoidance of duplication and more efficient and effective use of resources in implementing the mandates of the Organization; requests the Secretary-General to expedite the appointment of the Executive Secretary of the Joint Inspection Unit after consultation with the Unit and the Chief Executives Board, in full accordance with article 19 of the statute of the Unit as well as the relevant provisions of the resolutions of the General Assembly regarding staff selection; stresses the need for the Unit to continuously update and improve its medium- and long-term strategy for 2010-2019, taking into account the dynamics and challenges of the environment in which it undertakes its activities, and decides to consider any resources associated with the implementation of the medium- and long-term strategy approach in the context of future programme budgets; encourages the Unit to keep the General Assembly informed, if necessary, about any difficulty or delay in obtaining visas for the official travel of the inspectors, as well as members of its secretariat. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

## JOINT INSPECTION UNIT-MEMBERS (Agenda item 105h)

#### General documents

**A/63/108** Appointment of a member of the Joint Inspection Unit : note / by the Secretary-General.

 A/63/667 Appointment of a member of the Joint Inspection Unit : note / by the President of the General Assembly. Submits the candidature of Tadanori Inomata
 (Japan) for appointment as a member of the Joint Inspection Unit for a 5-year term beginning on 1 Jan. 2010 and expiring on 31 Dec. 2014.

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.45 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.75 (20 Feb. 2009).

At the 75th meeting, the Assembly reappointed Tadanori Inomata (Japan) as a member of the Joint Inspection Unit for a 5-year term of office beginning 1 Jan. 2010 and expiring 31 Dec. 2014: decision 63/416.

## JUDICIAL INDEPENDENCE (Agenda item 64b)

# Reports

A/63/271 Independence of judges and lawyers : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 12 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the Special Rapporteur on the Independence of Judges and Lawyers, Leandro Despouy, submitted in accordance with resolution 8/6 of the Human Rights Council.

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

A/C.3/63/SR.24 (24 Oct. 2008).

#### KAZAKHSTAN-ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE-KAZAKHSTAN

### KIMBERLEY PROCESS CERTIFICATION SCHEME FOR ROUGH DIAM ONDS (2002)

See: DIAMONDS-FUELLING CONFLICT

# KOSOVO

See: UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN KOSOVO-FINANCING

### KOSOVO–ICJ OPINION (Agenda item 71)

See also: KOSOVO (SERBIA)

## **Reports**

**A/63/619** Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law : programme budget implications of General Assembly resolution 63/3 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

# KOSOVO–ICJ OPINION (Agenda item 71) (continued)

## General documents

- **A/63/461** Letter, 1 Oct. 2008, from the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Refers to agenda item 71 of the 63rd sess. of the General Assembly and the draft resolution submitted by Serbia (A/63/L.2) on the legality of the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo and submits note of issues on which Members may wish to reflect.
- **A/C.5/63/15** Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law : programme budget implications of General Assembly resolution 63/3 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.2 Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law : draft resolution / submitted by Serbia.

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

A/63/654 Report of the 5th Committee.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.22 (8 Oct. 2008).

At the 22nd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.2 was adopted (77-6-74): resolution 63/3.

#### A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, the Assembly decided to take note of the report of the 5th Committee A/63/654: decision 63/551.

#### A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, the General Assembly decided to include it in the draft agenda of its 64th sess.: decision 63/570.

#### Resolutions

**A/RES/63/3** Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law.

Decides to request the International Court of Justice to render an advisory opinion on the following question : "Is the unilateral declaration of independence by the Provisional Institutions of self-Government of Kosovo in accordance with international law?". (Adopted 77-6-74, 22nd plenary meeting, 8 Oct. 2008)

# KOSOVO (SERBIA)

See also: KOSOVO-ICJ OPINION

# General documents

**A/63/62** (S/2008/123) Letter, 19 Feb. 2008, from the Russian Federation. Transmits joint statement by the Chamber Council of the Council of Federation and the Council of the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation concerning the self-proclamation of independence by the territory of Kosovo (Serbia) adopted on 18 Feb. 2008.

#### KUWAIT-IRAQ

See: IRAQ-KUWAIT SITUATION

# LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES (Agenda item 52b)

### **Reports**

**A/63/165** Implementation of the Almaty Programme of Action : Addressing the Special Needs of Landlocked Developing Countries within a New Global Framework for Transit Transport Cooperation for Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 July 2008.

### General documents

**A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/63/L.3** Outcome document of the Midterm Review of the Almaty Programme of Action : Addressing the Special Needs of Landlocked Developing Countries within a New Global Framework for Transit Transport Cooperation for Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

A/C.2/63/L.40 Groups of countries in special situations : 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 / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.59 (A/63/417/Add.2).

# LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES (Agenda item 52b) (continued)

A/C.2/63/L.59 Groups of countries in special situations : 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 Rapporteur, Awsan Al-Aud (Yemen), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.40.

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

A/63/417 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/417/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.23 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.24 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.28 (20 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.17 (2 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.18 (2 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.19 (3 Oct. 2008).

At the 19th meeting, the Assembly adopted draft resolution A/63/L.3: resolution 63/2.

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/63/417): decision 63/543. At the same meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.59) in A/63/417/Add.2 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/228.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/2 Outcome document of the midterm review of the Almaty Programme of Action : Addressing the Special Needs of Landlocked Developing Countries within a New Global Framework for Transit Transport Cooperation for Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries.

Adopts the outcome document: Declaration of the High-level Meeting of the 63rd Session of the General Assembly on the Midterm Review of the Almaty Programme of Action. (Adopted without vote, 19th plenary meeting, 3 Oct. 2008)

# LANDLOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES (Agenda item 52b) (continued)

A/RES/63/228 Groups of countries in special situations : 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.

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; calls upon donors and multilateral, regional, financial and development institutions to provide landlocked and transit developing countries with appropriate, substantial and better-coordinated technical and financial assistance, particularly in the form of grants or concessionary loans, for the implementation of the Almaty Programme of Action; encourages the further strengthening of South-South cooperation and triangular cooperation with the involvement of donors; encourages the UN Conference on Trade and Development to continue to strengthen its technical assistance activities and analytical work related to logistics and transit transport cooperation; encourages the UN Development Programme to enhance its provision of trade-related technical assistance and capacity-building programmes to landlocked developing countries; invites the World Trade Organization to continue to provide technical assistance to landlocked developing countries in order to enhance their negotiating capabilities; invites the World Bank to continue to give priority to requests for technical assistance; invites the World Customs Organization to continue to strengthen the provision of technical assistance and capacity-building programmes to landlocked and transit developing countries in the area of customs reform, simplification and harmonization of procedures, and enforcement and compliance. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### LANDMINES

See: CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1980) LANDMINES-TREATY (1997)

# LANDMINES-TREATY (1997) (Agenda item 89)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.6 Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on their Destruction : draft resolution / Australia, Jordan and Switzerland.

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2008).

- A/C.1/63/PV.14 (21 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

# LANDMINES-TREATY (1997) (Agenda item 89) (continued)

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution II in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.6) was adopted (163-0-18): resolution 63/42.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/42 Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction.

Invites all States that have not signed the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on their Destruction1 to accede to it without delay; urges all States that have signed but have not ratified the Convention to ratify it without delay; 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; invites all States that have not ratified the Convention or acceded to it to provide, on a voluntary basis, information to make global mine action efforts more effective; requests the Secretary-General to undertake the preparations necessary to convene the next Review Conference of the States parties to the Convention and, pending a decision to be taken at the 9th meeting of the States parties, and on behalf of the States parties and in accordance with article 11, paragraph 4. of the Convention, to invite States not parties to the Convention, as well as the UN, other relevant international organizations or institutions, regional organizations, the International Committee of the Red Cross and relevant non-governmental organizations to attend the Review Conference as observers. (Adopted 163-0-18, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# LATIN AMERICAN ECONOMIC SYSTEM–UN (Agenda item 114m)

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/63/L.10 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Latin American and Caribbean Economic System : draft resolution / Argentina, Barbados, Chile, Mexico, Nicaragua, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

A/63/L.10/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Latin American and Caribbean Economic System : draft resolution: addendum. Additional sponsors: Belize, Brazil, Canada.

Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Guatemala, Guyana, Honduras, Jamaica and Panama.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

At the 37th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.10 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/12.

# LATIN AMERICAN ECONOMIC SYSTEM-UN (Agenda item 114m) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/12 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Latin American and Caribbean Economic System.

Urges the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean to continue deepening its coordination and mutual support activities with the Latin American and Caribbean 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 and Caribbean Economic System and to contribute to joint actions to achieve the internationally agreed development objectives, including those contained in the UN Millennium Declaration, in Latin America and the Caribbean; requests the Secretary-General of the UN and the Permanent Secretary of the Latin American and Caribbean Economic System to assess, at the appropriate time, the implementation of the Agreement between UN and the Latin American Economic System and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 65th sess. (Adopted without vote, 37th plenary meeting, 3 Nov. 2008)

#### LAW OF THE SEA (Agenda item 70a)

See also: INTERNATIONAL LAW-REPORTS OCEANS-LAW OF THE SEA

# STRADDLING FISH STOCKS

# **Reports**

A/63/63 Oceans and the law of the sea : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 Mar. 2008.

A/63/63/Add.1 Oceans and the law of the sea : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 29 Aug. 2008.

- **A/63/174** Letter, 30 July 2007, from the Co-Chairpersons of the Consultative Process addressed to the President of the General Assembly. Transmits report on the work of the UN Open-ended Informal Consultative Process on Oceans and the Law of the Sea at its 9th meeting, held at the UN Headquarters, 23-27 June 2008.
- A/63/174/Corr.1 Letter, 25 July 2008, from the Co-Chairpersons of the Consultative Process addressed to the President of the General Assembly : corrigendum. Corrects text of para. 10 (e).
- A/63/342 Oceans and the law of the sea : available assistance to and measures that may be taken by developing States, in particular the least developed States and small island developing States, as well as coastal African States, to realize the benefits of sustainable and effective development of marine resources and uses of the oceans within the limits of national jurisdiction : study / prepared by the Secretariat. Issued: 3 Sept. 2008.

# LAW OF THE SEA (Agenda item 70a) (continued) General documents

A/63/580 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Egypt and Yemen. Transmits concluding statement of the consultative meeting of Arab States bordering the Red Sea concerning piracy off the coast of Somalia and the means to combat it.

## **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.42 Oceans and the law of the sea : draft resolution / Brazil, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Georgia, Guatemala, Iceland, Indonesia, Jamaica, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mexico, Monaco, Philippines, Portugal, Slovenia, Sweden, Trinidad and Tobago and United States of America.
- A/63/L.42/Add.1 Oceans and the law of the sea : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Bulgaria, Cape Verde, Croatia, Cyprus, Fiji, Finland, Greece, Honduras, Japan, Latvia, Malaysia, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), New Zealand, Norway, Palau, Saint Lucia, Samoa, Spain, Sri Lanka and Tunisia.

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.62 (4 Dec. 2008).

A/63/PV.63 (4 Dec. 2008).

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.42 was adopted (155-1-4): resolution 63/111.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/111 Oceans and the law of the sea. Calls upon States parties to the Convention to deposit with the Secretary-General charts or lists of geographical coordinates; requests the Secretary-General to convene the 19th Meeting of States Parties in New York, from 22 to 26 June 2009; urges flag States without an effective maritime administration and appropriate legal frameworks to establish or enhance the necessary infrastructure; decides to establish an ad hoc working group of the whole to recommend a course of action to the General Assembly at its 64th session based on the outcomes of the 4th meeting of the Ad Hoc Steering Group, and requests the Secretary-General to convene its informal meeting for one week not later than September 2009; decides that those representatives from developing countries to make presentations during the meetings of the Consultative Process shall receive priority consideration in the disbursement of funds from the voluntary trust fund: also decides that, the Consultative Process at its 10th meeting will focus its discussions on the implementation of the outcomes of the Consultative Process; resolves that, as from 2009, the UN will designate 8 June as World Oceans Day. (Adopted 155-1-4, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# LEAGUE OF ARAB STATES–UN (Agenda item 114n)

# **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# General documents

**A/63/503** Letter, 15 Oct. 2008, from Lebanon. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Arab Group and on behalf of the League of Arab States, resolution adopted by the special session of the Council of Arab Ministers of Justice, held in Cairo on 12 Oct. 2008, regarding the application of the Prosecutor of the International Criminal Court to issue a warrant of arrest against Omer Hassan Ahmed Al-Bashir, President of Sudan.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.20 Cooperation between the United Nations and the League of Arab States : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Mauritania, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

A/63/L.20/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the League of Arab States : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Bosnia and Herzegovina.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.42 (10 Nov. 2008).

At the 42nd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.20 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/17.

# LEAGUE OF ARAB STATES–UN (Agenda item 114n) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/17 Cooperation between the United Nations and the League of Arab States.

Requests the Secretariat of the United Nations and the General Secretariat of the League of Arab States to intensify further their cooperation for the realization of the purposes and principles embodied in the Charter of the United Nations; requests the Secretary-General to continue his efforts to strengthen cooperation and coordination between UN and other organizations and agencies of UN system and the League of Arab States and its specialized organizations; requests the Secretary-General of UN, in cooperation with the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, to encourage periodic consultation between representatives of the Secretariat of UN and of the General Secretariat of the League of Arab States; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 65th sess. a report on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the subitem entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the League of Arab States". (Adopted without vote, 42nd plenary meeting, 10 Nov. 2008)

# LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (3RD : 2001 : BRUSSELS) (Agenda item 52a) Reports

A/63/77 (E/2008/61) Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 May 2008.

### **General documents**

- **A/63/284** Outline of the modalities of the 4th United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries and its preparatory process : note / by the Secretary-General.
- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/819** (S/2009/204) Letter, 10 Apr. 2009, from Mexico. Transmits statement by the States members of the Rio Group and of the Caribbean Community entitled "Towards a new paradigm of cooperation", issued on 8 Apr. 2009 in preparation for the Donors Conference on the Economic and Social Development of Haiti to be held in Washington D.C. on 14 April 2009.
- **A/C.2/63/8** Letter, 17 Nov. 2008, from Bangladesh. Transmits the Ministerial Declaration of the Least Developed Countries, that was adopted by the meeting held at UN Headquarters on 29 Oct. 2008.

### LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (3RD : 2001 : BRUSSELS) (Agenda item 52a) (continued)

**A/C.2/63/L.65** Implementation of the Brussels Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010 : Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.57 : 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.2/63/L.39 Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.57 (A/63/417/Add.1).

A/C.2/63/L.57 Implementation of the Brussels Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010 : draft resolution / submitted by the Rapporteur, Awsan Al-Aud (Yemen), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.39.

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

A/63/417 Report of the 2nd Committee.

- A/63/417/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.
- A/C.2/63/SR.23 (3 Nov. 2008).
- A/C.2/63/SR.24 (4 Nov. 2008).
- A/C.2/63/SR.28 (20 Nov. 2008).
- A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

## Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.57) in A/63/417/Add.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/227; at the same meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/63/417): decision 63/543.

# LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (3RD : 2001 : BRUSSELS) (Agenda item 52a) (continued)

## **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/227** Implementation of the Brussels Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010.

Decides to convene, as called for in paragraph 114 of the Programme of Action, the Fourth UN Conference on the Least Developed Countries at a high level in 2011 for a duration of not more than 5 working days; also decides to convene, towards the end of 2010 and/or early in 2011, an intergovernmental preparatory committee, which would hold no more than 2 meetings; further decides that the meeting of the preparatory committee will be preceded by 2 regional-level preparatory meetings, 1 in collaboration with the Economic Commission for Africa and the other in collaboration with the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific, in the context of the regular annual sessions of each Commission, those regional-level meetings to be supported by broad-based and inclusive country-level preparations; decides that the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States will be the focal point for the preparations for the Conference to ensure that those preparations are carried out effectively, and to mobilize and coordinate the active involvement of the organizations of the United Nations system; requests the organizations of the UN system to provide necessary support and actively contribute to the preparatory process and to the Conference itself; requests the Secretary-General to ensure the full involvement of resident coordinators and country teams in preparations for the Conference; also requests the Secretary-General to ensure the active involvement of the organizations of the UN system in the preparatory process for the Conference in a coordinated and coherent manner. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### LEBANON

See: UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON-FINANCING

#### LIBERIA

See: UN MISSION IN LIBERIA-FINANCING

#### LIBERIA-ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE-LIBERIA

# LITERACY–INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2003-2012) (Agenda item 55d)

# **Reports**

A/63/172 Implementation of the International Plan of Action for the United Nations Literacy Decade : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 25 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Director-General of Unesco on the implementation of the International Plan of Action for the UN Literacy Decade.

## LITERACY–INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2003-2012) (Agenda item 55d) (continued) Draft resolutions/decisions

#### Drait resolutions/decisions

**A/C.3/63/L.7** United Nations Literacy Decade : education for all : draft resolution / Armenia, Bulgaria, Colombia, Guatemala, Mongolia and Nicaragua.

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

A/63/424 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.1	(6 Oc	t. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.2	(6 Oc	t. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.3	(7 Oc	t. 2008).
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A/C.3/63/SR.4 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.11 (14 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.23 (23 Oct. 2008).

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution V in A/63/424 (originally A/C.3/63/L.7), as orally revised, adopted without vote: resolution 63/154.

## **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/154 United Nations Literacy Decade : Education for All.

Takes note of the report of the Director General of UNESCO on the implementation of the International Plan of Action for the UN Literacy Decade; takes note also of the summary outcomes of the Regional Conferences in Support of Global Literacy, held in Azerbaijan, China, India, Mali, Mexico and Qatar in 2007 and 2008, which indicate that the second half of the Decade should develop appropriate networks for greater regional collaboration; takes note of the three priority areas for the remaining years of the Decade identified through the mid Decade review, namely, mobilizing stronger commitment to literacy, reinforcing more effective literacy programme delivery and harnessing new resources for literacy; requests UNESCO to reinforce its coordinating and catalysing role in the fight against illiteracy and to develop, in cooperation with other international partners, in particular the specialized agencies and organizations of the United Nations system, a strategic framework for renewed cooperation and action, on the basis of the mid Decade review and the outcomes of the Regional Conferences in Support of Global Literacy, including the above mentioned three priorities. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

## MACROECONOMIC POLICY (Agenda item 47)

See also: COMMODITIES DEVELOPMENT FINANCE EXTERNAL DEBT INTERNATIONAL TRADE

### **General documents**

- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/497** (S/2008/668) Letter, 20 Oct. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits final statement and recommendations of the 9th meeting of the European Union-Azerbaijan Parliamentary Cooperation Committee" held in Brussels, 6-7 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/835 Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

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

A/63/412 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

# MACROECONOMIC POLICY (Agenda item 47) (continued)

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008). At the 72nd meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/63/412): decision 63/539.

# MALARIA-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2001-2010) (Agenda item 43)

# **Reports**

A/63/219 2001-2010 : Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 4 Aug. 2008.

# **General documents**

- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/63/L.62 2001-2010 : Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa : draft resolution / Belgium, France, Israel, Luxembourg, Morocco [on behalf of the Group of African States], Netherlands and Portugal.
- A/63/L.62/Add.1 2001-2010 : Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Australia, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Fiji, Finland, Germany, Guyana, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Nicaragua, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Timor-Leste.

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.26	(15 Oct. 2008).
A/63/PV.27	(15 Oct. 2008).
A/63/PV.29	(20 Oct. 2008).

# MALARIA-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2001-2010) (Agenda item 43) (continued)

A/63/PV.73 (22 Dec. 2008).

At the 73rd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.62 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/234.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/234 2001-2010: Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa.

Urges the international community to deliver on programmes and activities at the country level in order to achieve internationally agreed targets on malaria; requests relevant international organizations, in particular the World Health Organization and the UN Children's Fund, to assist efforts of national Governments to provide universal access to malaria control interventions to at-risk young children and pregnant women in malaria-endemic countries; expresses its concern about the increase in resistant strains of malaria in several regions of the world. and calls upon Member States, with support from the World Health Organization and other partners, to strengthen surveillance systems for drug and insecticide resistance and upon the World Health Organization to coordinate a global network for the monitoring of drug and insecticide resistance and to ensure that drug and insecticide testing is fully operational; requests the World Health Organization, the UN Children's Fund and donor agencies to provide support to those countries which choose to use DDT for indoor residual spraying so as to ensure that it is implemented in accordance with international rules, standards and guidelines, and to provide all possible support to malaria-endemic countries to manage the intervention effectively and prevent the contamination, in particular, of agricultural products with DDT and other insecticides used for indoor residual spraying; urges Member States, the international community and all relevant actors, including the private sector, to promote the coordinated implementation and enhance the quality of malaria-related activities. (Adopted without vote, 73rd plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2008)

#### MALVINAS

See: FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS) QUESTION

### MEDITERRANEAN REGION–REGIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 94)

See: MEDITERRANEAN REGION–REGIONAL SECURITY Reports

A/63/138 Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 17 July 2008.

# **General documents**

A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

### MEDITERRANEAN REGION–REGIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 94) (continued)

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.18 Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region : draft resolution / Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, Morocco, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey, and Yemen.

Additional sponsors: Iceland, the Republic of Moldova, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (A/63/394).

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

A/63/394 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/394 (originally A/C.1/63/L.18) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/86.

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/86** Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region.

Reaffirms that security in the Mediterranean is closely linked to European security as well as to international peace and security: recognizes that the elimination of the economic and social disparities in levels of development and other obstacles as well as respect and greater understanding among cultures in the Mediterranean area will contribute to enhancing peace, security and cooperation among Mediterranean countries through the existing forums; encourages all States of the region to favour the necessary conditions for strengthening the confidence-building measures among them by promoting genuine openness and transparency on all military matters, by participating, inter alia, in the UN system for the standardized reporting of military expenditures and by providing accurate data and information to the UN Register of Conventional Arms; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on means to strengthen security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### MERCENARIES-HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS

See: SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

#### MIDDLE EAST

See: UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE-FINANCING

#### MIDDLE EAST-NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE

See: NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MIDDLE EAST

#### MIDDLE EAST SITUATION (Agenda item 15)

See also: IRAQ-ISRAEL

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-MIDDLE EAST-FINANCING

TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS

- TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-NATURAL RESOURCES
- UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE-FINANCING

UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON-FINANCING UNRWA-ACCOUNTS UNRWA-ACTIVITIES

### **Reports**

**A/63/361** The situation in the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 18 Sept. 2008.

A/63/368 (S/2008/612) Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.

# **General documents**

- **A/63/357** (S/2008/607) Identical letters, 15 Sept. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace and territory committed by Israel during Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/358** (S/2008/608) Identical letters, 15 Sept. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace and territory committed by Israel between 22 and 31 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/380** (S/2008/627) Identical letters, 22 Sept. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace and territory committed by Israel between 1 and 14 September 2008.
- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.

# MIDDLE EAST SITUATION (Agenda item 15) (continued)

- **A/63/480** (S/2008/650) Identical letters, 14 Oct. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace and territory committed by Israel between 15 and 30 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/481** (S/2008/651) Identical letters, 14 Oct. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the month of Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/502** (S/2008/669) Identical letters, 21 Oct. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel, 8-14 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/533** (S/2008/698) Identical letters, 6 Nov. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table showing the number of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the month of Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/534** (S/2008/699) Identical letters, 6 Nov. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel, 15-31 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/557** (S/2008/721) Identical letters, 18 Nov. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits list of alleged Israeli air, maritime and land violations of the Blue Line as compiled by the Lebanese armed forces and covering the period between May and Nov. 2008.
- A/63/571 (S/2008/735) Letter, 24 Nov. 2008, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, communiqué on the situation in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, adopted by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on 20 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/572** (S/2008/736) Letter, 24 Nov. 2008, from the Syrian Arab Republic. Transmits letter of the same date from the Minister for Foreign Affairs regarding the severe humanitarian situation in Gaza.
- **A/63/577** (S/2008/747) Letter, 26 Nov. 2008, from Lebanon. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace and territory committed by Israel between 1 and 14 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/585** (S/2008/759) Identical letters, 3 Dec. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table showing the number of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel during the month of Nov. 2008.

- **A/63/586** (S/2008/758) Identical letters, 3 Dec. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel, 15-30 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/661** (S/2008/810) Identical letters, 22 Dec. 2008, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel, 1-16 Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/669** Identical letters, 31 Dec. 2008, from Syrian Arab Republic addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Refers to holiday wine gifts allegedly distributed to staff of the UN Secretariat by the Permanent Mission of Israel and states that the wines were made from grapes harvested and bottles made in the occupied Syrian Golan and requests all UN staff to refrain from accepting these gifts produced illegally in violation of the Security Council and General Assembly resolutions.
- **A/63/672** (S/2009/7) Letter, 5 Jan. 2009, from Qatar. Transmits statement of the Emir of Qatar, in connection with the Israeli military action against Gaza.
- A/63/673 (S/2009/13) Letter, 29 Dec. 2008, from Cuba. Transmits, in his capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on Israel's military activity against the Gaza Strip in the Occupied Palestinian Territory.
- **A/63/676** Letter, 5 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the escalation of the Israeli military aggression against the Gaza Strip in the Occupied Palestinian Territory.
- **A/63/678** Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the escalation of the Israeli military activity in the Gaza Strip.
- **A/63/679** (S/2009/36) Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in his capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the non-compliance by Israel with Security Council resolution 1860 (2009) and the escalation of military aggression against the Gaza Strip.
- **A/63/682** (S/2009/41) Identical letters, 14 Jan. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel, 17-31 Dec. 2008.

# MIDDLE EAST SITUATION (Agenda item 15) (continued)

- **A/63/683** (S/2009/42) Identical letters, 14 Jan. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel during the month of Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/685** (S/2009/43) Identical letters, 15 Jan. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports that on 8 and 14 Jan. 2009, Israeli forces allegedly pounded Lebanese territories with mortar bombs in violation of the Blue Line and Security Council resolution 1701 (2006).
- **A/63/687** (S/2009/45) Identical letters, 20 Jan. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel from 1 to 14 January 2009.
- **A/63/691** (S/2009/50) Identical letters, 23 Jan. 2009, from Qatar addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits letter addressed to the President of the Security Council in connection with the Israeli military action against Gaza.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/705** (S/2009/73) Letter, 4 Feb. 2009, from Egypt. Refers to letter dated 22 Jan. 2009 and transmits letter from the President of the Egyptian Red Crescent Society regarding Egypt's efforts to alleviate the humanitarian situation in the Gaza Strip.
- **A/63/706** (S/2009/74) Identical letters, 5 Feb. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports alleged interception in international waters of a Lebanese vessel carrying humanitarian aid and medicine to Gaza by Israeli gunboats on 4 Feb. 2009.
- **A/63/707** (S/2009/75) Identical letters, 5 Feb. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel from 15 to 31 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/708** (S/2009/76) Identical letters, 5 Feb. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel during Jan. 2009.

- **A/63/718** (S/2009/95) Letter, 5 Feb. 2009, from Pakistan. Transmits text of resolution adopted by the Senate of Pakistan on 23 Jan. 2009 concerning the situation in the Gaza Strip arising from Israeli military attacks.
- **A/63/721** (S/2009/97) Identical letters, 13 Feb. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits position paper of Lebanon on the implementation of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006) and lists of alleged Israeli maritime, air and land violations of the Blue Line as compiled by Lebanese armed forces for the period from 5 Nov. 2008 to 1 Feb. 2009.
- **A/63/738** (S/2009/110) Identical letters, 20 Feb. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel from 1 to 16 February 2009.
- A/63/748 (S/2009/123) Letter, 3 Mar. 2009, from Egypt addressed to the Secretary-General. Transmits Conclusions by the Chair of the International Conference in Support of the Palestinian Economy for the Reconstruction of Gaza, held in Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt, 2 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/762 (S/2009/141) Identical letters, 12 Mar. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits table listing alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel during February 2009.
- **A/63/763** (S/2009/142) Identical letters, 12 Mar. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits report of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel during the period 17-28 Feb. 2009.
- **A/63/776** (S/2009/155) Identical letters, 19 Mar. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel from 1 to 14 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/808** (S/2009/183) Identical letters, 6 Apr. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table listing alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel during March 2009.
- **A/63/809** (S/2009/184) Identical letters, 6 Apr. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel from 15 to 31 Mar. 2009.

# MIDDLE EAST SITUATION (Agenda item 15) (continued)

- **A/63/815** (S/2009/191) Identical letters, 7 Apr. 2009, from Lebanon. Reports incidents caused by landmines allegedly planted by Israel against Lebanese civilians in southern Lebanon in violation of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006).
- **A/63/827** (S/2009/215) Identical letters, 21 Apr. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel from 1 to 14 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/849** (S/2009/238) Identical letters, 5 May 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel during Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/850** (S/2009/239) Identical letters, 5 May 2009, from Lebanon. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace and territory committed by Israel between 15 and 30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/860** (S/2009/264) Identical letters, 20 May 2009, from Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports alleged violations of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006) by Israel in the form of a string of creating spying networks inside Lebanon.
- **A/63/861** (S/2009/265) Letter, 19 May 2009, from the Chairman of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People. Transmits statement adopted on 19 May 2009 at the 316th meeting of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People on the situation in the Occupied East Jerusalem.
- **A/63/862** (S/2009/268) Identical letters, 20 May 2009, from Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace and territory committed by Israel between 1 and 14 May 2009.
- **A/63/870** (S/2009/287) Identical letters, 2 June 2009, from Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports that Israeli forces allegedly permitted Lebanese citizens wanted on suspicion of collaborating with Israel, to enter the Occupied Palestinian Territory crossing the Blue Line and the technical fence, considered by the Lebanese Government to be a violation of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006).

- **A/63/876** (S/2009/293) Identical letters, 4 June 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table listing alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel during May 2009.
- **A/63/877** (S/2009/292) Identical letters, 4 June 2009, from Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace and territory committed by Israel from 15 to 31 May 2009.
- **A/63/882** (S/2009/307) Identical letters, 11 June 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits position paper from Lebanon on the implementation of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006), lists of alleged land, maritime and airspace violations of Lebanese territory committed by Israel, Feb.- May 2009 and statistical summary table.
- **A/63/889** (S/2009/322) Identical letters, 17 June 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace and territory committed by Israel, 1-14 June 2009.
- **A/63/921** (S/2009/348) Identical letters, 6 July 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table showing alleged violations committed by Israel by air, sea and land during June 2009.
- **A/63/922** (S/2009/349) Identical letters, 6 July 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel, 22-30 June 2009.
- **A/63/933** (S/2009/379) Identical letters, 22 July 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Refers to an explosion in Southern Lebanon and refutes allegations by Israel that the series of explosions in Lebanon on 14 July 2009 were due to arms smuggled by Hizbollah and placed in civilian villages in contravention of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006).
- **A/63/943** (S/2009/414) Identical letters, 11 Aug. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel, 1-31 July 2009.
- **A/63/944** (S/2009/415) Identical letters, 11 Aug. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table listing alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel during July 2009.

# MIDDLE EAST SITUATION (Agenda item 15) (continued)

- **A/63/949** (S/2009/429) Identical letters, 20 Aug. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel, 1-15 Aug. 2009.
- **A/63/961** (S/2009/452) Identical letters, 9 Sept. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical summary of alleged violations of Lebanese airspace, territorial waters and territory committed by Israel, 16-31 Aug. 2009.
- **A/63/962** (S/2009/451) Identical letters, 9 Sept. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statistical table listing alleged violations of Lebanese territory by air, sea and land committed by Israel during Aug. 2009.
- **A/63/964** (S/2009/458) Identical letters, 14 Sept. 2009, from Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Reports alleged shelling of the outskirts of Klaele by the Israeli army on 11 Sept. 2009, claimed to be in response to the launching of two Grad missiles from the same area on the same day.
- **A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/63/L.36 Jerusalem : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen, Zimbabwe and Palestine.
- A/63/L.36/Add.1 Jerusalem : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsor: Nigeria.

- A/63/L.37 The Syrian Golan : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen, Zimbabwe and Palestine.
- A/63/L.37/Add.1 The Syrian Golan : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsor: Nigeria.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.59 (25 Nov. 2008).

#### A/63/PV.60 (26 Nov. 2008).

At the 60th meeting, actions on draft resolutions was as follows: draft resolution A/63/L.36, adopted (163-6-6): resolution 63/30; draft resolution A/63/L.37, adopted (116-6-52): resolution 63/31.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/30 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; 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; requests SG to report to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted 163-6-6, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

#### A/RES/63/31 The Syrian Golan.

Declares that Israel has failed so far to comply with Security Council resolution 497 (1981); also declares that the Israeli decision of 14 Dec. 1981 to impose its laws, jurisdiction and administration on the occupied Syrian Golan is null and void and has no validity whatsoever, as confirmed by the Security Council in its resolution 497 (1981), and calls upon Israel to rescind it; determines once more that the continued occupation of the Syrian Golan and its de facto annexation constitute a stumbling block in the way of achieving a just, comprehensive and lasting peace in the region; 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. (Adopted 116-6-52, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

# MIGRANT WORKERS (Agenda item 64a) Reports

A/63/48 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 48) Report of the Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, 7th session (26-30 November 2007); 8th session (14-25 April 2008). Issued: 2008.

# MIGRANTS-PROTECTION (Agenda item 64b)

# Reports

A/63/287 Protection of migrants : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 13 Aug. 2008.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.38 Protection of migrants : draft resolution / Argentina, Azerbaijan, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Armenia, Benin, the Comoros, Cote d'Ivoire, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Ghana, Guinea, Haiti, Iraq, Morocco, Nigeria, Sri Lanka and the Sudan (A/63/430/Add.2).

A/C.3/63/L.38/Rev.1 Protection of migrants : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Argentina, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Benin, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Comoros, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Indonesia, Iraq, Kyrgyzstan, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Mexico, Morocco, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Senegal, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Tajikistan and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Albania, Angola, Bangladesh, Belize, Bolivia, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, the Central African Republic, the Congo, the Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Mali, Mauritania, the Niger, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines and Turkey (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution XVII in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.38/Rev.1), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/184.

# MIGRANTS-PROTECTION (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/184 Protection of migrants.

Calls upon States to promote and protect effectively the human rights and fundamental freedoms of all migrants, and to ensure that their laws and policies, including in the areas of counter terrorism and combating transnational organized crime fully respect the human rights of migrants; calls upon States that have not done so to consider signing and ratifying or acceding to the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families as a matter of priority, and requests the Secretary General to continue his efforts to raise awareness of and promote the Convention; urges States parties to the UN Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and supplementing protocols thereto, namely, the Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air and the Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, to implement them fully, and calls upon States that have not done so to consider ratifying or acceding to them as a matter of priority; requests the Secretary-General to provide the resources necessary for the Committee to meet for 2 separate sessions in 2009, the 1st session to be of 2 consecutive weeks' duration and the 2nd session to be of 1 week's duration and invites the Committee to consider ways of further improving the effectiveness of its working sessions; and also requests the Secretary General to report on the implementation of the present resolution at its sixty fourth session and to include in that report an analysis of the ways and means to promote the human rights of migrants. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# MIGRATION-DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 51b) Reports

A/63/265 International migration and development : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

A/63/265/Corr.1 International migration and development : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 23 Sept. 2008. - Corrects text.

### **General documents**

- **A/63/553** Letter, 11 Nov. 2008, from Mexico. Transmits report of the International Meeting on the Protection of the Rights of Children in the Context of International Migration held in Mexico City on 30 Sept. and 1 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/970 (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# MIGRATION-DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 51b) (continued)

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.2/63/L.31 International migration and development : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.67 (A/63/416/Add.2).

A/C.2/63/L.67 International migration and development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Troy Torrington (Guyana), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.31.

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

A/63/416 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/416/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.21 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.22 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.27 (18 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.67) in A/63/416/Add.2 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/225.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/225 International migration and development. Requests all Member States to promote cooperation at all levels in addressing the challenge of undocumented or irregular migration so as to foster a secure, regular and orderly process of migration; calls upon the UN system and other relevant international organizations and multilateral institutions to enhance their cooperation in the development of methodologies for the collection and processing of statistical data on international migration and the situation of migrants in countries of origin, transit and destination and to assist Member States in their capacitybuilding efforts in this regard; decides to hold, within existing resources, a High-level Dialogue on International Migration and Development during its 68th sess., in 2013, the focus and modalities of which will be decided upon at its 67th session; also decides to convene, within existing resources, at its 65th sess., in 2011, a 1-day informal thematic debate on international migration and development; further decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 65th sess. the sub-item entitled "International migration and development". (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

### MILITARY BUDGETS (Agenda item 81)

### Reports

A/63/97 Objective information on military matters, including transparency of military expenditures : report of

the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 July 2008.

- A/63/97/Add.1 Objective information on military matters, including transparency of military expenditures : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 16 Sept. 2008.
- A/63/97/Add.2 Objective information on military matters, including transparency of military expenditures : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 20 Nov. 2008.

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

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

A/63/381 Report of the 1st Committee.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008). At the 61st meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 1st Committee (A/63/381): decision 63/516.

# MILLENNIUM ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS

See: MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)-FOLLOW-UP

# MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 107)

## Reports

**A/63/362** Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from Ireland and the United Republic of Tanzania. Refers to General Assembly resolution 62/277 and transmits report of the Co-Chairs on UN System-wide Coherence in the Areas of Development, Humanitarian Assistance and the Environment.

# MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 107) (continued)

**A/63/494** Letter, 16 Oct. 2008, from Switzerland. Transmits on behalf of the Geneva Declaration core group of States (Brazil, Finland, Guatemala, Indonesia, Kenya, Morocco, the Netherlands, Norway, the Philippines, Spain Switzerland, Thailand and the United Kingdom) the "Geneva Declaration on Armed Violence and Development" and the "Summit statement" adopted at the Review Summit of the Geneva Declaration on Armed Violence and Development held on 12 Sept. 2008.

A/63/677 Implementing the responsibility to protect : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Jan. 2009.

- **A/63/881** (S/2009/304) Report of the Secretary-General on peacebuilding in the immediate aftermath of conflict. Issued: 11 June 2009.
- A/63/958 Concept note on the responsibility to protect populations from genocide, war crimes, ethnic cleansing and crimes against humanity : note / by the President of the General Assembly. Issued: 9 Sept. 2009.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2009.

**A/63/966** Concept note on the global food crisis and the right to food : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

Issued: 14 Sept. 2009. - Transmits concept note, prepared by Olivier De Schutter, Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food, circulated as input for the Interactive Thematic Dialogue of the General Assembly on the global food crisis and the right to food, held in the Trusteeship Council Chamber, UN Headquarters, 6 Apr. 2009.

# General documents

- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- A/63/540 Letter, 7 Nov. 2008, from Guatemala and Switzerland.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.

### MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 107) (continued)

- **A/63/836** Letter, 20 Apr. 2009, from the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela. Transmits document of the countries of the Bolivarian Alternative for the Americas (ALBA) adopted at the 7th ALBA Summit, held in Cumaná, Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, on 16 and 17 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/872** Letter, 8 Apr. 2009, from Portugal. Transmits, in the capacity as Co-Chair of the African Partnership Forum, key messages to the London Summit of the Group of 20.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/C.5/63/11** The world financial and economic crisis and its consequences : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/63/L.22/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/63/L.8 Security and climate change : draft resolution / Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Kiribati, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Maldives, Malta, Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Nauru, Netherlands, New Zealand, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Samoa, Seychelles, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Spain, Sweden, Tonga, Turkey, Tuvalu, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Vanuatu.

# MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 107) (continued)

A/63/L.8/Rev.1 Climate change and its possible security implications : [revised] draft resolution / Albania. Andorra. Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Maldives, Malta, Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Nauru, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Samoa, Seychelles, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Tonga, Turkey, Tuvalu, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Vanuatu.

A/63/L.8/Rev.1/Add.1 Climate change and its possible security implications : [revised] draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belarus, Belize, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cape Verde, Comoros, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Kiribati, Madagascar, Mauritius, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, Nigeria, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Serbia, Singapore, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, United States of America and Uruguay.

A/63/L.22 The world financial and economic crisis and its consequences : draft resolution / Algeria, Argentina, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Cuba, Dominica, Ecuador, Honduras, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jamaica, Malaysia, Nicaragua, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Sudan and Syrian Arab Republic.

By the request of the sponsors, decision on the draft resolution was deferred until a later date to be announced (A/63/PV.51).

- A/63/L.22/Rev.1 The world financial and economic crisis and its consequences : revised draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].
- A/63/L.25 Legal empowerment of the poor and eradication of poverty : draft resolution / Benin, Brazil, Canada, Finland, Guatemala, Honduras, Iceland, Indonesia, Madagascar, Mexico, Nigeria, Norway, Peru, Spain, Switzerland and United Republic of Tanzania.
- A/63/L.25/Rev.1 Legal empowerment of the poor and eradication of poverty : revised draft resolution / Australia, Austria, Benin, Brazil, Canada, Cyprus, Finland, France, Germany, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Lesotho, Lithuania, Madagascar, Mexico, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Peru, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay.

#### MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 107) (continued)

A/63/L.25/Rev.1/Add.1 Legal empowerment of the poor and eradication of poverty : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Belgium, Bulgaria, Chile, Croatia, Denmark, Hungary, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Philippines, Republic of Korea, South Africa, Suriname, Swaziland and United States of America.

A/63/L.27 Promoting development through the reduction and prevention of armed violence : draft resolution / Angola, Australia, Austria, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Chile, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Finland, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Madagascar, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Togo and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

**A/63/L.27/Add.1** Promoting development through the reduction and prevention of armed violence : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Bulgaria, Denmark, Haiti, Jordan, Luxembourg, Mexico, Poland, Republic of Moldova, Slovenia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

A/63/L.30 Security and climate change : amendments to draft resolution A/63/L.8 / Bahrain, Ecuador, Egypt, Guatemala, Iraq, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors (A/63/PV.85).

A/63/L.64 Agriculture development and food security : draft resolution / Algeria, Belarus, Cambodia, Cape Verde, Chile, Comoros, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Fiji, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea, Guyana, Haiti, Indonesia, Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Kenya, Madagascar, Malaysia, Myanmar, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, Qatar, Russian Federation, Rwanda, South Africa, Sudan, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania, Viet Nam and Yemen.

A/63/L.64/Add.1 Agriculture development and food security : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsors: Angola, Australia, Canada,

China and Lao People's Democratic Republic.

**A/63/L.76** 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the Assembly : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

A/63/L.80 Implementing the responsibility to protect : draft resolution / Argentina, Colombia, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, El Salvador, Fiji, Guatemala, Haiti, India, Mexico, Panama, Peru, Rwanda, Senegal, Swaziland, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay.

# MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 107) (continued)

A/63/L.80/Rev.1 The responsibility to protect : revised draft resolution / Armenia, Belgium, Benin, Bulgaria, Canada, Argentina, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Guatemala, Haiti, Hungary, India, Italy, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Panama, Peru, Poland, Republic of Korea, Romania, Rwanda, Senegal, Slovenia, Spain, Swaziland, Sweden, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay.

A/63/L.80/Rev.1/Add.1 The responsibility to protect : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Australia, Austria, Denmark, Greece, Guinea, Iceland, Ireland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malta, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Portugal, Saint Lucia, Singapore, Slovakia, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

**A/63/L.99** World Summit on Food Security : draft resolution / Sudan.

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors (A/63/PV.105).

A/63/L.103 System-wide coherence : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.51 (17 Nov. 2008). At the 51st meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.27, as

orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/23.

A/63/PV.68 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 68th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.25/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/142.

A/63/PV.69 (15 Dec. 2008).

A/63/PV.73 (22 Dec. 2008).

At the 73rd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.64 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/235.

A/63/PV.85 (3 June 2009).

At the 85th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.8/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/281.

A/63/PV.95 (9 July 2009).

At the 95th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.76, entitled "2010 high-level plenary meeting of the Assembly" was adopted without vote: resolution 63/302.

A/63/PV.96	(21 July 2009).
A/63/PV.97	(23 July 2009).
A/63/PV.98	(24 July 2009).
A/63/PV.99	(24 July 2009).
A/63/PV.100	(28 July 2009).
A/63/PV.101	(28 July 2009).

# MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 107) (continued)

A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.80/Rev.1, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/308; draft resolution A/63/L.103, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/311; at the same meeting, the Assembly decided to defer consideration of the report of the Secretary-General to the 64th sess. under the agenda items entitled "Report of the Peacebuilding Commission" and "Report of the Secretary-General on the Peacebuilding Fund": decision 63/571.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/23** Promoting development through the reduction and prevention of armed violence.

Stresses the need for a coherent and integrated approach to the prevention of armed violence; requests the Secretary-General to seek the views of Member States on the interrelation between armed violence and development and, in close consultation with the relevant agencies, funds and programmes of the United Nations system, and with the 3 UN regional centres for peace and disarmament, to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. (Adopted without vote, 51st plenary meeting, 17 Nov. 2008)

A/RES/63/142 Legal empowerment of the poor and eradication of poverty.

Takes note of the final report of the Commission on Legal Empowerment of the Poor, entitled "Making the Law Work for Everyone"; stresses the importance of sharing best national practices in the area of legal empowerment of the poor; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 64th session on the legal empowerment of the poor, under the item entitled "Eradication of poverty and other development issues", taking into account national experiences in this regard. (Adopted without vote, 68th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/235 Agriculture development and food security.

Reiterates the need to adequately and urgently address agriculture development and food security in the context of national and international development policies; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th session an item entitled "Agriculture development and food security", to be taken up by the 2nd Committee. (Adopted without vote, 73rd plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/281 Climate change and its possible security implications.

Invites the relevant organs of the UN, as appropriate and within their respective mandates, to intensify their efforts in considering and addressing climate change, including its possible security implications. (Adopted without vote, 85th plenary meeting, 3 June 2009)

# MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)– FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 107) (continued)

A/RES/63/302 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly.

Decides to convene in 2010, at the commencement of the 65th sess. of the General Assembly, a high-level plenary meeting of the Assembly, on dates to be decided, with the participation of Heads of State and Government, and encourages all Member States to be represented at that level; also decides to hold consultations on the scope, modalities, format and organization of the high-level plenary meeting of the Assembly with a view to concluding consultations before the end of 2009. (Adopted without vote, 95th plenary meeting, 9 July 2009)

#### A/RES/63/308 The responsibility to protect.

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General (A/63/677) and of the timely and productive debate organized by the President of the General Assembly on the responsibility to protect, held on 21, 23, 24 and 28 July 2009 (A/63/Pv.96-101), with full participation by Member States; decides to continue its consideration of the responsibility to protect. (Adopted without vote, 105th plenary meeting, 14 Sept. 2009)

#### A/RES/63/311 System-wide coherence.

Strongly supports the consolidation of the Office of the Special Adviser on Gender Issues and Advancement of Women, the Division for the Advancement of Women, the UN Development Fund for Women and the UN International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women, into a composite entity; Requests the Secretary-General, in consultation with the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, to propose to the General Assembly, at its 64th session, actionable proposals for the further improvement of the governance of the operational activities for development; also requests the Secretary-General, in consultation with the members of United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination and the United Nations Development Group, to propose to the General Assembly, at its 64th session, modalities for the submission and approval of common country programmes on a voluntary basis, bearing in mind the importance of national ownership and effective intergovernmental oversight of the development process; urges donor countries and other countries in a position to do so to substantially increase their voluntary contributions to the core/regular budgets of the UN development system; encourages the Secretary-General to support "programme country pilot" countries to undertake expeditiously their own country-led evaluations with the participation of relevant stakeholders and with the technical support of the UN Evaluation Group; decides to continue the intergovernmental work of the General Assembly on system-wide coherence on the issues addressed in the present resolution during the 64th session. (Adopted without vote, 105th plenary meeting, 14 Sept. 2009)

# MILLENNIUM SUMMIT OF THE UNITED NATIONS

See: MILLENNIUM SUMMIT (2000 : NEW YORK)-FOLLOW-UP

# MINORITIES (Agenda item 64b) Draft resolutions/decisions

### Drait resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.25 Effective promotion of the Declaration on the Rights of Persons belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities : draft resolution / Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Benin, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Finland, Germany, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Peru, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovenia, Switzerland, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Italy and San Marino (A/63/430/Add.2).

A/C.3/63/L.25/Rev.1 Effective promotion of the Declaration on the Rights of Persons belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities : revised draft resolution / Albania, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Finland, Georgia, Germany, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Peru, Poland, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.38 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution VII in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.25/Rev.1), as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/174.

# MINORITIES (Agenda item 64b) (continued) Resolutions

**A/RES/63/174** Effective promotion of the Declaration on the Rights of Persons Belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities.

Reaffirms the obligation of States to ensure that persons belonging to national or ethnic, religious and linguistic minorities may exercise fully and effectively all human rights and fundamental freedoms without any discrimination and in full equality before the law; urges States to take all necessary constitutional, legislative, administrative and other measures to promote and give effect to the Declaration on the Rights of Persons Belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities; calls upon the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights to promote the implementation of the Declaration; requests the High Commissioner to continue her efforts to improve coordination and cooperation among United Nations agencies, funds and programmes on related activities; decides to continue consideration of the question at its 65th session under the item entitled "Human rights questions". (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

#### MINURCAT

See: UN MISSION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC AND CHAD-FINANCING

#### **MINURSO**

See: UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN WESTERN SAHARA – FINANCING

#### MINUSTAH

See: UN STABILIZATION MISSION IN HAITI-FINANCING

### MONGOLIA-NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE

See: NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MONGOLIA

#### **MONTERREY CONSENSUS (2002)**

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE-CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)-FOLLOW-UP

### MONTERREY CONSENSUS OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT (2002)

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE-CONFERENCE (2002 : MONTERREY, MEXICO)-FOLLOW-UP

# MONTSERRAT QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

# **Reports**

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

# MONTSERRAT QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.4/63/L.6 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

A/63/408 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-VII].

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/108[B-VII] Montserrat.

Welcomes the efforts of the territorial Government to continue to negotiate improvements to the Constitution of the Territory so as to preserve its ability to move towards greater self-determination at a later stage; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning public outreach efforts, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested; 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. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

#### MONUC

See: UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO-FINANCING

# MULTILATERALISM-DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 89m)

# Reports

A/63/126 Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non-proliferation : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 July 2008.

# MULTILATERALISM-DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 89m) (continued)

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.20 Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non-proliferation : draft resolution / Indonesia [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement]. Additional sponsors: Fiji and Uruguay (A/63/389).

# Discussion in the International Security

# Committee (1st Committee)

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008). At the 61st meeting, draft resolution X in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.20) was adopted (126-5-50): resolution 63/50.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/50** Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non-proliferation.

Reaffirms multilateralism as the core principle in resolving disarmament and non-proliferation concerns; urges the participation of all interested States in multilateral negotiations on arms regulation, non-proliferation and disarmament; underlines the importance of preserving the existing agreements on arms regulation and disarmament; requests the States parties to the 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 or 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 64th sess.; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non proliferation". (Adopted 126-5-50, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### MULTILINGUALISM (Agenda item 113)

### **Reports**

A/63/338 Multilingualism : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 28 Aug. 2008.

A/63/349 Interim report on the impact of the activities carried out by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization during the International Year of Languages (2008) : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Sept. 2008. - Transmits an interim report of

the Director-General of the Unesco on the impact of the activities carried out by Unesco during the International Year of Languages (2008).

# MULTILINGUALISM (Agenda item 113) (continued) General documents

**A/63/752** Final report on the impact of the activities carried out by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization during the International Year of Languages (2008) : note / by the Secretary-General. Transmits final report of the Director-General on the impact of the activities carried out by Unesco during the International Year of Languages (2008).

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.70 Multilingualism : draft resolution / Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Gabon, Greece, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritius, Monaco, Morocco, Niger, Romania, Senegal, Switzerland, Togo and Viet Nam.
- A/63/L.70/Rev.1 Multilingualism : [revised] draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Chad, Colombia, Comoros, Congo, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, France, Gabon, Germany, Greece, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mexico, Monaco, Morocco, Niger, Romania, Senegal, Serbia, Sierra Leone, Spain, Sudan, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, Togo, Tunisia and Vietnam.
- A/63/L.70/Rev.1/Add.1 Multilingualism : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Belarus, Canada, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Madagascar, Panama, Peru, Portugal, Rwanda, Slovenia, South Africa, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Uganda and Ukraine.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.104 (9 Sept. 2009).

At the 104th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.70/Rev.1, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/306.

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/306 Multilingualism.

Requests the Secretary-General to ensure that all language services are given equal treatment and are provided with equally favourable working conditions and resources; requests the Secretary-General to ensure 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; requests the Secretary-General to ensure guided tours at UN Headquarters are consistently available; reaffirms the need to achieve full parity among the 6 official languages; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 65th sess. a comprehensive report on the full implementation of its resolutions on multilingualism. (Adopted without vote, 104th plenary meeting, 9 Sept. 2009)

### MYANMAR-HUMAN RIGHTS

See: HUMAN RIGHTS-MYANMAR

#### NAGORNY KARABAKH SITUATION

See: AZERBAIJAN SITUATION

#### NARCOTIC DRUGS (Agenda item 98)

See also: UN OFFICE ON DRUGS AND CRIME

# **Reports**

A/63/111 International cooperation against the world drug problem : progress achieved in meeting the goals and targets set out in the Political Declaration adopted by the General Assembly at its 20th special session : report of the Secretary -General. Issued: 8 July 2008.

#### General documents

- **A/63/739** (S/2009/114) Identical letters, 19 Feb. 2009, from New Zealand addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Transmits, on behalf of the members of the Pacific Islands Forum, the conclusions of the Regional Consultation Workshop on measures for the legislative implementation of the legal regime against terrorism in the Pacific region and related technical assistance delivery, organized by the UN Office on Drugs and Crime in cooperation with the Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat, held in Suva, 2-3 June 2008.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/844 (S/2009/237) Identical letters, 4 May 2009, from Kenya addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Transmits copy of the outcome document of the subregional workshop on the preparation of responses to the United Nations Security Council Committees dealing with counter-terrorism, held in Nairobi from 11 to 13 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- A/63/865 (S/2009/273) Letter, 21 May 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement on the growing threat to international security posed by the spread of narcotic drugs from Afghanistan made by the State Duma of the Russian Federal Assembly, 6 May 2009.

#### NARCOTIC DRUGS (Agenda item 98) (continued)

**A/63/925** Letter, 2 July 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the Political Declaration on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, adopted at the Ministerial Conference on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, held in Managua, Nicaragua, on 24 June 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.3/63/L.8 International cooperation against the world drug problem : draft resolution / Mexico.

Additional sponsors: Benin, Cape Verde, Chile, Guatemala, Haiti, Mauritania, Paraguay, Peru, Tajikistan and Timor-Leste (A/63/432).

A/C.3/63/L.8/Rev.1 International cooperation against the world drug problem : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Austria, Barbados, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brunei Darussalam, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Ghana, Guatemala, Haiti, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Mauritania, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia, Suriname, Switzerland, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Togo, Turkey, Uganda and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Antigua and Barbuda, Armenia, the Bahamas, Bangladesh, the Comoros, the Congo, Cote d'Ivoire, Cyprus, the Dominican Republic, Egypt, Eritrea, Guyana, Honduras, Iceland, Indonesia, Iraq, Israel, Jamaica, Japan, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Liberia, Lithuania, Mali, Montenegro, Morocco, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, the Sudan, Swaziland, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, the United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay (A/63/432).

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

A/63/432 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.5 (9 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.6 (9 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.7 (10 Oct. 2008).

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A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.40 (18 Nov. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 71st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/432 (originally A/C.3/63/L.8/Rev.1), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/197.

# NARCOTIC DRUGS (Agenda item 98) (continued) <u>Resolutions</u>

# A/RES/63/197 International cooperation against the world drug problem.

Calls upon States and other relevant actors to evaluate progress made since 1998 towards meeting the goals and targets set at the 20th special session of the General Assembly: urges all States to continue to promote and implement the outcomes of the 20th special session of the General Assembly; encourages States to consider prevention, treatment and rehabilitation of drug use disorders; urges States to continue working towards achieving a significant and measurable reduction of drug abuse and to share the results obtained on this subject during the high level segment of the 52nd session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs that will be held in March 2009; decides to consider the results of the high level segment of the 52nd session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at a plenary meeting of the General Assembly at its 64th session; requests the UN Office on Drugs and Crime to carry out training programmes; urges all Governments to provide the fullest possible financial and political support to the UN Office on Drugs and Crime. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# NATIONALITY–STATE SUCCESSION (Agenda item 72)

#### General documents

**A/63/113** Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States : note / by the Secretariat.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/63/L.14 Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States : draft resolution.

#### Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th

# Committee)

A/63/436 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.11 (21 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.25 (5 Nov. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/436 (originally A/C.6/63/L.14) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/118.

# NATIONALITY-STATE SUCCESSION (Agenda item 72) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/118 Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States.

Reiterates General Assembly's invitation to Governments to take into account the provisions of the articles contained in the annex to resolution 55/153, 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 nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States, with a view to preventing the occurrence of statelessness as a result of a succession of States. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

### NATURAL RESOURCES-TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL

See: TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-NATURAL RESOURCES

# NEW CALEDONIA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) Reports

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

# Hearings requested

A/C.4/63/6 Letter, 30 Sept. 2008, from Julien Boanemoi, Customary Senator, representative of the traditional area of Ajie-Aro. Requests a hearing on the question of New Caledonia.

A/C.4/63/6/Add.1 Letter, 30 Sept. 2008, from Rock Wamytan, signataire FLNKS de l'accord de Noumea. Requests a hearing on the question of New Caledonia.

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

A/63/408 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.5 (9 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution II in A/63/408 entitled "Question of New Caledonia" was adopted without vote: resolution 63/106.

# NEW CALEDONIA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued) Resolutions

### A/RES/63/106 Question of New Caledonia.

Welcomes the significant developments that have taken place in New Caledonia since the signing of the Nouméa Accord of 5 May 1998 by the representatives of New Caledonia and the Government of France; acknowledges those provisions of the Nouméa Accord relating to control of immigration and protection of local employment, and notes that unemployment remains high among Kanaks and that recruitment of foreign mine workers continues; acknowledges the contribution of the Melanesian Cultural Centre to the protection of the indigenous Kanak culture of New Caledonia; welcomes the cooperation among Australia, France and New Zealand; acknowledges the close links between New Caledonia and the peoples of the South Pacific; welcomes, in this regard, the participation of New Caledonia in the Pacific Islands Forum; decides to keep under continuous review the process unfolding in New Caledonia as a result of the signing of the Nouméa Accord. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES-SECURITY (Agenda item 87)

# General documents

**A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.7 Conclusion of effective international arrangements to assure non-nuclear-weapon States against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Benin, Brunei Darussalam, Colombia, Cuba, Egypt, El Salvador, Ghana, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malawi, Malaysia, Myanmar, Peru, Philippines, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Syrian Arab Republic, Uzbekistan and Viet Nam.

Additional sponsors: Ecuador and Fiji (A/63/387).

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

A/63/387 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

# NON-NUCLEAR-WEAPON STATES-SECURITY (Agenda item 87) (continued) Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/387 (originally A/C.1/63/L.7) was adopted (122-1-58): resolution 63/39.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/39 Conclusion of effective international arrangements to assure non-nuclear-weapon States against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons. Reaffirms the urgent need to reach an early agreement on effective international arrangements to assure non-nuclear-weapon States against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons; appeals to all States to work actively towards an early agreement on a common approach and on a common formula that could be included in an international instrument of a legally binding character; recommends that efforts be devoted to the search for such a common approach or common formula and that the various alternative approaches be explored further in order to overcome the difficulties; recommends that the Conference on Disarmament actively continue intensive negotiations with a view to reaching early agreement and concluding effective international agreements; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess, the item entitled "Conclusion of effective international arrangements to assure non nuclear-weapon States against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons". (Adopted 122-1-58, 61st plenary meeting, 2 . Dec. 2008)

### NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS

See: IAEA-REPORTS

# NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES– ECONOMIC INTERESTS (Agenda item 34)

See also: DECOLONIZATION DECOLONIZATION–UN SYSTEM SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

#### General documents

**A/63/871** (S/2009/198) Letter, 13 Apr. 2009, from Namibia. Transmits letter from the representative of the Frente Polisario addressed to the President of the Security Council on the question of the natural resources of Western Sahara.

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

**A/63/405** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

- A/C.4/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.5 (9 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.6 (10 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

# NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES– ECONOMIC INTERESTS (Agenda item 34) (continued)

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/405 entitled "Economic and other activities which affect the interests of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories" was adopted (179-2-2): resolution 63/102.

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/102** 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; calls upon the administering Powers to ensure that the exploitation of the marine and other natural resources in the Non-Self-Governing Territories under their administration is not in violation of the relevant resolutions of the UN, and does not adversely affect the interests of the peoples of those Territories; urges the administering Powers concerned to take effective measures to safeguard and guarantee the inalienable right of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories to their natural resources: calls upon the administering Powers concerned to ensure that no discriminatory working conditions prevail in the Territories; appeals to trade unions and non-governmental organizations to continue their efforts to promote the economic well-being of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories: 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. (Adopted 179-2-2, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

## NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-FELLOWSHIPS (Agenda item 36)

See also: DECOLONIZATION

SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

## **Reports**

A/63/67 Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 20 Mar. 2008.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.4/63/L.3** Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories : draft resolution / Algeria, Argentina, China, Cuba, Egypt, Ghana, India, Nigeria, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and United Republic of Tanzania.

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

**A/63/407** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).

#### NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES– FELLOWSHIPS (Agenda item 36) (continued)

A/C.4/63/SR.5 (9 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.6 (10 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/407, entitled "Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories" (originally A/C.4/63/L.3) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/104.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/104** Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories.

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. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES–REPORTS (Agenda item 33)

See also: DECOLONIZATION

DECOLONIZATION-UN SYSTEM SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

# **Reports**

A/63/65 Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73e of the Charter of the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Mar. 2008.

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

**A/63/404** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

Discussion in plenary		
A/C.4/63/SR.7	(13 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.4/63/SR.6	(10 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.4/63/SR.5	(9 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.4/63/SR.3	(7 Oct. 2008).	
A/C.4/63/SR.2	(6 Oct. 2008).	

# A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/404 entitled "Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations" was adopted (177-0-4): resolution 63/101.

# NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES–REPORTS (Agenda item 33) (continued) Resolutions

#### Resolutions

**A/RES/63/101** Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations.

Requests the administering Powers concerned, to transmit or continue to transmit regularly to the Secretary-General for information purposes, subject to such limitation as security and constitutional considerations may require, statistical and other information of a technical nature relating to economic, social and educational conditions in the Territories for which they are respectively responsible, as well as the fullest possible information on political and constitutional developments in the Territories concerned, including the constitution, legislative act or executive order providing for the government of the Territory and the constitutional relationship of the Territory to the administering Power, within a maximum period of 6 months following the expiration of the administrative year in those Territories; Requests the Secretary-General to continue 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; (Adopted 177-0-4, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

#### NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 89v)

See also: NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT-CONFERENCES NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT-TREATY COMPLIANCE

NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION

- NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-TREATY (DRAFT)
- NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-CENTRAL ASIA
- NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MIDDLE EAST
- NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MONGOLIA NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE

## **Reports**

**A/63/135** Nuclear disarmament : 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 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 16 July 2008.

## General documents

**A/63/603** (S/2008/775) Identical letters, 9 Dec. 2008, from France. Transmits letter dated 5 Dec. 2008 from the President, in his capacity as current President of the Council of the European Union, addressed to the Secretary-General of the United Nations concerning the disarmament initiatives which the European Union presented at the UN this year.

# NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 89v) (continued)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.5 Decreasing the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems : draft resolution / Chile, Malaysia, New Zealand, Nigeria, Sweden and Switzerland.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Austria, Benin, Brazil, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Fiji, Haiti, Ireland, Liechtenstein, Malta, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru, Timor-Leste, Togo, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/389).

A/C.1/63/L.14 Nuclear disarmament : draft resolution / Algeria, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Central African Republic, Congo, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guinea, Haiti, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Myanmar, Nepal, Philippines, Samoa, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Suriname, Thailand, Uganda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Viet Nam and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Fiji, Mongolia, Namibia, Saudi Arabia, Togo and Zambia (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.10	(16 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.19	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.20	(29 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.20	(29 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.22	(31 Oct. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/389 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.1/63/L.5), adopted (141-3-34): resolution 63/41; draft resolution VI (originally A/C.1/63/L.14), adopted (117-45-19): resolution 63/46.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/41 Decreasing the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems.

Calls for further practical steps to be taken to decrease the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems, with a view to ensuring that all nuclear weapons are removed from high alert status; urges States to update the General Assembly on progress made in the implementation of the present resolution; decides to remain seized of the matter. (Adopted 141-3-34, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 89v) (continued)

#### A/RES/63/46 Nuclear disarmament.

Urges the nuclear-weapon States to stop immediately the qualitative improvement, development, production and stockpiling of nuclear warheads and their delivery systems; also urges the nuclear-weapon States, as an interim measure, to de-alert and deactivate immediately their nuclear weapons and to take other concrete measures to reduce further the operational status of their nuclear-weapon systems, while stressing that reductions in deployments and in operational status cannot substitute for irreversible cuts in, and the total elimination of, nuclear weapons; urges the nuclear-weapon States to commence plurilateral negotiations among themselves at an appropriate stage on further deep reductions of nuclear weapons as an effective measure of nuclear disarmament; underlines the importance of applying the principles of transparency, irreversibility and verifiability to the process of nuclear disarmament, and nuclear and other related arms control and reduction measures; urges the Conference on Disarmament to agree on a programme of work that includes the immediate commencement of negotiations on such a treaty with a view to their conclusion within 5 years. (Adopted 117-45-19, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT-CONFERENCES (Agenda item 89bb)

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.54 United Nations conference to identify appropriate ways of eliminating nuclear dangers in the context of nuclear disarmament : draft decision / Mexico.

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

A/C.1/63/PV.16 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

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

**A/63/398** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008). At the 61st meeting, draft decision II in A/63/398 (originally A/C.1/63/L.54) was adopted (130-3-46): decision 63/520.

### NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT-TREATY COMPLIANCE (Agenda item 89I)

See also: NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT-CONFERENCES NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-TREATY (DRAFT)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.30 Towards a nuclear-weapon-free world : accelerating the implementation of nuclear disarmament commitments : draft resolution / Brazil, Egypt, Ireland, Mexico, New Zealand, South Africa and Sweden. Additional sponsors: Austria, Bangladesh, Costa Rica, Fiji, Guyana, Malawi and Malta (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.10 (16 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008). At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XVIII in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.30) was adopted (166-5-7): resolution 63/58.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/58 Towards a nuclear-weapon-free world : accelerating the implementation of nuclear disarmament commitments.

Calls upon all States to comply fully with all commitments made regarding nuclear disarmament and nuclear non-proliferation and not to act in any way that may compromise either cause or that may lead to a new nuclear arms race; reaffirms that the outcome of the 2000 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons sets out the agreed process for systematic and progressive efforts towards nuclear disarmament; urges the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to rescind its announced withdrawal from the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons; stresses the need for a constructive and successful preparatory process leading to the 2010 Review Conference: decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Towards a nuclear-weapon-free world: accelerating the implementation of nuclear disarmament commitments" and to review the implementation of the present resolution at that session. (Adopted 166-5-7, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# NUCLEAR ENERGY

See: IAEA-REPORTS

# NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION (Agenda item 89q)

See also: NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT

NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION-MIDDLE EAST NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-TREATY (DRAFT) NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-CENTRAL ASIA

- NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MIDDLE EAST
- NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MONGOLIA NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE

# **Reports**

**A/63/135** Nuclear disarmament : 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 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 16 July 2008.

# General documents

**A/63/603** (S/2008/775) Identical letters, 9 Dec. 2008, from France. Transmits letter dated 5 Dec. 2008 from the President, in his capacity as current President of the Council of the European Union, addressed to the Secretary-General of the United Nations concerning the disarmament initiatives which the European Union presented at the UN this year.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.5 Decreasing the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems : draft resolution / Chile, Malaysia, New Zealand, Nigeria, Sweden and Switzerland.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Austria, Benin, Brazil, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Fiji, Haiti, Ireland, Liechtenstein, Malta, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru, Timor-Leste, Togo, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/389).

A/C.1/63/L.16 Reducing nuclear danger : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Botswana, Chile, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, El Salvador, Haiti, Jamaica, Jordan, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Malaysia, Mauritius, Myanmar, Nicaragua, Samoa, Sudan, Viet Nam and Zambia. Additional sponsors: Cambodia, Colombia and Fiji (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

- A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.1/63/PV.10 (16 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.1/63/PV.16 (23 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.1/63/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.1/63/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

# NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION (Agenda item 89q) (continued)

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

## **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/389 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.1/63/L.5), adopted (141-3-34): resolution 63/41; draft resolution VII (originally A/C.1/63/L.16), adopted (118-50-14): resolution 63/47.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/41 Decreasing the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems.

Calls for further practical steps to be taken to decrease the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems, with a view to ensuring that all nuclear weapons are removed from high alert status; urges States to update the General Assembly on progress made in the implementation of the present resolution; decides to remain seized of the matter. (Adopted 141-3-34, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

#### A/RES/63/47 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. including through the de-alerting and de-targeting of nuclear weapons; requests the five 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 seven 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 consider the convening of an international conference, as proposed in the United Nations Millennium Declaration, to identify ways of eliminating nuclear dangers. (Adopted 118-50-14, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION–MIDDLE EAST (Agenda item 92)

See also: NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MIDDLE EAST

#### Reports

A/63/115(Parti) Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 July 2008.

A/63/115(Partl)/Add.1 Establishment of a nuclear-

meeting, on 4 Oct. 2008.

weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 19 Sept. 2008.

A/63/115(PartII) The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Oct. 2008. - Transmits resolution adopted by the General Conference of the IAEA at its 10th plenary

# NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION–MIDDLE EAST (Agenda item 92) (continued)

# General documents

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.1/63/L.2** The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Bangladesh and Mauritania (A/63/392).

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

A/63/392 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.10 (16 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/392 (originally A/C.1/63/L.2) was adopted (169-5-6): resolution 63/84.

## **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/84 The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East.

Welcomes the conclusions on the Middle East of the 2000 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons; reaffirms the importance of Israel's accession to the Treaty on the Non Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons and placement of all its nuclear facilities under comprehensive International Atomic Energy Agency safeguards, in realizing the goal of universal adherence to the Treaty in the Middle East; calls upon that State 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 Agency safeguards as an important confidence-building measure among all States of the region and as a step towards enhancing peace and security; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 64th session on the implementation of the present resolution (Adopted 169-5-6, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### NUCLEAR SAFETY

See: IAEA-REPORTS

# NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS-NOTIFICATION (Agenda item 89a)

See also: NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS-TREATY

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

# NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS-TREATY (Agenda item 95)

See also: NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS-NOTIFICATION

# **Reports**

A/63/124 Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 July 2008.

#### **General documents**

- A/63/634 Letter, 19 Dec. 2008, from Australia, Austria, Canada, Costa Rica, Finland, Japan and the Netherlands. Transmits Joint Ministerial Statement on the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty, which was launched on 24 Sept. 2008 in New York; reports that as of 12 Dec. 2008, 96 countries have associated themselves with the Joint Statement.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.55 Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Armenia, Australia, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Japan, Kazakhstan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine and Uruguay.

# NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS-TREATY (Agenda item 95) (continued)

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

A/63/395 Report of the 1st Committee.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Argentina, Austria, Bangladesh, Cambodia, Canada, China, Eritrea, Estonia, Fiji, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Malta, Montenegro, Norway, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, the Russian Federation, Switzerland, Thailand and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (A/63/395).

A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/395 (originally A/C.1/63/L.55) was adopted (175-1-3): resolution 63/87.

# Resolutions

A/RES/63/87 Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty. Stresses the vital importance and urgency of signature and ratification, without delay and without conditions, to achieve the earliest entry into force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty; urges all States not to carry out nuclear-weapon test explosions or any other nuclear explosions, to maintain their moratoriums in this regard and to refrain from acts that would defeat the object and purpose of the Treaty, while stressing that these measures do not have the same permanent and legally binding effect as the entry into force of the Treaty; urges all States that have not yet signed the Treaty to sign and ratify it as soon as possible; urges all States that have signed but not yet ratified the Treaty, in particular those whose ratification is needed for its entry into force, to accelerate their ratification processes with a view to ensuring their earliest successful conclusion; urges all States to remain seized of the issue at the highest political level and, where in a position to do so, to promote adherence to the Treaty through bilateral and joint outreach, seminars and other means; requests the Secretary-General, in consultation with the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, to prepare a report on the efforts of States that have ratified the Treaty towards its universalization and possibilities for providing assistance on ratification procedures to States that so request it, and to submit such a report to the General Assembly at its 64th session. (Adopted 175-1-3, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-ICJ OPINION (Agenda item 89u)

# **Reports**

A/63/135 Nuclear disarmament : 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 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 16 July 2008.

# NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE–ICJ OPINION (Agenda item 89u) (continued)

# **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.19 Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapon : draft resolution / Algeria, Bangladesh, Benin, Bolivia, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, Gabon, Ghana, Guatemala, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Jamaica, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Mexico, Morocco, Myanmar, Nepal, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Qatar, Samoa, Senegal, Singapore, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Viet Nam and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Belize, Fiji, Sri Lanka and Togo (A/63/389).

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

A/C.1/63/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution IX in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.19) was adopted (127-30-23): resolution 63/49.

#### Resolutions

**A/RES/63/49** Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons.

Underlines the unanimous conclusion of the ICJ 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 upon all States to fulfil that obligation; 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 SG to apprise the General Assembly of that information at its 64th sess.; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons". (Adopted 127-30-23, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

## NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-LEGAL ASPECTS

See: NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-ICJ OPINION

# NUCLEAR WEAPONS USE-TREATY (DRAFT) (Agenda item 90e)

See also: NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT-TREATY COMPLIANCE

### Draft resolutions/decisions

 A/C.1/63/L.15 Convention on the Prohibition of the Use of Nuclear Weapons : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Bhutan, Bolivia, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, Cuba, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, El Salvador, Haiti, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jamaica, Jordan, Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Malaysia, Mauritius, Myanmar, Nepal, Nicaragua, Philippines, Samoa, Sudan and Viet Nam. Additional sponsors: Cambodia, Colombia and Fiji (A/63/390).

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

A/C.1/63/PV.10 (16 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

# A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution II in A/63/390 (originally A/C.1/63/L.15) was adopted (121-50-10): resolution 63/75.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/75 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 121-50-10, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-CENTRAL ASIA (Agenda item 89i)

#### **General documents**

**A/63/782** Letter, 24 Mar. 2009, from Uz bekistan. Transmits information entitled "Entry into force of the Treaty on a Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone in Central Asia".

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.37 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Central Asia : draft resolution / Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan.

# **Discussion in the International Security**

Committee (1st Committee) A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008). A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

# NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-CENTRAL ASIA (Agenda item 89i) (continued) Discussion in plenary

#### Discussion in pienary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XXIII in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.37) was adopted (141-3-36): resolution 63/63.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/63 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Central Asia.

Welcomes the ratification of the Treaty on a Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone in Central Asia by Kyrgyzstan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan; notes the readiness of the Central Asian countries to continue consultations with the nuclear-weapon States on a number of provisions of the Treaty; welcomes the convening of an international conference on the problem of uranium tailings, to be held in Bishkek in 2009, and calls upon the specialized agencies of the UN and other stakeholders to participate in that conference. (Adopted 141-3-36, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MIDDLE EAST (Agenda item 86)

See also: NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION-MIDDLE EAST

# Reports

- A/63/115(PartI) Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 July 2008.
- A/63/115(Partl)/Add.1 Establishment of a nuclearweapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 19 Sept. 2008.

A/63/115(PartII) The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Oct. 2008. - Transmits resolution adopted by the General Conference of the IAEA at its 10th plenary meeting, on 4 Oct. 2008.

### General documents

- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.1 Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East : draft resolution / Egypt.

# NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MIDDLE EAST (Agenda item 86) (continued)

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

A/63/386 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.10 (16 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution in A/63/386 (originally A/C.1/63/L.1), as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/38.

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/38** Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East.

Urges all parties directly concerned seriously to consider taking the practical and urgent steps required for the implementation of the proposal to establish a nuclearweapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East and to adhere to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons; calls upon all countries of the region that have not done so to agree to place all their nuclear activities under IAEA safeguards; 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 in order to move towards the establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the Middle East; requests the SG to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. a report on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East". (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-MONGOLIA (Agenda item 89h)

# **Reports**

A/63/122 Mongolia's international security and nuclearweapon-free status : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 July 2008.

#### General documents

A/63/73 (S/2008/297) Identical letters, 30 Apr. 2008, from Mongolia to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Transmits memorandum of 30 Apr. 2008 issued by the Government on Mongolia's promotion of international security and nuclear-weapon-free status.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.28 Mongolia's international security and nuclear-weapon-free status : draft resolution / Kazakhstan, Morocco and Mongolia.

Additional sponsors: France and the United States (A/63/389).

# NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE–MONGOLIA (Agenda item 89h) (continued) Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XVI in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.28) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/56.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/56 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 cooperate with Mongolia in taking measures to consolidate and strengthen Mongolia's independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity; 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; requests SG to report to the General Assembly at its 65th sess. on the implementation of the present resolution; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 65th sess. the item entitled "Mongolia's international security and nuclearweapon-free status". (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE–SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE (Agenda item 89s)

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.40 Nuclear-weapon-free southern hemisphere and adjacent areas : draft resolution / Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Haiti, Indonesia, Mexico, Mongolia, New Zealand, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Peru, South Africa and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Bangladesh, Belize, Cambodia, Fiji, Grenada, Guyana, Honduras, Jamaica, Paraguay, Samoa, Singapore, Thailand, Uruguay and Uzbekistan (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.9 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

# NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE–SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE (Agenda item 89s) (continued) Discussion in plenary

# A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XXVI in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.40), as a whole, was adopted (171-3-7): resolution 63/65.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/65 Nuclear-weapon-free southern hemisphere and adjacent areas.

Welcomes the continued contribution that the Antarctic Treaty and the treaties of Tlatelolco, Rarotonga, Bangkok and Pelindaba are making towards freeing the southern hemisphere and adjacent areas covered by those treaties from nuclear weapons; also welcomes the ratification by all original parties of the Treaty of Rarotonga, and calls upon eligible States to adhere to the Treaty and the protocols thereto; affirms its conviction of the important role of nuclear-weapon-free zones in strengthening the nuclear non-proliferation regime and in extending the areas of the world that are nuclear-weaponfree, and, with particular reference to the responsibilities of the nuclear-weapon States, calls upon all States to support the process of nuclear disarmament and to work for the total elimination of all nuclear weapons; congratulates the States parties and signatories to the treaties of Tlatelolco, Rarotonga, Bangkok and Pelindaba, as well as Mongolia, for their efforts to pursue the common goals envisaged in those treaties and to promote the nuclear-weapon-free status of the southern hemisphere and adjacent areas, and calls upon them to explore and implement further ways and means of cooperation among themselves and their treaty agencies. (Adopted 171-3-7, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

## OAS-UN (Agenda item 114q)

Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

#### OCEANS-LAW OF THE SEA (Agenda item 70)

See also: INTERNATIONAL LAW-REPORTS LAW OF THE SEA STRADDLING FISH STOCKS

#### **General documents**

 A/63/79 Letter, 15 May 2008, from the Co-Chairpersons of the 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. Submits the outcome of the 2nd meeting held in New York, 28 Apr. -2 May 2008, which consists of the joint statement of the Co-Chairpersons of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group; provides a summary of key issues, ideas and proposals raised during the meeting under the various agenda items and some concluding remarks based on the assessment of the discussions. Title corrected by A/63/79/Corr.1.

# OCEANS-LAW OF THE SEA (Agenda item 70) (continued)

A/63/79/Corr.1 Letter, 15 May 2008, from the Co-Chairpersons of the 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 : corrigendum.

Corrects title of document A/63/79.

- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/485** Letter, 13 Oct. 2008, from the United Kingdom. Refers to letter dated 1 July 2008 (A/62/900) from Argentina on the question of the Falkland Islands, South Georgia and the Soutah Sandwich Islands and rejects the claims by Argentina to sovereignty over the Falkland Islands, South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands and their surrounding maritime areas.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.62	(4 Dec.	2008).
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A/63/PV.63 (4 Dec. 2008).

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

### **OIL-FOR-FOOD PROGRAMME**

See: INDEPENDENT INQUIRY COMMITTEE INTO THE UNITED NATIONS OIL-FOR-FOOD PROGRAMME

### ONUB

See: UN OPERATION IN BURUNDI-FINANCING

# OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 54)

## **Reports**

**A/63/71** (E/2008/46) Comprehensive statistical analysis of the financing of operational activities of the United Nations system for 2006 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 7 May 2008.

## OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 54) (continued)

- A/63/201 Trends in contributions to operational activities for development of the United Nations system and measures to promote an adequate, predictable and expanding base of United Nations development assistance : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 31 July 2008.
- A/63/205 Activities of the United Nations Development Fund for Women : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 1 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report on the activities of the UN Development Fund for Women for the period 2004-2007.
- **A/63/207** Implications of aligning the strategic planning cycles of the United Nations funds and programmes with the comprehensive policy review of operational activities for development : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 1 Aug. 2008.

### General documents

- **A/63/85** (E/2008/83) Letter, 11 June 2008, from Mozambique. Transmits summary statement of outcomes of the Maputo Seminar setting forth the findings of the one year experience of the programme pilot countries in Delivering as One and recommendations on the way forward.
- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/741** Letter, 30 Jan. 2009, from Qatar. Refers to letter dated 20 Jan. 2009 from the President of General Assembly and, in the capacity of the President of the High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation, transmits report on consultations regarding General Assembly resolution 63/233, in particular the convening of the High-level UN Conference on South-South Cooperation.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/823** Letter, 13 Mar. 2009, from Kazakhstan. Transmits speech given by the President of Kazakhstan entitled "Through crisis to renovation and prosperity" on 6 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

## OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES-DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 54) (continued)

- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/919** Letter, 6 July 2009, from Qatar. Reports, in the capacity as the President of the UN High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation, that the process of negotiations on draft resolution on the High-level Conference on South-South Cooperation (A/63/L.68) has resulted in an agreement between Member States on the terms and modalities of the Conference.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- A/C.2/63/7 Letter, 5 Nov. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits letter dated 23 Oct. 2008 from the Permanent Representative of Qatar to the UN, Nassir Abdulaziz Al-Nasser, transmitting report of Mr. Al-Nasser, in his capacity as President of the High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation, prepared pursuant to Assembly resolution 62/209 of 19 Dec. 2007.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

- **A/63/L.68** High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation : draft resolution / Sudan [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].
- **A/C.2/63/L.4** Operational activities for development : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group 77 and China].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors in the light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.48 (A/63/419).

A/C.2/63/L.43 High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.63 (A/63/419).

A/C.2/63/L.48 Operational activities for development : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the 2nd Committee, Troy Torrington (Guyana), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.4.

A/C.2/63/L.63 High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Troy Torrington (Guyana), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.43.

## OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 54) (continued)

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

A/63/419 Report of the 2nd Committee.
A/C.2/63/SR.9 (15 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.10 (15 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.19 (28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.29 (25 Nov. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

## **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/419 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/63/L.48) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/232; draft resolution II (A/C.2/63/L.63) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/233.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/232 Operational activities for development. Requests the UNDP and the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of the Secretariat, making use of existing capacities within the Secretariat and, if necessary, voluntary contributions, to take the necessary steps to integrate by 2010 information from the report on UN system technical cooperation expenditures and its statistical addendum into the report on the comprehensive statistical analysis of the financing of operational activities for development of the UN system, to provide appropriate online access to this information and to report to the Economic and Social Council in 2009 on progress in this regard, and encourages the Executive Board of the UNDP/UNFPA to take the necessary decision to make this possible; and reiterates its request to the Secretary-General to take, in full consultation with Member States and observer States, measures: (a) To promote an adequate and expanding base of development assistance from the UN system, taking into account, inter alia, the development priorities of programme countries, (b) To promote an upward trend in real contributions to operational activities for development, to identify obstacles to the achievement of that goal, and to make appropriate recommendations in this regard, (c) To promote the predictability and the multi-year pledging of funding for operational activities for development, (d) To promote an appropriate balance between core and non-core contributions. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES–DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 54) (continued)

A/RES/63/233 High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation.

Requests that the President of the General Assembly entrust the President of the High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation with undertaking, while making use of the existing coordination mechanisms of the UN system, the necessary consultations with Member States in order to prepare for the proposed Highlevel UN Conference on South-South Cooperation, with a view to the Assembly taking a decision, during its 63rd session, on the nature, date, budgetary implications, objectives and modalities of the Conference. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

### ORGANIZATION FOR DEMOCRACY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT–GUAM (Agenda item 13)

## Reports

A/63/950 Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 24 Aug. 2009.

### **General documents**

- **A/63/497** (S/2008/668) Letter, 20 Oct. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits final statement and recommendations of the 9th meeting of the European Union-Azerbaijan Parliamentary Cooperation Committee" held in Brussels, 6-7 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/508** (S/2008/674) Identical letters, 24 Oct. 2008, from Georgia addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statement issued by the Parliament of Georgia, dated 24 Oct. 2008, on facts concerning the alleged violation of the ceasefire agreement by the Russian Federation.
- **A/63/516** (S/2008/683) Letter, 31 Oct. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Reports alleged Armenian armed forces military exercises on 25 Oct. 2008 in the Nagorny Karabakh region and other territories of Azerbaijan.
- **A/63/527** Letter, 6 Nov. 2008, from Armenia. Transmits joint declaration adopted by the Presidents of Armenia, Azerbaijan and the Russian Federation at their meeting in Moscow on 2 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/561 (S/2008/727) Identical letters, 20 Nov. 2008, from Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits the Law of Georgia on the Occupied Territories.
- **A/63/596** Letter, 10 Dec. 2008, from Armenia. Transmits joint declaration of the Foreign Ministers and Deputy Ministers of France, the Russian Federation and the United States on Nagorno-Karabakh, adopted at the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) meeting held in Helsinki, 4 Dec. 2008.

### ORGANIZATION FOR DEMOCRACY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT-GUAM (Agenda item 13) (continued)

- A/63/662 (S/2008/812) Letter, 22 Dec. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits document entitled "Report on the Legal Consequences of Armed Aggression by the Republic of Armenia against the Republic of Azerbaijan"
- **A/63/664** (S/2008/823) Letter, 26 Dec. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits paper entitled "Report on the fundamental norm of the territorial integrity of States and the right to self-determination in the light of Armenia's revisionist claims".
- **A/63/688** (S/2009/48) Identical letters, 23 Jan. 2009, from Georgia addressed to the secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits 4 statements of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs regarding alleged shooting of a Georgian policeman from the occupied territory, shootings near the village of Dvani, Kareli district and attack carried out in the village of Koki, Zugdidi district.
- **A/63/692** (S/2009/51) Letter, 23 Jan. 2009, from Azerbaijan. Transmits paper entitled "Report on the international legal responsibilities of Armenia as the belligerent occupier of Azerbaijani territory".
- **A/63/730** (S/2009/103) Letter, 17 Feb. 2009, from Azerbaijan. Transmits document entitled "Support by States Members of the United Nations and international organizations to Azerbaijan's position on the conflict in and around the Nagorny Karabakh region of Azerbaijan".
- **A/63/733** Letter, 20 Feb. 2009, from Armenia. Transmits statements by the Co-Chairs of the Minsk Group of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe made on 29 Jan. 2009 and 19 Feb. 2009 respectively, concerning the ongoing negotiations on the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict.
- **A/63/750** (S/2009/127) Identical letters, 3 Mar. 2009, from Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statement of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of 27 Feb. 2009 concerning the alleged expulsion of families from Otobaia in the Gali district.
- **A/63/781** (S/2009/156) Letter, 23 Mar. 2009, from Armenia. Transmits text of memorandum entitled "Nagorny Karabakh: peaceful negotiations and Azerbaijan's militaristic policy".
- **A/63/879** Letter, 4 June 2009, from Georgia. Transmits statement by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Georgia concerning the alleged economic activity on the territorial sea and internal waters of Georgia by the Russian Federation.
- **A/63/880** Letter, 9 June 2009, from Armenia. Transmits statement of 5 June 2009 by the Co-Chairs of the Minsk Group of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe concerning the ongoing negotiations on the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict.

## ORGANIZATION FOR DEMOCRACY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT–GUAM (Agenda item 13) (continued)

- **A/63/883** (S/2009/306) Identical letters, 10 June 2009, from Georgia addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statement of 6 June 2009 by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Georgia concerning alleged military activity by the Russian Federation in the Ts khinvali region, Georgia in August 2008.
- **A/63/884** (S/2009/305) Identical letters, 10 June 2009, from Georgia addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits document of 3 June 2009 prepared by the Ministries of Foreign Affairs and Internal Affairs of Georgia concerning alleged violations by the Russian Federation of the sixpoint Ceasefire Agreement of 12 August.
- **A/63/885** (S/2009/308) Identical letters, 11 June 2009, from Georgia addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statement of 9 June 2009 by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Georgia concerning alleged incidents in the village of Perevi, Sachkhere district and the Gali district on 7 and 8 June respectively.
- **A/63/917** (S/2009/343) Letter, 6 July 2009, from Azerbaijan. Transmits press release issued by the Azerbaijani Community of the Nagorno-Karabakh region on 5 June 2009 concerning the activities held by the Congress of the Azerbaijani Community in relation to the Nagorny-Karabakh situation.
- **A/63/932** (S/2009/371) Identical letters, 17 July 2009, from Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits document prepared by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs regarding alleged violations by the Russian Federation of the six-point Ceasefire Agreement of 12 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/936** (S/2009/409) Identical letters, 5 Aug. 2009, from Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits statement by the Parliament of Georgia on the alleged illegal entry of the President of the Russian Federation, Dimitri Medvedev, into the Georgian territory occupied by Russia.
- **A/63/953** Letter, 10 Aug. 2009, from Georgia. Transmits report prepared by the Government on the relationship between Georgia and the Russian Federation from 1989 through 2008.
- **A/63/955** (S/2009/441) Identical letters, 1 Sept. 2009, from Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits document prepared by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Georgia reporting alleged violations of the Ceasefire Agreement of 12 Aug. 2008 by the Russian Federation during July and Aug. 2009.
- A/63/963 (S/2009/457) Letter, 11 Sept. 2009, from Azerbaijan. Reports alleged visits of the President and other diplomats of Armenia to the territories of Azerbaijan early in Sept. 2009.

# ORGANIZATION FOR DEMOCRACY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT-GUAM (Agenda item 13) (continued)

### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/63/L.79 Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : draft resolution / Georgia.
- A/63/L.81 Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsor (A/63/PV.104).

- **A/63/L.82** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.83** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.84** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- A/63/L.85 Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.86** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.87** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.88** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.89** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.90** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.91** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.

## ORGANIZATION FOR DEMOCRACY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT–GUAM (Agenda item 13) (continued)

- **A/63/L.92** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.93** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.94** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- A/63/L.95 Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- A/63/L.96 Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.97** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.
- **A/63/L.98** Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia : amendment to draft resolution A/63/L.79 / Russian Federation.

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsor (A/63/PV.104).

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.104 (9 Sept. 2009).

At the 104th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.79 was adopted 48-19-78: resolution 63/307.

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/307 Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia.

Recognizes the right of return of all internally displaced persons and refugees and their descendants, regardless of ethnicity, to their homes throughout Georgia, including in Abkhazia and South Ossetia; stresses the need to respect the property rights of all internally displaced persons and refugees; reaffirms the unacceptability of forced demographic changes; underlines the urgent need for unimpeded access for humanitarian activities to all internally displaced persons, refugees and other persons residing in all conflict-affected areas throughout Georgia; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th session the item entitled "Protracted conflicts in the GUAM area and their implications for international peace, security and development". (Adopted 48-19-78, 104th plenary meeting, 9 Sept. 2009)

## ORGANIZATION FOR SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE–UN (Agenda item 114p)

Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

# ORGANIZATION FOR THE PROHIBITION OF CHEMICAL WEAPONS-UN (Agenda item 114o)

# **Reports**

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

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- **A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
  - Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. Corrects text.

### General documents

 A/63/155 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 2006, and a draft report for 2007.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.46 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Cambodia, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Samoa, San Marino, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Somalia, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Uruguay and Uzbekistan.

A/63/L.46/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsors: Armenia, Belarus, El Salvador and Jordan

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.46 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/115.

# ORGANIZATION FOR THE PROHIBITION OF CHEMICAL WEAPONS–UN (Agenda item 114o) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/115** Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons.

Takes note of the annual report for 2006 and the draft report for 2007 of the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons submitted on its behalf by its Director-General (A/63/155); welcomes the successful conclusion of the 2nd Special Session of the Conference of the States Parties to Review the Operation of the Chemical Weapons Convention, held in The Hague from 7 to 18 Apr. 2008; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 65th session the sub-item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons". (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### **ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES-UN**

See: OAS-UN

# ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE– UN (Agenda item 114r)

# **Reports**

- A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# General documents

A/63/230 Identical letters, 8 Aug. 2008, from Senegal. Transmits final communiqué of the emergency expanded ministerial meeting of the Executive Committee of the Organization of the Islamic Conference on the latest developments in the Sudan, held in Jeddah on 4 Aug. 2008.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.44 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference : draft resolution / Bosnia and Herzegovina [on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference] and Uganda.
- **A/63/L.44/Add.1** Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Belarus, Guyana and Thailand.

# **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.44 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/114.

# ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE– UN (Agenda item 114r) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/114 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference.

Urges the UN system to cooperate with the Organization of the Islamic Conference in areas of mutual interest; affirms that the UN and the Organization of the Islamic Conference share a common goal of promoting and facilitating the Middle East peace process; requests the UN and the Organization of the Islamic Conference to continue to cooperate in their common search for solutions to global problems; also welcomes the cooperation between the UN Development Programme and the Organization of the Islamic Conference and its specialized and affiliated institutions in promoting South-South cooperation in areas of common interest; urges the UN and other organizations of the UN system 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. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# OSCE-UN

See: ORGANIZATION FOR SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE-UN

# OUTER SPACE-CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES (Agenda item 89w)

See also: ARMS RACE-OUTER SPACE OUTER SPACE-PEACEFUL USES-INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

### **Reports**

A/63/136 Transparency and confidence-building measures in outer space activities : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 16 July 2008.

A/63/136/Add.1 Transparency and confidence-building measures in outer space activities : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 18 Sept. 2008.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.44 Transparency and confidence-building measures in outer space activities : draft resolution / Armenia, Belarus, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Cyprus, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Guatemala, Kazakhstan, Myanmar, New Zealand, Pakistan, Russian Federation, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Viet Nam.

## OUTER SPACE-CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES (Agenda item 89w) (continued)

A/C.1/63/L.44/Rev.1 Transparency and confidencebuilding measures in outer space activities : revised draft resolution / Armenia, Belarus, Chile, China, Costa Rica, Cyprus, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Guatemala, Kazakhstan, Myanmar, New Zealand, Pakistan, Russian Federation, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Viet Nam. Additional sponsors: Austria, Belgium, Brazil,

Bulgaria, Cuba, Denmark, Fiji, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Kyrgyzstan, Luxembourg, Malta, Mongolia, the Netherlands, Nicaragua, Norway, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland (A/63/389).

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

A/C.1/63/PV.12 (20 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XXIX in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.44/Rev.1) was adopted (180-1-1): resolution 63/68.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/68 Transparency and confidence-building measures in outer space activities.

Takes note of the reports of the Secretary-General containing concrete proposals from Member States on international outer space transparency and confidencebuilding measures; invites all Member States to continue to submit to the Secretary-General concrete proposals on international outer space transparency and confidencebuilding measures in the interest of maintaining international peace and security and promoting international cooperation and the prevention of an arms race in outer space. (Adopted 180-1-1, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES– INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item 28)

See also: ARMS RACE-OUTER SPACE

OUTER SPACE-CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES

### **Reports**

A/63/20 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 20) Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space. Issued: 2008.

### **General documents**

A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

# OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES– INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item 28) (continued)

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/63/L.2 International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space : draft resolution / Colombia.

A/C.4/63/L.2/Rev.1 International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space : revised draft resolution / Colombia.

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

**A/63/399** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.8 (14 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.9 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.16 (24 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/399 (originally A/C.4/63/L.2/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/90.

# OUTER SPACE–PEACEFUL USES– INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION (Agenda item 28) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/90 International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space.

Endorses the report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space on the work of its 51st session (A/63/20); endorses the agreement of the Committee, at its 51st session, that the topic for the 2009 symposium, to be organized by the International Astronautical Federation, would be "The role of Earth observation satellites in promoting understanding of and addressing climate change concerns" and that the symposium should be held during the first week of the 46th session of the Subcommittee; agrees that the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee, at its 46th session, should reconvene the Working Group of the Whole; also agrees that the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee, at its 46th session, should reconvene its Working Group on the Use of Nuclear Power Sources in Outer Space and that the Working Group should continue its work on the topics described in the multi-year workplan as agreed by the Subcommittee at its 44th session and the Committee at its 50th session: endorses the UN Programme on Space Applications for 2009, as proposed to the Committee by the Expert on Space Applications and endorsed by the Committee; endorses the decision of the Committee to grant permanent observer status to the European Organisation for Astronomical Research in the Southern Hemisphere, the European Telecommunications Satellite Organization, the International Institute of Space Law, the Prince Sultan Bin Abdulaziz International Prize for Water and the Secure World Foundation. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# PACIFIC ISLANDS FORUM–UN (Agenda item 114s)

# Reports

A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

### **General documents**

A/63/78 (S/2008/194) Note verbale, 6 Feb. 2008, from Tonga. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Pacific Islands Forum, communiqué issued at the conclusion of the 38th Pacific Islands Forum, held in Nuku'alofa, Tonga 16-17 Oct. 2007; includes 2 enclosures containing the Vava'u decisions on the Pacific Plan and the Vava'u Declaration on Pacific Fisheries Resources.

A/63/498 Letter, 21 Oct. 2008, from New Zealand. Transmits, in his capacity as Chair of the group of Pacific Islands Forum countries represented in New York, communiqué of the 39th meeting of Pacific Islands Forum leaders, which was held in Niue in August 2008.

# PACIFIC ISLANDS FORUM–UN (Agenda item 114s) (continued)

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.56 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Pacific Islands Forum : draft resolution / Australia, Canada, Czech Republic, Finland, Italy, Micronesia (Federated States of), New Zealand, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Turkey and Tuvalu.

A/63/L.56/Add.1 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Pacific Islands Forum : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Bosnia and Herzegovina, Egypt, Fiji, France, Guyana, Ireland, Israel, Japan, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Portugal, Samoa, Slovenia, Switzerland, Thailand, United States of America, Vanuatu and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.56 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/200.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/200 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Pacific Islands Forum.

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General (A/63/228-S/2008/531 and Corr.1) in particular paras. 90 to 97 on cooperation between the UN and the Pacific Islands Forum; invites the Secretary-General of the UN to take the necessary measures to promote and expand cooperation and coordination between the two secretariats in order to increase the capacity of the organizations to attain their common objectives; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 65th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 16)

See also: SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-

NATURAL RESOURCES

UNRWA-ACTIVITIES

### **Reports**

A/63/35 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 35) Report of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People. Issued: 2008.

A/63/368 (S/2008/612) Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.

# PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 16) (continued)

A/63/855 (S/2009/250) Letter, 4 May 2009, from the Secretary-General. Transmits summary of the report of the UN Headquarters Board of Inquiry into certain incidents in the Gaza Strip between 27 Dec. 2008 and 19 Jan. 2009.

### General documents

- **A/63/123** Letter, 8 July 2008, from Italy. Transmits, on behalf of the Presidency of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, resolutions adopted at the 118th Assembly of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held in Cape Town, South Africa, 18 Apr. 2008.
- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- A/63/571 (S/2008/735) Letter, 24 Nov. 2008, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, communiqué on the situation in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, adopted by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on 20 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/572** (S/2008/736) Letter, 24 Nov. 2008, from the Syrian Arab Republic. Transmits letter of the same date from the Minister for Foreign Affairs regarding the severe humanitarian situation in Gaza.
- **A/63/672** (S/2009/7) Letter, 5 Jan. 2009, from Qatar. Transmits statement of the Emir of Qatar, in connection with the Israeli military action against Gaza.
- A/63/673 (S/2009/13) Letter, 29 Dec. 2008, from Cuba. Transmits, in his capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on Israel's military activity against the Gaza Strip in the Occupied Palestinian Territory.
- **A/63/676** Letter, 5 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the escalation of the Israeli military aggression against the Gaza Strip in the Occupied Palestinian Territory.
- **A/63/678** Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the escalation of the Israeli military activity in the Gaza Strip.
- **A/63/679** (S/2009/36) Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in his capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the non-compliance by Israel with Security Council resolution 1860 (2009) and the escalation of military aggression against the Gaza Strip.

# PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 16) (continued)

- **A/63/691** (S/2009/50) Identical letters, 23 Jan. 2009, from Qatar addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Transmits letter addressed to the President of the Security Council in connection with the Israeli military action against Gaza.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/705** (S/2009/73) Letter, 4 Feb. 2009, from Egypt. Refers to letter dated 22 Jan. 2009 and transmits letter from the President of the Egyptian Red Crescent Society regarding Egypt's efforts to alleviate the humanitarian situation in the Gaza Strip.
- **A/63/718** (S/2009/95) Letter, 5 Feb. 2009, from Pakistan. Transmits text of resolution adopted by the Senate of Pakistan on 23 Jan. 2009 concerning the situation in the Gaza Strip arising from Israeli military attacks.
- **A/63/748** (S/2009/123) Letter, 3 Mar. 2009, from Egypt addressed to the Secretary-General. Transmits Conclusions by the Chair of the International Conference in Support of the Palestinian Economy for the Reconstruction of Gaza, held in Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt, 2 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/861** (S/2009/265) Letter, 19 May 2009, from the Chairman of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People. Transmits statement adopted on 19 May 2009 at the 316th meeting of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People on the situation in the Occupied East Jerusalem.
- **A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 16) (continued)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.32 Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belarus, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen, Zimbabwe and Palestine.
- A/63/L.32/Add.1 Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People : draft resolution: addendum. Additional sponsor: Nigeria.
- A/63/L.33 Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belarus, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen, Zimbabwe and Palestine.
- A/63/L.33/Add.1 Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsor: Nigeria.
- A/63/L.34 Special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belarus, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen, Zimbabwe and Palestine.
- A/63/L.34/Add.1 Special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat : draft resolution : addendum.

#### Additional sponsor: Nigeria

A/63/L.35 Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belarus, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Guinea, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen, Zimbabwe and Palestine.

A/63/L.35/Add.1 Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsor: Nigeria

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.57 (24 Nov. 2008).

## PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 16) (continued)

A/63/PV.58 (25 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.60 (26 Nov. 2008).

At the 60th meeting, actions on draft resolutions was as follows: draft resolution A/63/L.32, adopted (107-8-57): resolution 63/26; draft resolution A/63/L.33, adopted (106-8-57): resolution 63/27; draft resolution A/63/L.34, adopted (162-8-4): resolution 63/28; draft resolution A/63/L.35, adopted (164-7-3): resolution 63/29.

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/26** Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.

Requests the Committee to continue to exert all efforts to promote the realization of the inalienable rights of the Palestinian people, including their right to selfdetermination, to support the Middle East peace process and to mobilize international support for and assistance to the Palestinian people, and authorizes the Committee to make such adjustments in its approved programme of work as it may consider appropriate and necessary in the light of developments and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 64th session and thereafter; further requests the Committee to continue to extend its cooperation and support to Palestinian and other civil society organizations and to continue to involve additional civil society organizations in its work in order to mobilize international solidarity and support for the Palestinian people, particularly during this critical period of humanitarian hardship and financial crisis, with the overall aim of promoting the achievement by the Palestinian people of its inalienable rights and a peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine; requests the UN Conciliation Commission for Palestine, established under General Assembly resolution 194 (III), and other UN bodies associated with the question of Palestine to continue to cooperate fully with the Committee and to make available to it, at its request, the relevant information and documentation which they have at their disposal; requests the Secretary-General to circulate the report of the Committee to all the competent bodies of the United Nations, and urges them to take the necessary action, as appropriate. (Adopted 107-8-57, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

# PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 16) (continued)

# A/RES/63/27 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 relevant earlier resolutions; 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 and in covering adequately the various aspects of the question of Palestine; invites all Governments and organizations to extend their cooperation to the Division in the performance of its tasks; requests the Division, as part of the observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People on 29 Nov., to continue to organize, under the guidance of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, 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 106-8-57, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

A/RES/63/28 Special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat.

Considers that the special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department is very useful in raising the awareness of the international community concerning the question of Palestine and the situation in the Middle East and that the programme is contributing effectively to an atmosphere conducive to dialogue and supportive of the peace process; requests the Department, in full cooperation and coordination with the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People, to continue, with the necessary flexibility as may be required by developments affecting the question of Palestine, its special information programme for the biennium 2009-2010; encourages the Department to formulate ways for the media and representatives of civil society to engage in an open and positive discussion on means for encouraging people-topeople dialogue and promoting peace and mutual understanding in the region. (Adopted 162-8-4, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

# PALESTINE QUESTION (Agenda item 16) (continued)

# **A/RES/63/29** Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine.

Stresses the need for a speedy end to the reoccupation of Palestinian population centres by easing movement and access and the need for an immediate and complete cessation of all acts of violence; demands that Israel comply with its legal obligations under international law that it immediately cease its construction of the wall in the Occupied Palestinian Territory; reiterates its demand for the complete cessation of all Israeli settlement activities in the Occupied Palestinian Territory; stresses the need for: (a) the withdrawal of Israel from the Palestinian territory occupied since 1967, including East Jerusalem; (b) the realization of the inalienable rights of the Palestinian people; stresses the need for justly resolving the problem of Palestine refugees in conformity with its resolution 194 (III) of 11 December 1948: urges Member States to expedite the provision of economic, humanitarian and technical assistance to the Palestinian people; requests SG to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. a report on these efforts and on developments on this matter. (Adopted 164-7-3, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

# PALESTINE REFUGEES

See: UNRWA-ACCOUNTS UNRWA-ACTIVITIES

### PALESTINIANS-ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65c)

See also: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE REFUGEES

# **Reports**

A/63/75 (E/2008/52) Assistance to Palestinian people : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 7 May 2008.

### **General documents**

- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/705** (S/2009/73) Letter, 4 Feb. 2009, from Egypt. Refers to letter dated 22 Jan. 2009 and transmits letter from the President of the Egyptian Red Crescent Society regarding Egypt's efforts to alleviate the humanitarian situation in the Gaza Strip.
- **A/63/748** (S/2009/123) Letter, 3 Mar. 2009, from Egypt addressed to the Secretary-General. Transmits Conclusions by the Chair of the International Conference in Support of the Palestinian Economy for the Reconstruction of Gaza, held in Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt, 2 Mar. 2009.

# PALESTINIANS-ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65c) (continued)

**A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

## **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.50 Assistance to the Palestinian people : draft resolution / Albania, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.
- A/63/L.50/Add.1 Assistance to the Palestinian people : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Belarus, Iceland, Namibia and Republic of Korea.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.43 (10 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.44 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.45 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.68 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 68th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.50 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/140.

# PALESTINIANS-ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 65c) (continued) Resolutions

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/140 Assistance to the Palestinian people. Stresses the importance of the work of the UN Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process and Personal Representative of the Secretary-General to the Palestine Liberation Organization and the Palestinian Authority and of the steps taken under the auspices of the Secretary-General to ensure the achievement of a coordinated mechanism for UN activities throughout the occupied territories; urges Member States, international financial institutions of the UN system, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations and regional and interregional organizations to extend, as rapidly and as generously as possible, economic and social assistance to the Palestinian people, in close cooperation with the Palestine Liberation Organization and through official Palestinian institutions; calls upon the international community to provide urgently needed assistance and services in an effort to alleviate the dire humanitarian situation being faced by Palestinian women, children and their families and to help in the reconstruction of relevant Palestinian institutions; 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; urges the international donor community, UN agencies and organizations and non-governmental organizations to extend to the Palestinian people, as rapidly as possible, emergency economic assistance and humanitarian assistance, particularly in the Gaza Strip, to counter the impact of the current crisis. (Adopted without vote, 68th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

### PATTERN OF CONFERENCES

See: UN-CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2008-2009)

## PEACE (Agenda item 45)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/127** International Decade for a Culture of Peace and Non-Violence for the Children of the World, 2001-2010 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 July 2008. - Transmits the report of the Director-General of Unesco, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 62/89 of 17 Dec. 2007.

A/63/262 Interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/499** Letter, 22 Oct. 2008, from Saudi Arabia. Transmits revised text of the Declaration of the Conference on Interfaith Dialogue convened in Madrid from 16 to 18 July 2008.

#### **General documents**

A/63/311 Letter, 13 August 2008, from Saudi Arabia. Transmits Declaration issued by the World Conference on Dialogue, convened in Madrid from 16 to 18 July 2008.

## PEACE (Agenda item 45) (continued)

- **A/63/336** Letter, 2 May 2008, from the Secretary-General. Transmits the annual report of the Alliance of Civilizations covering the period between May 2007 and April 2008.
- **A/63/504** Note verbale, 22 Oct. 2008, from Philippines. Transmits Ministerial Statement adopted at the 3rd Ministerial Meeting on Interfaith Dialogue and Cooperation for Peace, held in New York, 25 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/512** (S/2008/677) Letter, 28 Oct. 2008, from Kazakhstan. Transmits Astana Declaration adopted by the participants of the ministerial conference on "Common world: progress through diversity", held in Kazakhstan on 17 October 2008.
- **A/63/555** Letter, 14 Nov. 2008, from Bahrain. Transmits text of statement of H.M. King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, King of the Kingdom of Bahrain on the occasion of the high-level meeting on the culture of peace, held 12 and 13 November 2008.
- **A/63/564** Letter, 20 Nov. 2008, from Ukraine. Transmits address from the President to Ukrainians throughout the world and the International community and a resolution by the European Parliament on the commemoration of the 75th anniversary of the Holodomor of 1932-1933.
- A/63/790 Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/835 Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/914** Letter, 23 June 2009, from the Secretary-General. Transmits the 2nd annual report of the Alliance of Civilizations covering the period between May 2008 and April 2009.
- **A/63/918** (S/2009/341) Letter, 6 July 2009, from Kazakhstan. Transmits texts of appeal by the participants of the 3rd Congress of Leaders of World and Traditional Religions, adopted on 2 July 2009 in Astana, Kazakhstan.

# PEACE (Agenda item 45) (continued)

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/63/L.23 International Decade for a Culture of Peace and Non-Violence for the Children of the World, 2001-2010 : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Belize, Benin, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, Burundi, Cambodia, Central African Republic, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Ecuador, Ethiopia, Gabon, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea, Honduras, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Malaysia, Maldives, Mali, Mauritius, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Pakistan, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Qatar, Russian Federation, Samoa, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Sri Lanka, Syrian Arab Republic, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Uzbekistan, Viet Nam and Yemen.
- **A/63/L.23/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: Afghanistan, Angola, Bahrain, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Chad, Comoros, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Egypt, El Salvador, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Fiji, Gambia, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, India, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritania, Mexico, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, Mozambique, Myanmar, Namibia, Nepal, Oman, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Seychelles, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Somalia, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Tajikistan, Thailand, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Vanuatu, Zambia and Zimbabwe.
- A/63/L.24 Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace : draft resolution / Angola, Argentina, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belize, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Comoros, Congo, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Eritrea, Fiji, Gabon, Gambia, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, Myanmar, Nepal, Nicaragua, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Qatar, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Uzbekistan, Vanuatu and Yemen.

### PEACE (Agenda item 45) (continued)

- A/63/L.24/Rev.1 Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace : revised draft resolution / Angola, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belize, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cambodia, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Comoros, Congo, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Eritrea, Fiji, Gabon, Gambia, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, Myanmar, Nepal, Nicaragua, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Qatar, Russian Federation, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Uzbekistan, Vanuatu and Yemen.
- A/63/L.24/Rev.1/Add.1 Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, China, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Ethiopia, Grenada, Honduras, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Japan, Mali, Paraguay, Peru, Saudi Arabia, Seychelles, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia and United Arab Emirates.

- A/63/L.55 Supporting the United Nations International School in enhancing international education and promoting multicultural interaction : draft resolution/ submitted by Albania, Australia, Belize, Egypt, Finland, Israel, Morocco, Oman, Singapore and Spain.
- A/63/L.55/Add.1 Supporting the United Nations International School in enhancing international education and promoting multicultural interaction : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Denmark, France, Iceland, Jordan, Kuwait, Luxembourg, Maldives, Netherlands, Panama, Qatar, Slovenia, Sweden and Thailand.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

- A/63/PV.46 (12 Nov. 2008).
- A/63/PV.47 (12 Nov. 2008).
- A/63/PV.48 (13 Nov. 2008).
- A/63/PV.49 (13 Nov. 2008).
- A/63/PV.50 (13 Nov. 2008).

At the 50th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.24/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution: 63/22.

## A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.23 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/113.

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 71st meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.55 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/198.

# PEACE (Agenda item 45) (continued) <u>Resolutions</u>

A/RES/63/22 Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace.

Affirms that mutual understanding and interreligious dialogue constitute important dimensions of the dialogue among civilizations and of the culture of peace; 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 in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations, the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and other instruments relating to human rights and international law, the universal nature of these rights and freedoms being beyond question; requests the Office for Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination in the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of the Secretariat, as the focal point for interreligious, intercultural and intercivilizational matters, to coordinate with the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization in facilitating consideration of the possibility of proclaiming a United Nations decade for interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace. (Adopted without vote, 50th plenary meeting, 13 Nov. 2008)

**A/RES/63/113** 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; commends the UNESCO for recognizing the promotion of a culture of peace as the expression of its fundamental mandate; encourages the Peacebuilding Commission to promote a culture of peace and nonviolence for children in its activities; encourages the involvement of the mass media in education for a culture of peace and non-violence; invites Member States to observe 21 September each year as the International Day of Peace, as a day of global ceasefire and non-violence; requests the Secretary-General to explore enhancing mechanisms for the implementation of the Declaration and Programme of Action; also requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th session a report on the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### PEACE (Agenda item 45) (continued)

**A/RES/63/198** Supporting the United Nations International School in enhancing international education and promoting multicultural interaction.

Congratulates the United Nations International School on its 60th Anniversary; expresses its appreciation for the outstanding achievements of the School and for the valuable contribution it continues to make to the education and development of successive generations of children from the UN community; notes that the School is implementing a renovation programme to update and improve its facilities; urges Member States and others in a position to do so to contribute generously to the capital development fund of the School for the renovation programme, with a view to further enhancing international education and promoting multicultural interaction; and requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide to the School such assistance as appropriate in furtherance of its object and purposes. (Adopted without vote, 71st plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# PEACE-CONVENTIONAL DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 89e)

See also: CONFIDENCE -BUILDING MEASURES-CONVENTIONAL ARMS

# **Reports**

**A/63/261** Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures : assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and light weapons and collecting them : the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.36 Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Angola, Argentina, Australia, Austria. Bangladesh, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Chad, Chile, Comoros, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Hungary, Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Romania, Russian Federation, Senegal, Serbia, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, Uzbekistan and Vanuatu.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Belarus, Brazil, Cambodia, Ecuador, Fiji, Grenada, Honduras, Iceland, India, Japan, Kyrgyzstan, Malta, Mongolia, Republic of Moldova, San Marino and Togo (A/63/389).

### PEACE-CONVENTIONAL DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 89e) (continued)

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.14 (21 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

# **Discussion in plenary**

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XXII in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.36) was adopted (182-0-0): resolution 63/62.

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/62** Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures.

Stresses the particular relevance of the "Guidelines on conventional arms control/limitation and disarmament, with particular emphasis on consolidation of peace in the context of General Assembly resolution 51/45 N", adopted by the Disarmament Commission by consensus at its 1999 substantive session; emphasizes the importance of including in UN-mandated peacekeeping missions, as appropriate and with the consent of the host State, practical disarmament measures aimed at addressing the problem of the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in conjunction with disarmament, demobilization and reintegration programmes aimed at former combatants, with a view to promoting an integrated comprehensive and effective weapons management strategy that would contribute to a sustainable peacebuilding process; welcomes the synergies within the multi-stakeholder process, including Governments, the UN system, regional and subregional organizations and institutions as well as non-governmental organizations in support of practical disarmament measures and the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects. (Adopted 182-0-0, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRE-AFRICA (Agenda item 90h)

See also: DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (12TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1982)-FOLLOW-UP

#### <u>Reports</u>

**A/63/163** United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 July 2008.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.50 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa : draft resolution / Nigeria [on behalf of the Group of African States].

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

# PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRE–AFRICA (Agenda item 90h) (continued)

A/C.1/63/L.50/Rev.1 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa : revised draft resolution / Nigeria [on behalf of the Group of African States].

Additional sponsors: Bosnia and Herzegovina (A/63/390).

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

A/63/390 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.18 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

# **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution VII in A/63/390 (originally A/C.1/63/L.50/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/80.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/80 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa.

Notes the implementation of the recommendations of the Consultative Mechanism for the Reorganization of the United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa to fund the Centre's operating costs and three new posts from the regular budget of the Organization: urges all States, as well as international governmental and non governmental organizations and foundations, to make voluntary contributions to strengthen the programmes and activities of the Regional Centre and facilitate their implementation; requests the Secretary-General to facilitate closer cooperation between the Regional Centre and the African Union, in particular in the areas of peace, security and development; also requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide the necessary support to the Regional Centre for greater achievements and results. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRE-ASIA AND THE PACIFIC (Agenda item 90f)

See also: DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (12TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1982)-FOLLOW-UP PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRES

### Reports

A/63/178 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 July 2008.

# PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRE-ASIA AND THE PACIFIC (Agenda item 90f) (continued)

# General documents

**A/63/82** (S/2008/360) Letter, 29 May 2008, from Angola. Transmits, on behalf of the Chairman of the Committee, report of the 27th session of the Ministerial Meeting of the UN Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa, held from 13 to 15 May 2008 in Luanda, Angola.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.42 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Micronesia (Federated States of), Mongolia, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, and Viet Nam.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Australia, China, Fiji, Japan, the Maldives, Myanmar, Nauru, New Zealand and Thailand (A/63/390).

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

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/390 (originally A/C.1/63/L.42) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/77.

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/77** United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific.

Welcomes the relocation of the Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific from New York to Kathmandu and its coming into operation on 18 Aug. 2008; appeals to Member States, in particular those within the Asia-Pacific region, as well as to international governmental and non-governmental organizations and foundations, to make voluntary contributions, the only resources of the Regional Centre, to strengthen the programme of activities of the Centre and the implementation thereof; requests the Secretary-General to provide from the regular budget, starting in the biennium 2010-2011, the necessary support to ensure the sustainability of the core activities and operations of the Regional Centre, in order to enable it to carry out its programme of activities in accordance with its mandate; also requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide the necessary support to the Regional Centre for greater achievements and results, within existing resources, until the regular budget is approved; reaffirms its strong support for the role of the Regional Centre in the promotion of UN activities at the regional level to strengthen peace, stability and security among its Member States. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRE-LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN (Agenda item 90c)

See also: DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (12TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1982)-FOLLOW-UP

# **Reports**

A/63/157 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace, Disarmament and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 July 2008.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.13 United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean : draft resolution / Peru [on behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States].

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

A/63/390 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/390 (originally A/C.1/63/L.13) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/74.

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/74 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 in the promotion of UN activities at the regional level to strengthen peace, stability, security and development among its member States; requests the Secretary-General to provide from the regular budget, starting in the biennium 2010-2011, the necessary support to ensure the sustainability of the core activities and operations of the Regional Centre; appeals to Member States, in particular those within the Latin American and Caribbean region, and 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; encourages the Regional Centre to further develop activities in all countries of the region in the important area of disarmament and development. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### PEACE–REGIONAL CENTRES (Agenda item 90d)

See also: DISARMAMENT–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (12TH SPECIAL SESS. : 1982)–FOLLOW-UP

PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRE-AFRICA PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRE-ASIA AND THE

PACIFIC PEACE-REGIONAL CENTRE-LATIN AMERICA

AND THE CARIBBEAN

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.24 United Nations regional centres for peace and disarmament : draft resolution / Indonesia [on behalf of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries]. Additional sponsor: Fiji (A/63/390).

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

A/63/390 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.16 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution III in A/63/390 (originally A/C.1/63/L.24) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/76.

## **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/76 United Nations regional centres for peace and disarmament.

Reiterates the importance of the UN activities at the regional level to advancement in disarmament and to increase the stability and security of its Member States, which could be promoted in a substantive manner by the maintenance and revitalization of the three regional centres for peace and disarmament; appeals to Member States in each region and those that are able to do so, as well as to international governmental and nongovernmental organizations and foundations, to make voluntary contributions to the regional centres in their respective regions to strengthen their activities and initiatives; emphasizes the importance of the activities of the regional disarmament branch of the Office for Disarmament Affairs of the Secretariat; requests the Secretary-General to provide all necessary support, within existing resources, to the regional centres in carrying out their programmes of activities. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS (Agenda item 31)

See also: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-CRIMINAL

LIABILITY

PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-FINANCING UN. PEACEBUILDING COMMISSION-REPORTS UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-ACCOUNTS

### Reports

 A/63/19 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 19) Report of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group, 2009 substantive session (23 February-20 March 2009). Issued: 2009.

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A/63/615 Implementation of the recommendations of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

A/63/615/Add.1 Implementation of the recommendations of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

A/63/630 Report of the Panel of Experts on the Standing Police Capacity's 1st year of operation : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 19 Dec. 2008.

A/63/702 Strengthening the capacity of the United Nations to manage and sustain peacekeeping operations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 Feb. 2009.

A/63/702/Corr.1 Strengthening the capacity of the United Nations to manage and sustain peacekeeping operations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 18 Mar. 2009. - Corrects text.

# **General documents**

- A/63/666 (S/2008/813) Identical letters, 24 Dec. 2008, from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Refers to Security Council resolution 1809 (2008) concerning the cooperation of the UN with regional organizations and transmits report of the African Union-UN panel on modalities for support to African Union peacekeeping operations.
- **A/63/722** Letter, 9 Feb 2009, from Australia and Uruguay. Transmits summary of the discussions of the Workshop on the implementation of protection of civilians mandates in UN peacekeeping operations, co-hosted by the Permanent Missions of Australia and Uruguay, held on 27 Jan. 2009 in New York.
- A/63/729 Summary report of the 2008 Parliamentary Hearing (United Nations Headquarters, 20 and 21 November 2008) : note / by the President of the General Assembly.
- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS (Agenda item 31) (continued)

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.16 Sixtieth anniversary of United Nations peacekeeping : draft resolution / Albania, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, China, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement], Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Uruguay.

A/63/L.16/Add.1 Sixtieth anniversary of United Nations peacekeeping : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsors: Belarus, Israel, Malta, Monaco,

Paraguay, Russian Federation and Serbia. A/C.4/63/L.20 Comprehensive review of the whole

question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects : draft resolution / Argentina, Canada, Egypt, Japan, Nigeria and Poland.

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

**A/63/402** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

- A/63/402/Add.1 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).
- A/C.4/63/SR.15 (23 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.16 (24 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.17 (27 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.18 (28 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.25 (4 May 2009).

# Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.41 (7 Nov. 2008).

At the 41st meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.16 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/16.

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 4th Committee (A/63/402): decision 63/523.

A/63/PV.82 (8 May 2009).

At the 82nd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/402/Add.1 (originally A/C.4/63/L.20) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/280.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS (Agenda item 31) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/16** Sixtieth anniversary of United Nations peacekeeping.

Adopts the Declaration on the Occasion of the Sixtieth Anniversary of United Nations Peacekeeping. (Adopted without vote, 41st plenary meeting, 7 Nov. 2008)

A/RES/63/280 Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects.

Reiterates that those Member States that become personnel contributors to the United Nations peacekeeping operations in years to come or participate in the future in the Special Committee for three consecutive years as observers shall, upon request in writing to the Chairman of the Special Committee, become members at the following session of the Special Committee; 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 United Nations to fulfil its responsibilities in this field. (Adopted without vote, 82nd plenary meeting, 8 May 2009)

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-CRIMINAL LIABILITY (Agenda item 73)

### **Reports**

**A/60/980** Ensuring the accountability of United Nations staff and experts on mission with respect to criminal acts committed in peacekeeping operations : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 16 Aug. 2006. - Transmits report of the Group of Legal Experts on Ensuring the Accountability of United Nations Staff and Experts on Mission with Respect to Criminal Acts Committed in Peacekeeping Operations, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 59/300.

A/63/54 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 54) Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on Criminal Accountability of United Nations Officials and Experts on Mission, 2nd session (7-9 and 11 April 2008). Issued: 2008.

**A/63/260** Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

A/63/260/Add.1 Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 26 Sept. 2008.

**General documents** 

**A/62/329** Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission : note / by the Secretariat.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-CRIMINAL LIABILITY (Agenda item 73) (continued)

A/C.6/63/WG.1/DP.1 Proposal concerning the revised informal working paper on international cooperation prepared by the Chairperson (A/C.6/63/WG.1/WP.1) / by the Russian Federation.

A/C.6/63/WG.1/WP.1 Revised informal working paper on international cooperation / prepared by the Chairperson for the consideration of the Working Group [of the 6th Committee on Criminal Accountability of United Nations Officials and Experts on Mission].

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.6/63/L.10 Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission : draft resolution.

### Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/437 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.5 (10 Oct. 2008).

- A/C.6/63/SR.14 (24 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.6/63/SR.19 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/437 (originally A/C.6/63/L.10) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/119.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–CRIMINAL LIABILITY (Agenda item 73) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/119 Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission.

Strongly urges States to take all appropriate measures to ensure that crimes by UN officials and experts on mission do not go unpunished and that the perpetrators of such crimes are brought to justice, without prejudice to the privileges and immunities of such persons and the UN under international law; requests the Secretariat to continue to ensure that requests to Member States seeking personnel to serve as experts on mission make States aware of the expectation that persons who serve in that capacity should meet high standards in their conduct and behaviour and are aware that certain conduct may amount to a crime for which they may be held accountable: decides that the consideration of the report of the Group of Legal Experts, in particular its legal aspects, taking into account the views of Member States and the information contained in the note by the Secretariat, shall be continued during its 64th session in the framework of a working group of the 6th Committee; requests the Secretary-General to bring credible allegations that reveal that a crime may have been committed by UN officials and experts on mission to the attention of the States against whose nationals such allegations are made; urges the UN to continue cooperating with States exercising jurisdiction in order to provide them, within the framework of the relevant rules of international law and agreements governing activities of the UN, with information and material for purposes of criminal proceedings initiated by States. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING (Agenda item 132)

- See also: AFRICAN UNION MISSION IN SOMALIA-FINANCING
  - AFRICAN UNION-UN HYBRID OPERATION IN DARFUR-FINANCING
  - PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-MIDDLE EAST-FINANCING
  - UN-FINANCIAL REPORTS
  - UN. PEACEBUILDING FUND
  - UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE-FINANCING
  - UN INTEGRATED MISSION IN TIMOR-LESTE-FINANCING
  - UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN KOSOVO-FINANCING
  - UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON-FINANCING
  - UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN WESTERN SAHARA-FINANCING
  - UN MISSION IN EAST TIMOR-FINANCING
  - UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA-FINANCING
  - UN MISSION IN LIBERIA-FINANCING
  - UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE-FINANCING
  - UN MISSION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC AND CHAD-FINANCING
  - UN MISSION IN THE SUDAN-FINANCING
  - UN OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA-FINANCING
  - UN OPERATION IN BURUNDI-FINANCING
  - UN OPERATION IN COTE D'IVOIRE-FINANCING
  - UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO-FINANCING
  - UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS-FINANCING
  - UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-ACCOUNTS
  - UN STABILIZATION MISSION IN HAITI-
    - FINANCING

# **Reports**

- A/63/5(Vol.II) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5) Financial report and audited financial statements for the 12-month period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 2, United Nations peacekeeping operations. Issued: 2009.
- A/63/302(PartII) Peacekeeping operations : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services. Issued: 23 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/487 Information and communications technology : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 16 Oct. 2008.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING (Agenda item 132) (continued)

- A/63/487/Corr.1 Information and communications technology : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum. Issued: 24 Oct. 2008. - Corrects text.
- A/63/487/Corr.2 Information and communications technology : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum. Issued: 12 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.
- A/63/496 First progress report on the adoption of International Public Sector Accounting Standards by the United Nations : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 21 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/550 Comprehensive review of the compensation of death and disability benefits to military contingents, formed police units, military observers and civilian police : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 17 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/581 Updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions as at 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 Dec. 2008.

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A/63/626 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

A/63/668 Audit of the use of extraordinary measures for the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services : "The extraordinary measures were not effective in facilitating the deployment of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur and exposed the United Nations to high financial and reputation risks".

Issued: 2 Jan. 2009.

A/63/668/Add.1 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the use of extraordinary measures for the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 30 Jan. 2009.

A/63/675 Welfare and recreation needs of all categories of personnel and detailed implications : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 13 Jan. 2009.

A/63/675/Corr.1 Welfare and recreation needs of all categories of personnel and detailed implications : report of the Secretary-General: corrigendum. Issued: 22 Apr. 2009. - Corrects text.

 A/63/680 Report on the progress of training in peacekeeping : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 Jan. 2009. - Submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 60/266.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING (Agenda item 132) (continued)

- **A/63/696** Overview of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations : budget performance for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 30 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/697** Updated report on the review of the methodology for rates of reimbursement to troop-contributing countries : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 30 Jan. 2009.
- A/63/698 Performance report on the budget of the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 Feb. 2009.

- A/63/698/Add.1 Performance report on the budget of the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 2 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/702 Strengthening the capacity of the United Nations to manage and sustain peacekeeping operations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 Feb. 2009

A/63/702/Corr.1 Strengthening the capacity of the United Nations to manage and sustain peacekeeping operations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 18 Mar. 2009. - Corrects text.

**A/63/703** Budget for the Office of Internal Oversight Services under the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Independent Audit Advisory Committee.

Issued: 3 Feb. 2009.

**A/63/720** Special measures for protection from sexual exploitation and sexual abuse : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Feb. 2009.

**A/63/743** Information and communications technology, disaster recovery and business continuity for the United Nations : arrangements for the secondary data centre at Headquarters : revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under Section 28D and Section 36 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Feb. 2009.

**A/63/746** Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations and report of the Board of Auditors : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 29 Apr. 2009.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING (Agenda item 132) (continued)

- A/63/746/Add.1 Final performance report of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 2 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/746/Add.2** Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 22 Apr. 2009.

- A/63/746/Add.3 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 23 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.4 Proposed budget of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 24 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.5 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 24 Apr. 2009.

- A/63/746/Add.6 Financial performance report of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget of the United Nations mission for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 14 May 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.7 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 15 May 2009.

**A/63/746/Add.8** Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Mission in Liberia : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 15 May 2009.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING (Agenda item 132) (continued)

- A/63/746/Add.9 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 15 May 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.10 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 19 May 2009.

A/63/746/Add.11 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon : report

- of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 22 May 2009.
- **A/63/746/Add.12** Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 26 May 2009.

- A/63/746/Add.13 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 29 May 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.14 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 1 June 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.15 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara: report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 1 June 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.16 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 1 June 2009.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING (Agenda item 132) (continued)

A/63/746/Add.17 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 3 June 2009.

 A/63/767 Budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 16 Mar. 2009.

A/63/767/Corr.1 Budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 30 Apr. 2009. - Corrects text and replace Annex III.

**A/63/774** Information and communications technology security, disaster recovery and business continuity for the United Nations : arrangements for the secondary data centre at Headquarters : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 Mar. 2009.

A/63/784 Implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors concerning United Nations peacekeeping operations for the financial period ended 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 25 Mar. 2009.

A/63/824 Budget for the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy, for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 Apr. 2009.

A/63/824/Corr.1 Budget for the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy, for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 3 June 2009. - Corrects text.

A/63/837 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the Secretariat's structure for managing and sustaining peacekeeping operations. Issued: 28 Apr. 2009.

**A/63/841** Strengthening the capacity of the United Nations to manage and sustain peacekeeping operations, performance report on the budget of the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 1 May 2009.

A/63/856 Updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions as at 30 June 2008 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 May 2009.

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING (Agenda item 132) (continued) General documents

### **A/63/830** Letter, 9 Apr. 2009, from Philippines. Transmits letter dated 7 Apr. 2009 addressed to the Chairperson of the Committee on Conferences containing the remarks of the Philippines on the report of the Secretary-General entitled "Action taken to improve the timely submission

of documents for the Fifth Committee" (A/63/735).

**A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- A/C.5/63/18 Letter, 22 Feb. 2008, from the Chairman of the 2008 Working Group on Contingent-Owned Equipment. Transmits the Contingent-Owned Equipment Manual 2008 edition.
- A/C.5/63/21 Approved resources for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.5/63/23 Approved resources for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/C.5/63/24 Proposed budgetary levels for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/63/25 Financing of the support account for peacekeeping operations and the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/63/26 Approved resources for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : note / by the Secretary-General.

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/63/L.50 Rates of reimbursement to troopcontributing countries : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**A/C.5/63/L.51** Financing of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

**A/C.5/63/L.52** Support account for peacekeeping operations : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/894 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.36 (23 Mar. 2009).

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-FINANCING

(Agenda item 132) (continued)

A/C.5/63/SR.42 (13 May 2009).

A 0.3/00/011.43	(10 May 2003).
A/C.5/63/SR.48	(26 May 2009).

- A/C.5/63/SR.52 (4 June 2009).
- A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/894 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.5/63/L.50) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/285; draft resolution II (originally A/C.5/63/L.51) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/286; draft resolution III (originally A/C.5/63/L.52) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/287; draft decision entitled "Closed peacekeeping missions" was adopted without vote: decision 63/557.

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/285 Rates of reimbursement to troopcontributing countries.

Decides that the cost of any equipment purchased in a foreign currency by a troop-contributing country as well as the salary of any troop paid in a foreign currency may be reported in that currency; decides to approve the increase in the number of days of recreational leave allowance paid to members of the military contingents and formed police units from 7 to 15. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

**A/RES/63/286** Financing of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy.

Approves the cost estimates for the United Nations Logistics Base amounting to US \$57,954,100 for the period from 1 July 2009-June 2010; decides that the requirements for the United Nations Logistics Base for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010 shall be financed as follows: (a) The unencumbered balance and other income in the total amount of \$3,209,800 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008 to be applied against the resources required for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010; (b) The balance of \$54,744,300 to be prorated among the budgets of the active peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010; (c) The estimated staff assessment income of \$5,404,400, comprising the amount of \$5,093,900 for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010 and the increase of \$310,500 in respect of the period from 1 July 2007-30 June 2008, to be offset against the balance referred to in subparagraph (b) above, to be prorated among the budgets of the individual active peacekeeping operations. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

# PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS–FINANCING (Agenda item 132) (continued)

# A/RES/63/287 Support account for peacekeeping operations.

Decides to maintain, for the financial period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010, the funding mechanism for the support account used in the current period, from 1 July 2008-30 June 2009, as approved in paragraph 3 of its resolution 50/221 B of 7 June 1996; decides not to introduce the proposed structure based on the hub approach at this stage, and decides to designate, as a pilot project, centres of investigation in Nairobi, Vienna and New York from 1 July 2009-30 June 2012; approves the support account requirements in the amount of US\$294,030,900 for the financial period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010; decides that the requirements for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the financial period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010 shall be financed as follows: a) the unencumbered balance and other income in the total amount of \$15,056,300 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; b) the amount of \$7,322,600 representing the excess of the authorized level of the Peacekeeping Reserve Fund in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; c) the amount of \$62,800 representing the excess of the appropriation for the support account requirements in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2007; d) the balance of \$271,589,200 to be prorated among the budgets of the active peacekeeping operations for the financial period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010; e) the estimated staff assessment income of \$28,273,500, comprising the amount of \$27,486,900 for the financial period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010 and the increase of \$786,600 dollars in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

## PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-MIDDLE EAST-FINANCING (Agenda item 144)

See also: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-FINANCING UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE-FINANCING

# UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON-FINANCING

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

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

# PENSIONS-UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 126) Reports

#### Reports

**A/63/9** (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 9) United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund : report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, 55th session, 10-18 July 2008.

Issued: 2008.

A/63/363 Administrative and financial implications arising from the report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Sept. 2008.

# PENSIONS–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 126) (continued)

**A/63/556** United Nations pension system : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 19 Nov. 2008.

A/C.5/63/2 Investments of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund and steps and efforts undertaken to increase diversification : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 29 Sept. 2008.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/63/L.7 United Nations pension system : draft resolution / submitted by the Rapporteur following informal consultations.

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

A/63/641 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.20 (24 Nov. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/641 (originally A/C.5/63/L.7) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/252.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/252 United Nations Pension System. Approves the increase of US\$2.204.000 in total additional resources for the biennium 2008-2009; approves the amendment to article 24 (b) of the Regulations of the Fund which would allow participants who return to active contributory service after a period of disability to count such periods of disability as contributory service without requiring the participant to pay contributions for that period; approves the agreement of the Board to clarify that the scope of the revision in 2006 of article 24 did not cover only those participants who had received a withdrawal settlement, but also those who had elected a deferred retirement benefit as long as no periodic benefit payments of their deferred benefit had been made; decides that the Special Tribunal for Lebanon shall be admitted as a new member organization of the Fund, effective 1 Jan. 2009; approves the inclusion of contractual settlement provisions in the agreement with the Global Custodian of the Fund. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

### PERSONNEL QUESTIONS-UN

See: UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

# PERSONNEL QUESTIONS–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 125)

See also: UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

# **Reports**

A/63/30 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 30) Report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2008. Issued: 2008.

# PERSONNEL QUESTIONS–UN SYSTEM (Agenda item 125) (continued)

**A/63/501** Administrative and financial implications of the decisions and recommendations contained in the report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2008 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 23 Oct. 2008.

### General documents

**A/63/360** Administrative and financial implications of the decisions and recommendations contained in the report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2008 : 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.5/63/L.10 United Nations common system : report of the International Civil Service Commission :draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/640 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.12 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).

## Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008). At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/640 (originally A/C.5/63/L.10) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/251.

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/251** United Nations common system : report of the International Civil Service Commission.

Approves, with effect from the school year in progress on 1 Jan. 2009, the recommendations of the Commission in para. 62 of its report and annex II thereto; approves, with effect from 1 Jan. 2009, as recommended by the Commission in para. 79 of its report, the revised base/floor scale of gross and net salaries for staff in the Professional and higher categories contained in annex IV to the report; approves, with effect from 1 Jan. 2009, as recommended by the Commission in para. 129 of its report, the revised flat-rate allowance and the transitional measure thereto; approves, with effect from 1 Jan. 2009, as recommended by the Commission in para. 94 of its report, the revised level of the hardship, mobility and nonremoval allowances; requests the Commission to closely monitor the developments in the organizations of the United Nations common system in order to ensure the effective regulation and coordination of the conditions of service in the common system. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

# PITCAIRN QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

# **Reports**

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.4/63/L.6** 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

A/63/408 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-VIII].

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/108[B-VIII] Pitcairn.

Welcomes all efforts by the administering Power that would devolve operational responsibilities to the territorial Government, with a view to expanding self-government; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning public outreach efforts, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested; also requests the administering Power to continue its assistance for the improvement of the economic, social, educational and other conditions of the population of the Territory and to continue its discussions with the territorial Government on how best to support economic security in Pitcairn. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# PLATFORM FOR ACTION OF THE FOURTH WORLD CONFERENCE ON WOMEN

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

### **POLITICAL CONDITIONS-HAITI**

See: HAITI-POLITICAL CONDITIONS

# POLITICAL DECLARATION ON HIV/AIDS (2006)

See: HIV/AIDS-DECLARATIONS

### POVERTY-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64b)

See also: POVERTY MITIGATION

# **Reports**

A/63/274 Report of the Independent Expert on the Question of Human Rights and Extreme Poverty : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 13 Aug. 2008. - Transmits interim report submitted by the Independent Expert on the Question of Human Rights and Extreme Poverty, Magdalena Sepúlveda Carmona, in accordance with resolution 8/11 of the Human Rights Council.

## Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.27 Human rights and extreme poverty : draft resolution / Algeria, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Bulgaria, Cambodia, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Senegal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Benin, Bhutan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, China, Colombia, the Congo, Cote d'Ivoire, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Ghana, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Indonesia, Iraq, Israel, Kenya, Kuwait, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Montenegro, Morocco, Mozambique, Myanmar, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Qatar, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Rwanda, San Marino, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, the Sudan, Swaziland, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Tunisia, Uganda, the United Arab Emirates and the United Republic of Tanzania (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.21 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.38 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution VIII in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.27), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/175.

# POVERTY-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/175 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; reaffirms also that it is essential for States to foster participation by the poorest people in the decision making process in the societies in which they live; reaffirms that the existence of widespread absolute poverty inhibits the full and effective enjoyment of human rights and renders democracy and popular participation fragile; invites the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights to continue to give high priority to the question of the relationship between extreme poverty and human rights; welcomes the efforts of entities throughout the UN system to incorporate the Millennium Declaration and the internationally agreed development goals set out therein into their work. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2ND: 2008-2017) (Agenda item 53a)

See also: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

### **Reports**

- **A/63/159** Role of microcredit and microfinance in the eradication of poverty : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 29 July 2008.
- A/63/190 Implementation of the 2nd United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017) : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 31 July 2008.

#### **General documents**

A/C.2/63/3 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Namibia. Transmits the Windhoek Ministerial Declaration on Development Cooperation with Middle-income Countries adopted at the 3rd International Conference on Development Cooperation with Middle-Income Countries, Windhoek, 4-6 Aug. 2008 and summary report of the proceedings.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.2/63/L.11 Role of microcredit and microfinance in the eradication of poverty : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.56 (A/63/418/Add.1).

A/C.2/63/L.25 Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017) : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.58 (A/63/418/Add.1).

### POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2ND: 2008-2017) (Agenda item 53a) (continued)

- **A/C.2/63/L.56** Role of microcredit and microfinance in the eradication of poverty : draft resolution / submitted by the Rapporteur, Awsan Al-Aud (Yemen), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.11.
- A/C.2/63/L.58 Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017) : draft resolution / submitted by the Rapporteur, Awsan Al-Aud (Yemen), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.25.

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

A/63/418 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/418/Add.1 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.14 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.16 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.24 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/418/Add.1 was as follows: draft resolution I (A/C.2/63/L.56), adopted without vote: resolution 63/229; draft resolution II (originally A/C.2/63/L.58), adopted without vote: resolution 63/230.

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/229** Role of microcredit and microfinance in the eradication of poverty.

Welcomes the successful observance of the International Year of Microcredit. 2005: underlines the need for greater access to microfinance; also underlines the importance of strengthening domestic financial sectors as a source of capital by making them inclusive, thus expanding access to financial services; notes that there is still lack of relevant statistical data on inclusive financial sectors; invites Member States to consider adopting policies to facilitate the expansion of microcredit and microfinance institutions; encourages Member States to adopt coherent financial regulatory frameworks; recognizes that the current financial crisis can adversely impact financial flows to microcredit and microfinance institutions as well as the services that they provide to the poor, and emphasizes that such instruments should be protected, as appropriate, from potential credit deficiency; decides to devote one plenary meeting at its 65th session to the consideration of the outcome of and follow-up to the International Year of Microcredit. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

# POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2ND: 2008-2017) (Agenda item 53a) (continued)

**A/RES/63/230** Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017).

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the 2nd UN Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017); emphasizes that education and training are among the critical factors in empowering those living in poverty, while recognizing the complexity of the challenge of poverty eradication; acknowledges efforts of developed countries to increase their assistance for development; notes with concern, however, the overall decline in official development assistance in 2006 and 2007; requests the Secretary-General to appoint a focal point from within the UN system to coordinate the implementation of the 2nd UN Decade in close consultation with Member States: considers that a theme for the 2nd UN Decade shall be "Full employment and decent work for all"; recognizes the need to give the highest priority to its consideration of the item on poverty eradication in its agenda. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

### **POVERTY MITIGATION (Agenda item 53)**

See also: INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT-INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION POVERTY-HUMAN RIGHTS POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2ND: 2008-2017)

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/123** Letter, 8 July 2008, from Italy. Transmits, on behalf of the Presidency of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, resolutions adopted at the 118th Assembly of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held in Cape Town, South Africa, 18 Apr. 2008.
- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/497** (S/2008/668) Letter, 20 Oct. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits final statement and recommendations of the 9th meeting of the European Union-Azerbaijan Parliamentary Cooperation Committee" held in Brussels, 6-7 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/540 Letter, 7 Nov. 2008, from Guatemala and Switzerland.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.

# POVERTY MITIGATION (Agenda item 53) (continued)

- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/823** Letter, 13 Mar. 2009, from Kazakhstan. Transmits speech given by the President of Kazakhstan entitled "Through crisis to renovation and prosperity" on 6 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

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

A/63/418 Report of the 2nd Committee.

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008). At the 72nd meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/63/418): decision 63/544.

# PREPARATORY COMMISSION FOR THE COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR-TEST-BAN TREATY ORGANIZATION-UN (Agenda item 114t)

# **Reports**

- A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

# PREPARATORY COMMISSION FOR THE COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR-TEST-BAN TREATY ORGANIZATION–UN (Agenda item 114t) (continued)

### **General documents**

- **A/63/156** Cooperation between the United Nations and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization : note / by the Secretary-General.
- **A/63/634** Letter, 19 Dec. 2008, from Australia, Austria, Canada, Costa Rica, Finland, Japan and the Netherlands. Transmits Joint Ministerial Statement on the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty, which was launched on 24 Sept. 2008 in New York; reports that as of 12 Dec. 2008, 96 countries have associated themselves with the Joint Statement.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/63/L.11 Cooperation between the United Nations and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization : draft resolution / Sweden.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

At the 37th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.11 was adopted (64-1-0): resolution 63/13.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/13 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 65th session the sub item entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization". (Adopted 64-1-0, 37th plenary meeting, 3 Nov. 2008)

# PRINCIPAL ORGANS-ELECTION OF MEMBERS (Agenda item 103)

- See also: ICJ-MEMBERS
  - UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL-MEMBERS
  - UN. SECURITY COUNCIL-MEMBERS

### **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-CONFERENCE (1994 : BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP

#### **PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES**

See: NARCOTIC DRUGS

### **PUBLIC INFORMATION-UN**

See: INFORMATION

# PUBLIC SECURITY

See: CRIME PREVENTION

# **RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (Agenda item 62)**

See also: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

### **Reports**

A/63/18 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 18) Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, 72nd session, 18 February-7 March 2008 [and] 73rd session, 28 July-15 August 2008. Issued: 2008.

### General documents

- **A/63/123** Letter, 8 July 2008, from Italy. Transmits, on behalf of the Presidency of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, resolutions adopted at the 118th Assembly of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held in Cape Town, South Africa, 18 Apr. 2008.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/968** (S/2009/516) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Special Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the Non-Aligned Movement on Nelson Mandela International Day, 18 July, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

# RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (Agenda item 62) (continued)

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

A/63/428 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.33 (3 Nov. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

# RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION (Agenda item 62a)

See also: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

### **Reports**

- A/63/18 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 18) Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, 72nd session, 18 February-7 March 2008 [and] 73rd session, 28 July-15 August 2008. Issued: 2008.
- A/63/306 Financial situation of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 19 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/473 Status of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/617** International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : programme budget implications of revised draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.53/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

### **General documents**

- A/C.3/63/L.72 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.53/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/63/14 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.53/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.3/63/L.49 Inadmissibility of certain practices that contribute to fuelling contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance : draft resolution / Benin, Cuba, Kyrgyzstan, Russian Federation, Sudan, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Zimbabwe.

# RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION (Agenda item 62a) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.53 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : draft resolution / Albania, Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Honduras, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Monaco, Moldova, Portugal, Romania, Slovenia and Sweden.

A/C.3/63/L.53/Rev.1 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : revised draft resolution / Albania, Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, Honduras, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Monaco, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Angola, Armenia, Bangladesh, Benin, Burundi, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, China, the Congo, the Czech Republic, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, France, Germany, Greece, Guinea, Guatemala, Ireland, Kazakhstan, Liberia, Malta, the Netherlands, the Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, the Republic of Korea, Serbia, Spain, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Uganda, Ukraine and the United Republic of Tanzania (A/63/428).

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

A/63/428 Report of the 3rd Committee.
A/C.3/63/SR.33 (3 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.34 (3 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.35 (4 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.40 (18 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.45 (21 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.46 (24 Nov. 2008).

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

A/63/653 Report of the 5th Committee.

#### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/428 (originally A/C.3/63/L.49), was adopted (129-2-54): resolution 63/162.

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution III in A/63/428 (originally A/C.3/63/L.53/Rev.1), was adopted without a vote: resolution 63/243.

# RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION (Agenda item 62a) (continued)

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/162** Inadmissibility of certain practices that contribute to fuelling contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance.

Reaffirms the provision of the Durban Declaration in which States condemned the persistence and resurgence of neo-Nazism, neo-Fascism and violent nationalist ideologies based on racial and national prejudice and stated that those phenomena could never be justified in any instance or in any circumstances; reaffirms that such acts may be qualified to fall within the scope of activities described in article 4 of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, and that they may represent a clear and manifest abuse of the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association as well as the rights to freedom of opinion and expression within the meaning of those rights as guaranteed by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination; encourages those States that have made reservations to article 4 of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination to give serious consideration to withdrawing such reservations as a matter of priority. (Adopted 129-2-54, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/243 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination.

Decides to authorize the Committee to meet for an additional week per session, as a temporary measure, with effect from August 2009, until 2011; also decides to assess the situation regarding the meeting time of the Committee at its 65th session on the basis of an evaluation made by the Office of the High Commissioner, taking into account a more comprehensive approach to the backlog of human rights treaty bodies and the increasing number of reports of States parties to the human rights conventions; 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 Fourteenth Meeting of States Parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination on 15 Jan. 1992: decides to consider, at its 65th session, under the item entitled "Elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance", the reports of the Committee on its 74th and 75th and its 76th and 77th 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, 23 Dec. 2008)

# RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 62b)

See also: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION

# **Reports**

- A/63/18 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 18) Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, 72nd session, 18 February-7 March 2008 [and] 73rd session, 28 July-15 August 2008. Issued: 2008.
- **A/63/112** Report of the Preparatory Committee for the Durban Review Conference on its 1st substantive session.

Issued: 9 July 2008.

A/63/112/Add.1 Excerpts from the report of the Preparatory Committee for the Durban Review Conference on its 2nd substantive session. Issued: 30 Oct. 2008.

**A/63/339** Combating racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance and the comprehensive implementation of the follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 29 Aug. 2008. - Transmits interim report by the Special Rapporteur on Contemporary Forms of Racism, Racial Discrimination, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance, Githu Muigai, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 62/220.

**A/63/366** 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: 19 Oct. 2008. - Includes summary of contributions received from 13 member States.

A/63/618 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 : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.51/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

# General documents

A/C.3/63/L.70 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 : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.51/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

# RACIAL DISCRIMINATION–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 62b) (continued)

**A/C.5/63/17** 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 : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.51/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.3/63/L.51 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 / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].
- A/C.3/63/L.51/Rev.1 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 : revised draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China]. Additional sponsor: Kazakhstan (A/63/428).

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

A/63/428 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.33 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.34 (3 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.35 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.48 (25 Nov. 2008).

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

A/63/656 Report of the 5th Committee.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution II in A/63/428 (originally A/C.3/63/L.51/Rev.1), was adopted (109-13-35): resolution 63/242.

# RACIAL DISCRIMINATION–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 62b) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/242 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.

Urges all States to review and, where necessary, revise their immigration laws, policies and practices so that they are free of racial discrimination and compatible with their obligations under international human rights instruments; expresses grave concern at the fact that universal ratification of the Convention was not attained by 2005 in accordance with commitments under the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, and calls upon those States that have not yet done so to accede to the Convention as a matter of urgency; urges all States parties to the Convention to intensify their efforts to implement the obligations that they have accepted under article 4 of the Convention, with due regard to the principles of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and article 5 of the Convention; emphasizes that the basic responsibility for effectively combating racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance lies with States, and to this end stresses that States have the primary responsibility to ensure full and effective implementation of all commitments and recommendations contained in the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action; requests the Secretary General to provide the Special Rapporteur with all the human and financial assistance necessary to carry out his mandate efficiently, effectively and expeditiously and to enable him to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 64th session. (Adopted 109-13-35, 74th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2008)

# RACISM

See: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

### **RADIATION EFFECTS (Agenda item 27)**

#### Reports

- A/63/46 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 46) Report of the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation : 56th session (10-18 July 2008). Issued: 2008.
- A/63/478 Financial and administrative implications of increased membership of the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation, staffing of the professional secretariat of the Scientific Committee and methods to ensure sufficient, assured and predictable funding : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 13 Oct. 2008.

# RADIATION EFFECTS (Agenda item 27) (continued)

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.4/63/L.9 Effects of atomic radiation : draft resolution / Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Brunei Darussalam, Canada, China, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Finland, France, Guatemala, Japan, Lithuania, Mexico, Pakistan, Peru, Poland, Russian Federation, Singapore, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, Thailand and Ukraine.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Greece, Kazakhstan, Monaco and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (A/63/398).

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

A/63/398 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.10 (16 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.22 (5 Nov. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008). At the 64th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/398

(originally A/C.4/63/L.9) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/89.

## **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/89 Effects of atomic radiation.

Commends the UN Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation for the valuable contribution it has been making in the course of the past 53 years; requests the Scientific Committee to continue at its next session the review of the important questions in the field of ionizing radiation and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 64th session; emphasizes the need for the Scientific Committee to hold regular sessions on an annual basis: requests UNEP to continue providing support for the effective conduct of the work of the Scientific Committee; requests the Secretary-General, in formulating his proposed programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011, to consider all options, including the possibility of internal reallocation, to provide the Scientific Committee with the resources outlined in paragraphs 48 and 50 of the report of the Secretary-General. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# REFUGEE ASSISTANCE

See: REFUGEES

## **REFUGEES** (Agenda item 39)

See also: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE EMERGENCY ASSIS TANCE HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE PALESTINIANS-ASSISTANCE UNRWA-ACCOUNTS UNRWA-ACTIVITIES

# **Reports**

A/63/12 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 12) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees covering the period from January 2007 to 30 June 2008. Issued: 2008.

A/63/12/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 12A) Report of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, 59th session (6-10 October 2008). Issued: 2008.

A/63/321 Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa (covering the period 1 January 2007-15 June 2008) : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 Aug. 2008.

### **General documents**

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.54 Enlargement of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : draft resolution / Djibouti and Republic of Moldova.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Benin, Ecuador, Egypt, Israel, Italy, Mauritania and the Sudan (A/63/423).

A/C.3/63/L.55 New international humanitarian order : draft resolution / Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Comoros, Iraq, Jordan and Morocco. Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Lebanon, Nigeria and Pakistan (A/63/423).

### **REFUGEES (Agenda item 39) (continued)**

A/C.3/63/L.56 Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : draft resolution / Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cameroon, Canada, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Guatemala, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Timor-Leste, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Benin, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burundi, Cape Verde, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cyprus, El Salvador, Ghana, Greece, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Hungary, Iraq, Kenya, Lesotho, Malawi, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Micronesia (Federated States of), Montenegro, Morocco, the Niger, Nigeria, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, the Russian Federation, Senegal, Serbia, Sri Lanka, the Sudan, Tajikistan, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Togo, Turkey, the United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay and Zambia (A/63/423).

A/C.3/63/L.58 Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa : draft resolution / Mauritius [on behalf of the Group of African States]. Additional sponsor: Azerbaijan (A/63/423).

 A/C.3/63/L.58/Rev.1 Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa : revised draft resolution / Mauritius [on behalf of the Group of African States]. Additional sponsors: Albania, Australia, Austria,
 Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus,
 Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Guatemala, Honduras,
 Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg,
 Malta, Montenegro, Nicaragua, Norway, Slovakia,
 Slovenia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and the United states of America (A/63/423).

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

A/63/423 Report of the 3rd Committee.
A/C.3/63/SR.36 (4 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.37 (5 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.40 (18 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.46 (24 Nov. 2008).

# REFUGEES (Agenda item 39) (continued) Discussion in plenary

### A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/423 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/63/L.54), adopted without vote: resolution 63/146; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/63/L.55), adopted without vote: resolution 63/147; draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/63/L.56), adopted without vote: resolution 63/148; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.3/63/L.58/Rev.1), as orally revised, adopted without vote: resolution 63/149.

# **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/146** 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 76 to 78 States; requests the Economic and Social Council to elect the additional members at its resumed organizational session for 2009. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/147 New international humanitarian order. Recognizes the need for the further strengthening of national, regional and international efforts to address humanitarian emergencies: urges Governments. intergovernmental organizations and civil society, including non-governmental organizations, to extend cooperation and support to the efforts of the Secretary-General, inter alia, through the relevant United Nations agencies and organizational mechanisms set up to address the assistance and protection needs of affected populations as well as the safety and security of UN and other humanitarian workers; invites Member States, the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs, relevant entities of the UN system and intergovernmental organizations and civil society, including non-governmental organizations, to reinforce activities and cooperation so as to continue to develop an agenda for humanitarian action; requests the Secretary-General to report on these issues to the General Assembly at its 65th session in his annual report on the strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the UN. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

## **REFUGEES (Agenda item 39) (continued)**

A/RES/63/148 Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

Re-emphasizes that the protection of refugees is primarily the responsibility of States, whose full and effective cooperation, action and political resolve are required to enable the Office of the High Commissioner to fulfil its mandated functions, and strongly emphasizes, in this context, the importance of active international solidarity and burden- and responsibility-sharing; also reemphasizes that prevention and reduction of statelessness are primarily the responsibility of States, in appropriate cooperation with the international community; further reemphasizes that protection of and assistance to internally displaced persons are primarily the responsibility of States, in appropriate cooperation with the international community; strongly condemns attacks on refugees, asylum-seekers and internally displaced persons as well as acts that pose a threat to their personal security and well-being; deplores the refoulement and unlawful expulsion of refugees and asylum-seekers; 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. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/149 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, such as refoulement, unlawful expulsion and physical attacks; deplores the continuing violence and insecurity which constitute an ongoing threat to the safety and security of staff members of the Office of the High Commissioner and other humanitarian organizations and an obstacle to the effective fulfilment of the mandate of the Office and the ability of its implementing partners and other humanitarian personnel to discharge their respective humanitarian functions; reaffirms the right of return and the principle of voluntary repatriation, appeals to countries of origin and countries of asylum to create conditions that are conducive to voluntary repatriation, and recognizes that, while voluntary repatriation remains the pre-eminent solution, local integration and third-country resettlement, where appropriate and feasible, are also viable options for dealing with the situation of African refugees who, owing to prevailing circumstances in their respective countries of origin, are unable to return home; expresses grave concern about the plight of internally displaced persons in Africa. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

### **REGIONAL DISARMAMENT (Agenda item 89t)**

See also: CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES-REGIONAL PROGRAMMES-CENTRAL AFRICA

# Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.8 Regional disarmament : draft resolution / Bangladesh, Ecuador, Egypt, Indonesia, Jordan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Nepal, Pakistan, Peru, Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Sudan and Turkey. Additional sponsor: Fiji (A/63/389).

Discussion in the International Security Committee (1st Committee)

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.14 (21 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution III in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.8) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/43.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/43 Regional disarmament.

Stresses that sustained efforts are needed to make progress on the entire range of disarmament issues; calls upon States to conclude agreements for nuclear nonproliferation, disarmament and confidence-building measures at the regional and subregional levels; supports and encourages efforts aimed at promoting confidencebuilding measures at the regional and subregional levels; decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Regional disarmament". (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS–UN (Agenda item 114)

See also: AFRICAN UNION-UN ASIAN-AFRICAN LEGAL CONSULTATIVE ORGANIZATION-UN ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH-EAST ASIAN NATIONS-UN BLACK SEA ECONOMIC COOPERATION ORGANIZATION-UN CARIBBEAN COMMUNITY-UN COMMUNITY OF PORTUGUESE-SPEAKING COUNTRIES-UN COUNCIL OF EUROPE-UN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY OF CENTRAL AFRICAN STATES-UN ECONOMIC COOPERATION ORGANIZATION-UN EURASIAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY-UN INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION-UN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF LA FRANCOPHONIE-UN LATIN AMERICAN ECONOMIC SYSTEM-UN LEAGUE OF ARAB STATES-UN OAS-UN ORGANIZATION FOR SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE-UN ORGANIZATION FOR THE PROHIBITION OF CHEMICAL WEAPONS-UN ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE-UN PACIFIC ISLANDS FORUM-UN PREPARATORY COMMISSION FOR THE COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR-TEST-BAN TREATY ORGANIZATION-UN SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY-UN

## General documents

**A/63/355** Letter, 4 Sept. 2008, from Sri Lanka. Transmits Declaration and the Colombo Statement on Food Security adopted by the Heads of State or Government of the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) at the 15th SAARC Summit, held in Colombo, 2-3 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/498** Letter, 21 Oct. 2008, from New Zealand. Transmits, in his capacity as Chair of the group of Pacific Islands Forum countries represented in New York, communiqué of the 39th meeting of Pacific Islands Forum leaders, which was held in Niue in August 2008.

# REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS–UN (Agenda item 114) (continued)

- **A/63/749** (S/2009/126) Letter, 26 Feb. 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits texts of the following regulations approved by a decision of 6 October 2007 of the Collective Security Council of the Collective Security Treaty Organization: Regulations for the Collective Peacekeeping Forces of the Collective Security Treaty Organization; Regulations for task forces for the preparation of peacekeeping operations of the Collective Security Treaty Organization and Regulations for the Head of the peacekeeping mission of the Collective Security Treaty Organization.
- **A/63/886** Letter, 12 June 2009, from Moldova. Transmits the texts of the joint statement of the Heads of State and Government of the South-East European Cooperation Process and of the Chisinau Declaration of the 12th meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the South-East European Cooperation Process, held in Chisinau from 2 to 5 June 2009.
- **A/63/916** (S/2009/342) Letter, 6 July 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits text and translation of a Declaration by the Heads of States members of the Collective Security Treaty Organization adopted during the meeting of the Organization's Collective Security Council in Moscow on 14 June 2009.
- **A/63/924** Letter, 8 July 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, the Yekaterinburg Declaration of the Heads of States members of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, adopted at its Heads of States Council meeting, held on 15 and 16 June 2009 in Yekaterinburg, Russian Federation.
- **A/63/929** Letter, 15 July 2009, from Portugal. Transmits, in the capacity as President of the Community of Democracies, text of the Lisbon Declaration, adopted by the 5th Ministerial Meeting of the Community of Democracies, held in Lisbon, 11-12 July 2009.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.36	(3 Nov. 2008).
A/63/PV.37	(3 Nov. 2008).
A/63/PV.64	(5 Dec. 2008).

### **REGIONAL SECURITY-SOUTHEAST EUROPE**

See: SOUTHEAST EUROPE-REGIONAL SECURITY

# **REGISTER OF CONVENTIONAL ARMS**

See: ARMS TRANSFERS-TRANSPARENCY

#### **RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE (Agenda item 64b)**

### **Reports**

A/63/161 Elimination of all forms of religious intolerance : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 22 July 2008. - Transmits interim report of the Special Rapporteur on Freedom of Religion or Belief, Asma Jahangir, submitted in accordance with General Assembly resolution 62/157.

### RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/63/365 Combating defamation of religions : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Oct. 2008.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.3/63/L.22 Combating defamation of religions : draft resolution / Belarus, Uganda [on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference] and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).
- A/C.3/63/L.22/Rev.1 Combating defamation of religions : revised draft resolution / Belarus, Uganda [on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference] and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).
- A/C.3/63/L.34 Elimination of all forms of intolerance and of discrimination based on religion or belief : draft resolution / Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bolivia, Bulgaria, Central African Republic, Chile, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Ukraine and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Benin, Cape Verde, Colombia, Cyprus, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Montenegro, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Panama, the Philippines, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova and Serbia (A/63/430/Add.2).

A/C.3/63/L.34/Rev.1 Elimination of all forms of intolerance and of discrimination based on religion or belief : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Central African Republic, Chile, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Albania, Australia, Benin, Brazil, Canada, Cape Verde, Colombia, Cyprus, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mauritius, Montenegro, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Panama, the Philippines, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Serbia, Thailand, Turkey, the United Republic of Tanzania, the United States and Uruguay (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.21 (22 Oct. 2008).

### RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

- A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008). A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).
- A/C.3/63/SR.46 (24 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.48 (25 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.22/Rev.1), was adopted (86-53-42): resolution 63/171; draft resolution XIV in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.34/Rev.1), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/181.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/171 Combating defamation of religions. Strongly condemns all manifestations and acts of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance against national or ethnic, religious and linguistic minorities and migrants and the stereotypes often applied to them, and urges all States to apply and, here applicable, reinforce existing laws when such xenophobic or intolerant acts, manifestations or expressions occur, in order to eradicate impunity for those who commit xenophobic and racist acts; reaffirms the obligation of all States to enact the necessary legislation to prohibit the advocacy of national, racial or religious hatred that constitutes incitement to discrimination, hostility or violence, and encourages States, in their follow-up to the World Conference against Racism, Racial Discrimination, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance, to include aspects relating to national or ethnic, religious and linguistic minorities in their national plans of action; affirms that the Human Rights Council shall promote universal respect for all religious and cultural values and address instances of intolerance, discrimination and incitement of hatred against members of any community or adherents of any religion, as well as the means to consolidate international efforts in order to combat impunity for such deplorable acts; welcomes the initiative by the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights on the recently held expert seminar on freedom of expression and advocacy of religious hatred that constitutes incitement to discrimination, hostility or violence, on 2 and 3 October 2008, and requests the High Commissioner to continue to build on this initiative, with a view to concretely contributing to the prevention and elimination of all such forms of incitement and the consequences of negative stereotyping of religions or beliefs, and their adherents, on the human rights of those individuals and their communities. (Adopted 86-53-42, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/RES/63/181 Elimination of all forms of intolerance and of discrimination based on religion or belief. Condemns all forms of intolerance and of discrimination based on religion or belief, as well as violations of freedom of thought, conscience and religion or belief; expresses concern over the persistence of institutionalized social intolerance and discrimination practised against many in the name of religion or belief; stresses the need to strengthen dialogue, inter alia, through the Alliance of Civilizations and its High Representative and the focal point within the Secretariat designated by the General Assembly, in its resolution 62/90 of 17 Dec. 2007, to interact with various entities in the UN system and coordinate their contribution to dialogue; emphasizes the importance of a continued and strengthened dialogue among and within religions or beliefs, at all levels and with broader participation. including of women, to promote greater tolerance, respect and mutual understanding; recommends that States, UN and other actors, including non-governmental organizations and bodies and groups based on religion or belief, in their efforts to promote freedom of religion or belief, ensure the widest possible dissemination of the text of the Declaration on the Elimination of All Forms of Intolerance and of Discrimination Based on Religion or Belief, in as many different languages as possible, and promote its implementation; urges all Governments to cooperate fully with the Special Rapporteur, to respond favourably to her requests to visit their countries and to provide all necessary information for the effective fulfilment of her mandate; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the Special Rapporteur receives the resources necessary to fully discharge her mandate. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

### REPERTORY OF PRACTICE OF UNITED NATIONS ORGANS

See: UN-CHARTER

### REPRESENTATIVES' CREDENTIALS (Agenda item 3)

- See also: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE-MEMBERS
  - UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE-REPORTS

#### RETURNEES

See: REFUGEES

#### **REVERSE TRANSFER OF RESOURCES**

See: DEVELOPMENT FINANCE

### RIGHT TO DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 64b) Reports

**A/63/340** The right to development : report of the Secretary-General on the right to development. Issued: 2 Sept. 2008.

# RIGHT TO DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

#### General documents

A/63/318 The right to development : note / by the Secretary-General.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.30 The right to development : draft resolution / Cuba [on behalf of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries].

Additional sponsors: China, Cote d'Ivoire, Dominica, El Salvador and Somalia (A/63/430/Add.2).

A/C.3/63/L.30/Rev.1 The right to development : revised draft resolution / China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba [on behalf of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries], Dominica, El Salvador and Somalia.

Additional sponsor: Brazil (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.26 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.46 (24 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution XI in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.30/Rev.1), was adopted (182-4-2): resolution 63/178.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/178 The right to development.

Urges developed countries that have not yet done so to make concrete efforts towards meeting the targets of 0.7% of their gross national product for official development assistance to developing countries and 0.15-0.2% of their gross national product to least developed countries, and encourages developing countries to build on the progress achieved in ensuring that official development assistance is used effectively to help to meet development goals and targets; calls for the implementation of a desirable pace of meaningful trade liberalization, including in areas under negotiation in the World Trade Organization; implementation of commitments on implementation-related issues and concerns; review of special and differential treatment provisions, with a view to strengthening them and making them more precise, effective and operational; avoidance of new forms of protectionism; and capacity-building and technical assistance for developing countries as important issues in making progress towards the effective implementation of the right to development; and 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. (Adopted 182-4-2, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

#### **RIGHT TO EDUCATION (Agenda item 64b)**

#### **Reports**

A/63/292 The right to education : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 14 Aug. 2008.

#### General documents

- **A/63/500** Letter, 20 Sept. 2008, from Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Norway and Qatar. Requests to convene a thematic debate during the 63rd session of the General Assembly on the issue of access to education in emergency, post-crisis and transition situations caused by man-made conflicts or natural disasters.
- A/C.3/63/5 Letter, 20 Sept. 2008, from Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Norway and Qatar. Requests to convene a thematic debate during the 63rd session of the General Assembly on the issue of access to education in emergency, post-crisis and transition situations caused by man-made conflicts or natural disasters.

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

A/C.3/63/SR.25 (24 Oct. 2008).

### RIGHT TO FOOD (Agenda item 64b)

#### **Reports**

A/63/278 The right to food : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 Oct. 2008. - Transmits interim report submitted by the Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food, Olivier De Schutter, in accordance with para. 33 of General Assembly resolution 62/164.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.42 The right to food : draft resolution / Angola, Bahamas, Bahrain, Barbados, Belarus, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Ecuador, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Fiji, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Indonesia, Kenya, Kuwait, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Namibia, Nepal, Niger, Pakistan, Panama, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Serbia, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Uganda, Ukraine, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Viet Nam and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Belize, Bhutan, Botswana, Cambodia, Cameroon, Croatia, Djibouti, Gabon, Guyana, Hungary, Iran (Islamic Republic of), the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Mauritius, Mozambique, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Rwanda, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Suriname, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, the United Republic of Tanzania and Zambia (A/63/430/Add.2).

#### RIGHT TO FOOD (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.42/Rev.1 The right to food : revised draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Armenia, Bahamas, Bahrain, Barbados, Belarus, Belize, Benin, Bhutan, Bolivia, Botswana, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cameroon, China, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Djibouti, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Fiji, Gabon, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea, Guvana, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Kenya, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Liechtenstein, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Nepal, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, Peru, Qatar, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Serbia, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Uganda, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of). Viet Nam. Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors:. - Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chad, the Central African Republic, the Comoros, Cyprus, France, Germany, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Montenegro, Nauru, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Portugal, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Lucia, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Samoa, San Marino, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Somalia, Spain, Tajikistan, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkmenistan, Tuvalu and Ukraine (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.26 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.38 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.46 (24 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution XX in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.42/Rev.1), as orally revised, was adopted (184-1-0): resolution 63/187.

### RIGHT TO FOOD (Agenda item 64b) (continued) Resolutions

#### A/RES/63/187 The right to food.

Requests all States and private actors, as well as international organizations within their respective mandates, to take fully into account the need to promote the effective realization of the right to food for all; calls for the early conclusion and a successful, development oriented outcome of the Doha Round of trade negotiations of the World Trade Organization as a contribution to creating international conditions that permit the full realization of the right to food; urges States to give adequate priority in their development strategies and expenditures to the realization of the right to food; calls upon Member States, the UN system and other relevant stakeholders to support national efforts aimed at responding rapidly to the food crises currently occurring across Africa, and expresses its deep concern that funding shortfalls are forcing the World Food Programme to cut operations across different regions, including Southern Africa: calls upon all Governments to cooperate with and assist the Special Rapporteur in his task, to supply all necessary information requested by him and to give serious consideration to responding favourably to the requests of the Special Rapporteur to visit their countries to enable him to fulfil his mandate more effectively; and requests the Special Rapporteur to submit an interim report to the General Assembly at its 64th session on the implementation of the present resolution and to continue his work, including by examining the emerging issues with regard to the realization of the right to food within his existing mandate. (Adopted 184-1-0, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

### RIGHT TO HEALTH (Agenda item 64b) Reports

A/63/263 The right of health : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2008. - Transmits interim report of the Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health, Paul Hunt, submitted in accordance with Human Rights Council resolution 6/29.

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

A/C.3/63/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2008).

#### **RIGHT TO HOUSING (Agenda item 64b)**

#### Reports

**A/63/275** Adequate housing as a component of the right to an adequate standard of living : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 13 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report submitted by the Special Rapporteur on Adequate Housing as a Component of the Right to an Adequate Standard of Living, and on the Right to Non-Discrimination in this Context, Raquel Rolnik, in accordance with Human Rights Council resolution 6/27.

# RIGHT TO HOUSING (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

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

A/C.3/63/SR.23 (23 Oct. 2008).

#### **RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION**

See: SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES

#### **RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 60a)**

See also: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (27th SPECIAL SESS. : 2002)–FOLLOW-UP

#### **Reports**

A/63/41 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 41) Report of the Committee on the Rights of the Child. Issued: 2008.

**A/63/160** Status of the Convention on the Rights of the Child : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 July 2008.

A/63/227 Report of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict. Issued: 6 Aug. 2008.

- A/63/623 Rights of the Child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.16/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/785 (S/2009/158) Children and armed conflict : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 26 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/785/Corr.1 (S/2009/158/Corr.1) Children and armed conflict : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 13 Aug. 2009. - Corrects text.

#### **General documents**

- A/63/203 Promotion and protection of the rights of children : note / by the Secretariat.
- **A/63/553** Letter, 11 Nov. 2008, from Mexico. Transmits report of the International Meeting on the Protection of the Rights of Children in the Context of International Migration held in Mexico City on 30 Sept. and 1 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

### RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 60a) (continued)

- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- A/C.3/63/L.61 Committee on the Rights of the Child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.46 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/C.3/63/L.69** Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.16 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/C.5/63/16** Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.16/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.3/63/L.16 Rights of the child : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Austria, Bahamas, Barbados, Belgium, Belize, Bolivia, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Saint Lucia, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Trinidad and Tobago, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Kenya, Malawi, Namibia, the Republic of Korea, San Marino, Serbia, Timor-Leste and Ukraine (A/63/426).

### RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 60a) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.16/Rev.1 Rights of the child : revised draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Antiqua and Barbuda, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Barbados, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burundi, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malta, Mauritius, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Namibia, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Lucia, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines. San Marino. Serbia. Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Burkina Faso, the Gambia, Guinea, Lesotho, Liberia, Morocco, Mozambique, the Niger, the Russian Federation, South Africa, Swaziland, Tajikistan, Togo and Uganda (A/63/426).

**A/C.3/63/L.46** Committee on the Rights of the Child : draft resolution / Liechtenstein, New Zealand, Norway and Switzerland.

Additional sponsors: Benin, Cote d'Ivoire, the Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Panama, the Republic of Korea, Senegal and the United Republic of Tanzania (A/63/430/Add.2).

A/C.3/63/L.46/Rev.1 Committee on the Rights of the Child : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Benin, Chile, Colombia, Côte d'Ivoire, Dominican Republic, France, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Liechtenstein, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Senegal, Switzerland, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guinea-Bissau, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lesotho, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malta, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Nigeria, Paraguay, Portugal, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovenia, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Thailand and Turkey (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/426 Report of the 3rd Committee.

- A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.
- A/C.3/63/SR.13 (15 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.3/63/SR.14 (16 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.15 (16 Oct. 2008).

### RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 60a) (continued)

A/C.3/63/SR.16 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.35 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.47 (24 Nov. 2008).

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

A/63/652 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/655 Report of the 5th Committee.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, action on the draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.16/Rev. 1 was postponed to a later date to allow time for the review of its programme budget implications by the 5th Committee. The Assembly also adopted the draft decision entitled "Documents considered by the General Assembly in connection with the promotion and protection of the rights of children": decision 63/532.

#### A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution XXV in A/63/426 (originally A/C.3/63/L.16/Rev.1), as orally corrected, was adopted (159-1-0): resolution 63/241. At the same meeting, draft resolution XXIII in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.46/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/244.

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/241 Rights of the child.

Decides to request the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th session a report on the rights of the child containing information on the status of the Convention on the Rights of the Child and the issues addressed in the present resolution, with a focus on international efforts and national progress in tackling child labour and progress towards meeting the target of eliminating the worst forms of child labour by 2016, as agreed in the context of the International Labour Organization; decides 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 Human Rights Council on the activities undertaken in discharging her mandate, including information on her field visits, and on the progress achieved and the challenges remaining on the children and armed conflict agenda; decides to invite the Chairperson 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 64th session as a way to enhance communication between the Assembly and the Committee; and decides to invite all Member States, organizations of the UN system, non-governmental organizations and individuals to observe the 20th anniversary of the adoption of the Convention and to request the Secretary-General to take the measures necessary, within existing resources, for the observance of this anniversary by the UN. (Adopted 159-1-0, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

### RIGHTS OF THE CHILD (Agenda item 60a) (continued)

A/RES/63/244 Committee on the Rights of the Child. Decides to authorize the Committee to meet in parallel chambers for the purposes of considering the reports of the States parties; also decides to assess the situation regarding the meeting time of the Committee at its 65th session on the basis of an evaluation made by the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights; requests the Committee to intensify its review of its working methods in order to enhance the efficiency and quality of its proceedings. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2008)

# RIO DECLARATION ON ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOPMENT (1992)

See: AGENDA 21-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

#### RULE OF LAW (Agenda item 79)

#### **Reports**

- A/63/64 The rule of law at the national and international levels : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Mar. 2008.
- A/63/154 Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 related to the Rule of Law Unit : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 July 2008.
- A/63/226 Strengthening and coordinating United Nations rule of law activities : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 6 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/594 Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 related to the Rule of Law Unit : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 10 Dec. 2008.

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/69** (S/2008/270) Letter, 18 April 2008, from Austria. Transmits final report entitled "Role of the UN Security Council in Strengthening a Rules-based International System" from the Austrian Initiative 2004-2008 on the UN Security Council and the rule of law, presented on 7 Apr. 2008.
- **A/63/281** (S/2008/431) Letter, 30 June 2008, from Cuba. Transmits statement made by the Minister of Foreign Relations at a press conference on 22 May 2008, concerning the alleged relationship between terrorists of Cuban origin in Miami, United States diplomats in Havana and mercenary activities in Cuba.
- **A/63/497** (S/2008/668) Letter, 20 Oct. 2008, from Azerbaijan. Transmits final statement and recommendations of the 9th meeting of the European Union-Azerbaijan Parliamentary Cooperation Committee" held in Brussels, 6-7 Oct. 2008.

#### RULE OF LAW (Agenda item 79) (continued)

- **A/63/507** (S/2008/675) Letter, 23 Oct. 2008, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Refers to the action taken by the Government of the United Kingdom to take out the name of the "People's Mojahedin Organization of Iran" (PMOI) from its list of proscribed groups and states that it considers the United Kingdom responsible for the spread of the activities of the organization in the United Kingdom and beyond.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/886** Letter, 12 June 2009, from Moldova. Transmits the texts of the joint statement of the Heads of State and Government of the South-East European Cooperation Process and of the Chisinau Declaration of the 12th meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the South-East European Cooperation Process, held in Chisinau from 2 to 5 June 2009.
- **A/63/925** Letter, 2 July 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the Political Declaration on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, adopted at the Ministerial Conference on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, held in Managua, Nicaragua, on 24 June 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/C.6/63/2** Letter, 24 Sept. 2008, from Iran (Islamic Republic of). Transmits note verbale dated 5 Aug. 2008 from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to the United States Interests Section in Tehran, regarding the adoption and enforcement of domestic legislations in the United States that allegedly contravene international law by violating the immunity of the Islamic Republic of Iran and its property.
- A/C.6/63/L.23 The rule of law at the national and international levels : note / by the Chairman.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.6/63/L.17 The rule of law at the national and international levels : draft resolution.

### Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/443 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.6 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.8 (14 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

### RULE OF LAW (Agenda item 79) (continued) <u>Discussion in plenary</u>

#### A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008). At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/443 (originally A/C.6/63/L.17) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/128.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/128 The rule of law at the national and international levels.

Notes with appreciation the inventory of current rule of law activities of the UN submitted by the Secretary-General and the report of the Secretary-General on strengthening and coordinating UN rule of law activities; reaffirms the role of the General Assembly in encouraging the progressive development of international law and its codification, and reaffirms further that States shall abide by all their obligations under international law; invites the Rule of Law Coordination and Resource Group and the Rule of Law Unit to interact with Member States, in particular in informal briefings; stresses the need to consider without delay the report of the Secretary-General on the resource requirements of the Unit, and urges the Secretary-General and Member States to continue to support the functioning of the Unit during the interim phase. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# RULES OF PROCEDURE–UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY

See: UN-CHARTER

#### RWANDA

See: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-ACCOUNTS INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-FINANCING INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-REPORTS

#### SAFETY OF HUMANITARIAN PERSONNEL

See: HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

#### SAINT HELENA QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.4/63/L.6** 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

# SAINT HELENA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued)

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

**A/63/408** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-IX].

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/108[B-IX] Saint Helena.

Requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning public outreach efforts, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the United Nations and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested; requests the administering Power and relevant international organizations to continue to support the efforts of the territorial Government to address the Territory's socio-economic development challenges, including unemployment, and limited transport and communications infrastructure; welcomes the decision by the administering Power to provide funding for the construction of an international airport on Saint Helena, which is to become operational in 2011-2012, including all required infrastructure. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# SANCTIONS-INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (Agenda item 64b)

#### **Reports**

A/63/272 Human rights and unilateral coercive measures : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 13 Aug. 2008.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.3/63/L.31 Human rights and unilateral coercive measures : draft resolution / Cuba [on behalf of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries]. Additional sponsors: China and El Salvador (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.39 (11 Nov. 2008).

#### SANCTIONS–INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (Agenda item 64b) (continued) Discussion in plenary

### A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution XII in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.31), was adopted (132-54-0): resolution 63/179.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/179 Human rights and unilateral coercive measures.

Urges all States to cease adopting or implementing any unilateral measures not in accordance with international law; strongly objects to the extraterritorial nature of those measures which threaten the sovereignty of States; condemns the continued unilateral application and enforcement by certain Powers of unilateral coercive measures; reaffirms that essential goods such as food and medicines should not be used as tools for political coercion and that under no circumstances should people be deprived of their own means of subsistence and development; underlines that unilateral coercive measures are one of the major obstacles to the implementation of the Declaration on the Right to Development. (Adopted 132-54-0, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

#### SCALE OF ASSESSMENTS-UN MEMBERS

See: UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS

### SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY–INTERNATIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 84)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.33 Role of science and technology in the context of international security and disarmament : draft decision / India.

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

A/63/384 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.15 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.21 (30 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft decision in A/63/384 (originally A/C.1/63/L.33) was adopted without vote: decision 63/518.

#### 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 63)

See also: DECOLONIZATION

DECOLONIZATION-UN SYSTEM NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-ECONOMIC INTERESTS NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-FELLOWSHIPS NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-REPORTS

#### **Reports**

A/63/254 Right of peoples to self-determination : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

A/63/325 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: 25 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the Working Group on the Use of Mercenaries as a Means of Violating Human Rights and Impeding the Exercise of the Right of Peoples to Self-Determination, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 62/145 and Commission on Human Rights resolution 2005/2

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/281** (S/2008/431) Letter, 30 June 2008, from Cuba. Transmits statement made by the Minister of Foreign Relations at a press conference on 22 May 2008, concerning the alleged relationship between terrorists of Cuban origin in Miami, United States diplomats in Havana and mercenary activities in Cuba.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

### SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES (Agenda item 63) (continued)

- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.48 Universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Benin, Brunei Darussalam, China, Egypt, Eritrea, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Niger, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Africa, Uganda and United Arab Emirates.

Additional sponsors: the Central African Republic, the Comoros, Guinea, Iraq, Liberia, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Namibia and Ukraine (A/63/429).

- A/C.3/63/L.50 Use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination : draft resolution / Benin, Bolivia, China, Comoros, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ecuador, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Honduras, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Myanmar, Namibia, Panama, Peru, Russian Federation, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Zimbabwe.
- A/C.3/63/L.50/Rev.1 Use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination : revised draft resolution / Belarus, Benin, Bolivia, China, Comoros, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ecuador, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Honduras, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Madagascar, Myanmar, Nicaragua, Namibia, Panama, Peru, Russian Federation, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic, Venezuela (Bdivarian Republic of) and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Algeria, Angola, Costa Rica, Cote d'Ivoire, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, the Gambia, Kenya, Liberia, Malaysia, Mali, Myanmar, Nigeria, Pakistan, Sierra Leone and Swaziland (A/63/429).

#### **SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES (Agenda** item 63) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.52 The right of the Palestinian people to selfdetermination : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Angola, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Central African Republic, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Comoros, Cuba, Cyprus, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Greece, Guinea, Guyana, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Ireland, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Maldives, Mali, Malta, Mauritania, Monaco, Morocco, Myanmar, Namibia, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Romania, Russian Federation, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Sweden, Switzerland, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, United Republic of Tanzania, Uzbekistan, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Viet Nam, Yemen, Zambia and Zimbabwe and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Bulgaria, Cape Verde, the Central African Republic, the Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Estonia, the Gambia, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Jamaica, the Republic of Moldova, Rwanda, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste and Ukraine (A/63/429).

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

A/63/429 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.33	(3 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.34	(3 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.35	(4 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.39	(11 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.40	(18 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.43	(20 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.46	(24 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/429 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/63/L.48), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/163; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/63/L.50/Rev.1), was adopted (125-52-5): resolution 63/164; draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/63/L.52), was adopted (173-5-7): resolution 63/165

#### SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLES (Agenda item 63) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/163 Universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination.

Reaffirms that the universal realization of the right of all peoples, including those under colonial, foreign and alien domination, to self determination is a fundamental condition for the effective guarantee and observance of human rights and for the preservation and promotion of such rights; 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 Human Rights Council 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, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/164 Use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination.

Reaffirms that the use of mercenaries and their recruitment, financing and training are causes for grave concern to all States and violate the purposes and principles enshrined in the Charter of UN; requests all States to exercise the utmost vigilance against any kind of recruitment, training, hiring or financing of mercenaries, including nationals, by private companies offering international military consultancy and security services; requests the Working Group to continue the work already done by the previous Special Rapporteurs on the strengthening of the international legal framework for the prevention and sanction of the recruitment, use, financing and training of mercenaries; requests the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, as a matter of priority, to publicize the adverse effects of the activities of mercenaries on the right of peoples to self-determination. (Adopted 125-52-5, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/165 The right of the Palestinian people to selfdetermination.

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 173-5-7, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

#### SICKLE-CELL ANAEMIA (Agenda item 155)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.63 Recognition of sickle-cell anaemia as a public health problem : draft resolution / Angola, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Brazil, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Comoros, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, France, Gabon, Ghana, Monaco, Senegal, Togo and Zambia.
- A/63/L.63/Add.1 Recognition of sickle-cell anaemia as a public health problem : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsors: Cuba, Egypt and Slovenia.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.73 (22 Dec. 2008).

At the 73rd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.63 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/237.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/237** Recognition of sickle-cell anaemia as a public health problem.

Recognizes that sickle-cell anaemia is a public health problem; underlines the need to raise public awareness about sickle-cell anaemia and to eliminate harmful prejudices associated with the disease; urges Member States and the organizations of the UN system to raise awareness of sickle-cell anaemia on 19 June each year at the national and international levels; encourages Member States, as well as UN agencies, funds and programmes, international institutions and development partners, to support health systems and primary healthcare delivery, including efforts to improve the management of sickle-cell anaemia; invites Member States, international organizations and civil society to support the efforts being made to combat sickle-cell anaemia, including as part of health-system strengthening efforts, in the various development programmes, and to encourage basic and applied research on the disease; and urges the Member States in which sickle-cell anaemia is a public health problem to establish national programmes and specialized centres for the treatment of sickle-cell anaemia and to facilitate access to treatment. (Adopted without vote, 73rd plenary meeting, 22 Dec. 2008)

#### SIERRA LEONE

See: UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE-FINANCING

# SLAVERY-ANNIVERSARY (200TH) (Agenda item 108)

#### Reports

A/63/213 Programme of educational outreach on the transatlantic slave trade and slavery : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 4 Aug. 2008.

# SLAVERY-ANNIVERSARY (200TH) (Agenda item 108) (continued)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.5 Permanent memorial to and remembrance of the victims of slavery and the transatlantic slave trade : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Cuba, Denmark, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, India, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Kenya [on behalf of the African Group], Kuwait, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Portugal, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Singapore, Slovakia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

A/63/L.5/Add.1 Permanent memorial to and remembrance of the victims of slavery and the transatlantic slave trade : draft resolution : addendum. Additional sponsors: Belgium, Bolivia, Bulgaria,
China, Colombia, Croatia, Fiji, Finland, France, Greece,
Honduras, Iraq, Japan, Liechtenstein, Micronesia
(Federated States of), Monaco, New Zealand, Papua New
Guinea, Russian Federation, Samoa, Serbia, Slovenia,
Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia,
Turkey, United States of America and Uruguay.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.29 (20 Oct. 2008). At the 29th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.5 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/5.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/5 Permanent memorial to and remembrance of the victims of slavery and the transatlantic slave trade.

Welcomes the initiative of the States members of the Caribbean Community to erect, at a place of prominence at UN Headquarters that is easily accessible to delegates, UN staff and visitors, a permanent memorial in acknowledgement of the tragedy and in consideration of the legacy of slavery and the transatlantic slave trade; reiterates its request contained in resolution 61/19 for Member States that have not already done so to develop educational programmes, including through school curricula, designed to educate and inculcate in future generations an understanding of the lessons, history and consequences of slavery and the slave trade. (Adopted without vote, 29th plenary meeting, 20 Oct. 2008)

#### SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC (Agenda item 89z)

See also: ARMS TRANSFERS-TRANSPARENCY

SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC-ASSISTANCE

### Reports

**A/63/261** Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures : assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and light weapons and collecting them : the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

### SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC (Agenda item 89z) (continued)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.57 The illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Algeria, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bangladesh, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, India, Ireland, Israel, Jamaica, Japan, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malawi, Mexico, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Antigua and Barbuda, Belize, Brazil, Croatia, Denmark, Dominica, Greece, Grenada, Guyana, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Mongolia, Mozambique, Romania, Serbia, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Togo (A/63/389).

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

A/C.1/63/PV.13 (21 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.14 (21 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XXXIII in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.57) was adopted (181-1-0): resolution 63/72.

### SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC (Agenda item 89z) (continued)

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/72** The illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects.

Underlines the fact that the issue of the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects requires concerted efforts at the national, regional and international levels to prevent, combat and eradicate the illicit manufacture, transfer and circulation of small arms and light weapons and that their uncontrolled spread in many regions of the world has a wide range of humanitarian and socio economic consequences and poses a serious threat to peace, reconciliation, safety, security, stability and sustainable development at the individual, local, national, regional and international levels; decides that, in conformity with the follow-up to the Programme of Action, the next biennial meeting of States to consider the national, regional and global implementation of the Programme of Action shall be held in New York for a period of one week, no later than in 2010; also decides that the meeting of States to consider the implementation of the International Tracing Instrument shall be held within the framework of the biennial meeting of States; decides to convene an open-ended meeting of governmental experts for a period of one week, no later than in 2011, to address key implementation challenges and opportunities relating to particular issues and themes, including international cooperation and assistance; also decides to convene a conference to review progress made in implementation of the Programme of Action, for a period of two weeks in New York, no later than in 2012. (Adopted 181-1-0, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

# SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC-ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 89j)

See also: ARMS TRANSFERS-TRANSPARENCY SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC

### **Reports**

**A/63/261** Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures : assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and light weapons and collecting them : the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

#### SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC-ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 89j) (continued) Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.41 Assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and light weapons and collecting them : draft resolution / Mali [on behalf of the members of the Economic Community of West African States].

Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Angola, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Burundi, Canada, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Congo, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominican Republic, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Fiji, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Kenya, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malawi, Malta, Mauritania, Montenegro, Morocco, Mozambique, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, the Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Uganda, the United Kingdom, the United Republic of Tanzania and Zimbabwe (A/63/389).

A/C.1/63/L.43 Preventing and combating illicit brokering activities : draft resolution / Angola, Australia, Austria, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Chile, Colombia, Lithuania, Mexico, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Samoa, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Antigua and Barbuda, Belgium, Belize, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guinea, Guyana, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Latvia, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, Spain, Sweden, Togo, Turkey and Uganda (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.13	(21 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.14	(21 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.15	(22 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.20	(29 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.21	(30 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/389 was as follows: draft resolution XXVII (originally A/C.1/63/L.41), adopted without vote: resolution 63/66; draft resolution XXVIII (originally A/C.1/63/L.43), adopted without vote: resolution 63/67.

#### SMALL ARMS-ILLICIT TRAFFIC-ASSISTANCE (Agenda item 89j) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/66 Assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and light weapons and collecting them.

Commends the UN and international, regional and other organizations for their assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and light weapons and collecting them; encourages the international community to support the implementation of the Economic Community of West African States Convention on Small Arms and Light Weapons, Their Ammunition and Other Related Materials; encourages the countries of the Sahelo-Saharan subregion to facilitate the effective functioning of national commissions to combat the illicit proliferation of small arms and light weapons, and, in that regard, invites the international community to lend its support wherever possible; calls upon the international community to provide technical and financial support to strengthen the capacity of civil society organizations to take action to help to combat the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/67** Preventing and combating illicit brokering activities.

Underlines the commitment of Member States to address the threat posed by illicit brokering activities; encourages Member States to fully implement relevant international treaties, instruments and resolutions to prevent and combat illicit brokering activities: calls upon Member States to establish appropriate national laws and/or measures to prevent and combat the illicit brokering of conventional arms and of materials, equipment and technology that could contribute to the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery, in a manner consistent with international law: emphasizes the importance of international cooperation and assistance, capacity-building and information-sharing in preventing and combating illicit brokering activities; encourages Member States to draw, where appropriate, on the relevant expertise of civil society in developing effective measures to prevent and combat illicit brokering activities. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

#### SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES-SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

See: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-DEVELOPING ISLAND COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (1994 : BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP

#### SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 55)

See also: AGEING PERSONS-INTERNATIONAL YEAR

(1999)

DISABLED PERSONS DISABLED PERSONS-PROGRAMME OF

ACTION LITERACY-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2003-

- 2012)
- POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2ND: 2008-2017)

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT-CONFERENCE (1995 : COPENHAGEN)-FOLLOW-UP

SOCIAL SITUATION

#### General documents

- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- A/63/790 Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/823** Letter, 13 Mar. 2009, from Kazakhstan. Transmits speech given by the President of Kazakhstan entitled "Through crisis to renovation and prosperity" on 6 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

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

A/63/424 Report of the 3rd Committee.

### SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 55) (continued)

A/C.3/63/SR.1 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.4 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.11 (14 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

#### SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT-CONFERENCE (1995 : COPENHAGEN)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55a)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/133** 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: 16 July 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.3/63/L.5 Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the 24th special session of the General Assembly : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].
- A/C.3/63/L.5/Rev.1 Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the 24th special session of the General Assembly : revised draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Additional sponsors: Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (A/64/424).

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

A/63/424 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.1 (6 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.4 (7 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.11 (14 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.43 (20 Nov. 2008).

#### SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT-CONFERENCE (1995 : COPENHAGEN)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 55a) (continued)

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution III in A/63/424 (originally A/C.3/63/L.5/Rev.1), as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/152.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/152** Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the 24th special session of the General Assembly.

Welcomes the reaffirmation by Governments of their will and commitment to continue implementing the Copenhagen Declaration on Social Development and the Programme of Action; welcomes the proclamation of the 2nd UN Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017); requests the UN funds, programmes and agencies and invites financial institutions to support efforts to mainstream the goals of full and productive employment and decent work for all in their policies, programmes and activities; urges Governments to develop systems of social protection; reaffirms the commitments made in respect of "Meeting the special needs of Africa" at the 2005 World Summit; underlines the responsibility of the private sector; stresses the importance of promoting corporate social responsibility and accountability. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

#### SOCIAL SITUATION (Agenda item 55b)

See also: DISABLED PERSONS

#### **Reports**

**A/63/184** Follow-up to the implementation of the International Year of Volunteers : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 28 July 2008.

#### **General documents**

**A/63/699** Note verbale, 29 Jan. 2009, from Brazil. Transmits the Santos Charter adopted by the Meeting of Portuguese-speaking Countries for the Dissemination and Implementation of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and its Optional Protocol, held in Santos, Brazil, 10 and 14 Sept. 2008.

# SOCIAL SITUATION (Agenda item 55b) (continued)

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.6 Follow-up to the implementation of the International Year of Volunteers : draft resolution / Belgium, Brazil, Central African Republic, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Guatemala, Honduras, Italy, Japan, Lithuania, Malta, Mexico, Netherlands, Panama, Peru, Slovenia, Spain and Thailand.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Bulgaria, Canada, China, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, France, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lebanon, Luxembourg, Malawi, Monaco, Mongolia, Nicaragua, Norway, Papua New Guinea, the Philippines, Portugal, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Singapore, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Uganda, the United Republic of Tanzania, Turkey, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United States of America and Uruguay (A/63/424).

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

A/63/424 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.1 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.4 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.11 (14 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.23 (23 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/424 (originally A/C.3/63/L.6), as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/153.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/153** Follow-up to the implementation of the International Year of Volunteers.

Reaffirms the need to recognize and promote all forms of volunteerism as an issue that involves and benefits all segments of society, including women, children, young persons, older persons, persons with disabilities, minorities, migrants and those who remain excluded for social or economic reasons; decides that, on or around 5 Dec. 2011, the International Volunteer Day for Economic and Social Development, two plenary meetings of the 66th session of the General Assembly shall be devoted to follow up to the International Year and the commemoration of its 10th anniversary, under the item entitled "Social development". (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

#### SOMALIA

See: AFRICAN UNION MISSION IN SOMALIA-FINANCING

# SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN REGION-ZONE OF PEACE

See: ZONE OF PEACE-SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN REGION

### SOUTH CENTRE–OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 151)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

 A/C.6/63/L.3 Observer status for the South Centre in the General Assembly : draft resolution / Angola, Benin, Brazil, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Guyana, India, Indonesia, Jamaica, Malawi, Malaysia, Mauritius, Morocco, Mozambique, Nigeria, Philippines, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Sudan, Suriname, Syrian Arab Republic, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe. Additional sponsors: Madagascar and Mali

(A/63/453).

### Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/453 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.11 (21 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.25 (5 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/453 (originally A/C.6/63/L.3) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/131.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/131 Observer status for the South Centre in the General Assembly.

Decides to invite the South Centre 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, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

# SOUTHEAST EUROPE–REGIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 83)

**A/63/547** (S/2008/707) Letter, 13 Nov. 2008, from Greece. Refers to letter dated 6 Nov. 2008 from the Permanent Representative of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and refutes allegations regarding the military parade in Thessaloniki on 28 Oct. 2008; states that the military parade has been organized since the liberation of Greece from the Nazi occupation.

### SOUTHEAST EUROPE–REGIONAL SECURITY (Agenda item 83) (continued)

### General documents

- **A/63/62** (S/2008/123) Letter, 19 Feb. 2008, from the Russian Federation. Transmits joint statement by the Chamber Council of the Council of Federation and the Council of the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation concerning the self-proclamation of independence by the territory of Kosovo (Serbia) adopted on 18 Feb. 2008.
- **A/63/522** (S/2008/691) Letter, 6 Nov. 2008, from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Conveys the concern and disappointment of the Government of the Republic of Macedonia regarding the recent events that took place in Thessalonica, Greece, 28 Oct. 2008, during the military parade on the occasion of the national day commemorating the refusal of Greece to join the fascist ideology in 1940.
- **A/63/772** (S/2009/150) Letter, 14 Mar. 2009, from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Refutes allegations contained in letter from Greece (A/63/712) concerning alleged violations of Security Council resolutions 817 (1993) and 845 (1993) and the Interim Accord.
- **A/63/934** (S/2009/381) Letter, 23 July 2009, from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Refers to letter of 3 June 2009 from Greece and refutes allegations concerning violations of Security Council resolutions 817 (1993) and 845 (1993) and the 1995 Interim Accord.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.3 Maintenance of international security - goodneighbourliness, stability and development in South-Eastern Europe : draft decision / the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

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

A/63/383 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft decision in A/63/383 (originally A/C.1/63/L.3) was adopted without vote: decision 63/517.

#### SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY–UN (Agenda item 114u)

#### **Reports**

- A/63/228 (S/2008/531) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.
- **A/63/228/Corr.1** (S/2008/531/Corr.1) Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 24 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

#### SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY–UN (Agenda item 114u) (continued) Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.37 (3 Nov. 2008).

#### SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE-NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE

See: NUCLEAR-WEAPON-FREE ZONE-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

### SPORTS (Agenda item 42)

#### **Reports**

A/63/466 Sport for development and peace : building on the foundations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 Oct. 2008.

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- A/63/L.51 Sport as a means to promote education, health, development and peace : draft resolution / Australia, Austria, Chile, China, Germany, Italy, Monaco, Morocco, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Russian Federation, South Africa, Switzerland, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Zambia.
- A/63/L.51/Add.1 Sport as a means to promote education, health, development and peace : draft resolution. Additional sponsors: Albania. Andorra. Argentina.

Armenia, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Canada, Cape Verde, Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Indonesia, Israel, Jamaica, Japan, Kenya, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Maldives, Malta, Mauritius, Myanmar, Philippines, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Lucia, San Marino, Slovenia, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine and Uruguay

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

#### SPORTS (Agenda item 42) (continued)

A/63/PV.68 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 68th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.51 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/135.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/135** Sport as a means to promote education, health, development and peace.

Welcomes the Secretary-General's decision to renew the mandate of a Special Adviser to the Secretary-General on Sport for Development and Peace and to incorporate the Sport for Development and Peace International Working Group into the UN system under the leadership of the Special Adviser; also welcomes the establishment of a UN Office of Sport for Development and Peace, which constitutes a policy and communications platform that will facilitate partnerships, coordinate common strategies, policy and programmes and increase coherence and synergies, while simultaneously raising awareness within the UN system and among external partners; urges Member States that have not yet done so to consider signing, ratifying and acceding to the Convention on the Rights of the Child, the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the International Convention against Doping in Sport. (Adopted without vote, 68th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

#### STAFF RULES-UN

See: UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

#### STRADDLING FISH STOCKS (Agenda item 70b)

See also: LAW OF THE SEA

#### **Reports**

A/63/128 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 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 July 2008.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.43 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 / Australia, Austria, Brazil, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Kenya, Luxembourg, Monaco, Norway, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Trinidad and Tobago and United States of America.

### STRADDLING FISH STOCKS (Agenda item 70b) (continued)

A/63/L.43/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: Belgium, Belize, Cape Verde, Cyprus, Honduras, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), New Zealand, Palau, Saint Lucia, Samoa and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

#### Discussion in plenary

- A/63/PV.62 (4 Dec. 2008).
- A/63/PV.63 (4 Dec. 2008).
- A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.43 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/112.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/112 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 long-term conservation, management and sustainable use of the marine living resources of the world's oceans and seas and the obligations of States to cooperate to this end; Reaffirms its request that the Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN initiate arrangements with States for the collection and dissemination of data on fishing; welcomes the adoption by the Technical Consultation in Rome from 25 to 29 August 2008; urges States to exercise effective control over their nationals, including beneficial owners, and vessels flying their flag; requests States and relevant international bodies to develop more effective measures to trace fish and fishery products; requests the Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN to report on the state of progress in the implementation of the International Plan of Action for the Management of Fishing Capacity: urges coastal States and States fishing on the high seas to pursue cooperation in relation to straddling fish stocks and highly migratory fish stocks; encourages States to apply by 2010 the ecosystem approach of the Johannesburg Plan of Implementation. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

#### STRENGTHENING OF UN SYSTEM

See: UN SYSTEM-STRENGTHENING

#### SUBSIDIARY ORGANS-APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS (Agenda item 105)

- See also: INTERNATIONAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION-MEMBERS
  - JOINT INSPECTION UNIT-MEMBERS
  - UN. ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS-MEMBERS
  - UN. COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCES-MEMBERS
  - UN. COMMITTEE ON CONTRIBUTIONS MEMBERS
  - UN. INVESTMENTS COMMITTEE-MEMBERS
  - UN APPEALS TRIBUNAL-JUDGES
  - UN DISPUTE TRIBUNAL-JUDGES

UN STAFF PENSION COMMITTEE-MEMBERS

UNCTAD. SECRETARY-GENERAL

UNDP. ADMINISTRATOR

# SUBSIDIARY ORGANS-ELECTION OF MEMBERS (Agenda item 104)

- See also: UN. COMMITTEE FOR PROGRAMME AND COORDINATION-MEMBERS
  - UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL-MEMBERS
  - UN. PEACEBUILDING COMMISSION.
    - ORGANIZATIONAL COMMITTEE-MEMBERS

### SUDAN

See: AFRICAN UNION-UN HYBRID OPERATION IN DARFUR-FINANCING

UN MISSION IN THE SUDAN-FINANCING

#### SUMMARY EXECUTIONS (Agenda item 64b) Reports

**A/63/313** Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Aug. 2008. - Transmits interim report of the Special Rapporteur of the Human Rights Council on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary Executions, Philip Alston, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 61/173.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.35 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Timor-Leste, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Republic of Korea and Uruguay (A/63/430/Add.2).

### SUMMARY EXECUTIONS (Agenda item 64b) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.35/Rev.1 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : revised draft resolution / Albania. Andorra. Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Benin withdrew its sponsorship of the draft resolution (A/63/430/Add.2).

- A/C.3/63/L.59 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.35 / Uganda [on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference].
- A/C.3/63/L.60 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.35 / Uganda [on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference].
- A/C.3/63/L.74 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : amendment to draft resolution
   A/C.3/63/L.35/Rev.1 / Uganda [on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference]. The draft resolution was withdrawn by it sponsor (A/63/430/Add.2).
- A/C.3/63/L.75 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions : amendment to draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.35/Rev.1 / Uganda [on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference]. The draft resolution was rejected by the Committee (A/63/430/Add.2).

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

A/63/430/Add.2 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.25	(24 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.35	(4 Nov. 2008).

- A/C.3/63/SR.46 (24 Nov. 2008). A/C.3/63/SR.47 (24 Nov. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution XV in A/63/430/Add.2 (originally A/C.3/63/L.35/Rev.1), as a whole, was adopted (127-0-58): resolution 63/182.

#### SUMMARY EXECUTIONS (Agenda item 64b) (continued) Resolutions

### A/RES/63/182 Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions.

Demands that all States ensure that the practice of extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions is brought to an end and that they take effective action to prevent, combat and eliminate the phenomenon in all its forms and manifestations; calls upon Governments and invites intergovernmental and non governmental organizations to pay greater attention to the work of national level commissions of inquiry into extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions; calls upon all States to comply with their obligations under relevant provisions of international human rights instruments; urges all States to take all necessary and possible measures to prevent loss of life and to ensure that the police, law enforcement agents, armed forces and other agents acting on behalf of or with the consent or acquiescence of the State act with restraint and in conformity with international human rights law and international humanitarian law, and to ensure the effective protection of the right to life of all persons under their jurisdiction and to investigate promptly and thoroughly all killings; urges all States to ensure that persons deprived of their liberty are treated humanely and with full respect for their human rights; urges all States to cooperate with the Special Rapporteur; and 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. (Adopted 127-0-58, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

#### SUPPORT ACCOUNT FOR PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

See: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-FINANCING

#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 49)

See also: AGENDA 21–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY–TREATY (1992) CLIMATE

> DESERTIFICATION-TREATY (1994) DISASTER PREVENTION

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-DEVELOPING ISLAND COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (1994 : BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP

UNEP. GOVERNING COUNCIL-REPORTS

#### **Reports**

A/63/25 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 25) United Nations Environment Programme : report of the Governing Council, 10th special session (20-22 February 2008). Issued: 2008.

A/63/76 (E/2008/54) Products harmful to health and the environment : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 May 2008.

A/63/225 Oil slick on Lebanese shores : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 6 Aug. 2008.

# SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 49) (continued)

#### General documents

- **A/63/66** Letter, 14 Mar. 2008, from the Sudan. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Arab Group for the month of Mar. 2008, and on behalf of the members of the League of Arab States, the Arab Ministerial Declaration on Climate Change adopted by the Council of Arab Ministers Responsible for the Environment at its 19th session, held in Cairo, 5-6 Dec. 2007.
- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- A/63/598 (E/2009/7) Letter, 28 Nov. 2008, from Spain. Transmits the 2008 Zaragoza Charter, the outcome of the working sessions of the Water Tribune of the 2008 Zaragoza International Exhibition on the theme of "Water and Sustainable Development".
- **A/63/636** Letter, 19 Dec. 2008, from Australia, Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, Denmark, El Salvador, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Namibia, Philippines, Poland, Russian Federation, South Africa, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, United Arab Emirates and Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela. Requests the convening of a thematic debate on energy efficiency, energy conservation, and new and renewable sources of energy at the 63rd session of the General Assembly.
- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/723** Letter, 17 Feb. 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits information concerning the announcement of 2009 as the Year of Development and Improvement of the Countryside in Uzbekistan.
- **A/63/740** Letter, 20 Feb. 2009, from Namibia. Transmits the "Windhoek High-level Ministerial Declaration on African Agriculture in the 21st Century: Meeting the Challenges, Making a Sustainable Green Revolution" adopted at the high-level meeting for the Africa region on the theme "African agriculture in the 21st century: meeting the challenges, making a sustainable green revolution", held in Windhoek, on 9 and 10 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/770 Letter, 13 Mar. 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits information entitled "Uzbekistan supports the key role of the United Nations in establishing norms of international law on the just and fair distribution of water resources of transboundary rivers".

### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 49) (continued)

- **A/63/775** Letter, 19 Mar. 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits information on establishment of the free industrial economic zone on the basis of Navoi Airport and on perspectives of Uzbekistan's economic development from 2009 to 2014.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/821** Letter, 15 Apr. 2009, from Turkmenistan. Transmits information on the reforms concerning the revitalization of villages in Turkmenistan.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/839** Letter, 28 Apr. 2009, from Kazakhstan. Transmits joint statement by the Heads of State of Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan, the founding nations of the International Fund for Saving the Aral Sea, on the improvement of the environmental and socio-economic conditions of the Aral Sea basin, Almaty, 28 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/843** Letter, 4 May 2009, from Turkmenistan. Transmits the statement of the Chairmanship of the High-level Ashgabat Conference on "Reliable and stable transit of energy and its role in ensuring sustainable development and international cooperation" held on 23 and 24 April 2009 in Ashgabat, Turkmenistan.
- **A/63/847** Letter, 7 May 2009, from Belarus. Transmits letter concerning the declaration of 2009 as the "Year of Our Native Land" in Belarus.
- **A/63/852** Letter, 7 May 2009, from Turkey. Transmits the Ministerial Statement adopted at the 5th World Water Forum, held in Istanbul,16-22 Mar. 2009 and the Istanbul Water Guide.
- A/63/857 Letter, 20 May 2009, from Uzbekistan. Transmits communication entitled "Uzbekistan - Republic of Korea: new stage in cooperation" summarizing the visit to Uzbekistan by the President of the Republic of Korea, 10 to 12 May 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.

### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 49) (continued)

- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- A/C.2/63/6 Letter, 30 Oct. 2008, from Uzbekistan. Transmits information on the position of the Republic of Uzbekistan on the issue of rational use of water resources in Central Asia.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- **A/C.2/63/L.2** International Year of Chemistry : draft resolution / Ethiopia.
- A/C.2/63/L.2/Rev.1 International Year of Chemistry : revised draft resolution / Ethiopia.

Additional sponsors: Armenia, Brazil, Chile, Cuba, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Egypt, Gabon, Ghana, Guyana, Iraq, Israel, Japan, Kenya, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malawi, Morocco, Nigeria, Oman, the Philippines, the Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Swaziland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine, the United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Viet Nam and Yemen (A/63/414).

A/C.2/63/L.2/Rev.1/Add.1 International Year of Chemistry : revised draft resolution.

Additional sponsors: Brazil, Cuba, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Egypt, Ghana, Israel, Japan, Kenya, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malawi, Nigeria, Oman, Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, South Africa, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Ukraine, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Viet Nam and Yemen.

A/C.2/63/L.3 Reliable transit of energy and its role in ensuring stable economic development and international cooperation : draft resolution / Armenia, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan.

A/C.2/63/L.3/Rev.1 Reliable transit of energy and its role in ensuring stable economic development and international cooperation : revised draft resolution / Afghanistan, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Iceland, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, Republic of Korea, Tajikistan, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine and Uzbekistan.

Additional sponsors: Australia, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, China, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, the Russian Federation, Seychelles, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the Syrian Arab Republic, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America (A/63/414).

### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 49) (continued)

A/C.2/63/L.3/Rev.1/Add.1 Reliable and stable transit of energy and its role in ensuring sustainable development and international cooperation : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Canada, Egypt, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Mongolia and Republic of Moldova.

- A/C.2/63/L.24 Oil slick on Lebanese shores : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].
- A/C.2/63/L.24/Rev.1 Oil slick on Lebanese shores : revised draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

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

A/63/414 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/414/Corr.1 Report of the 2nd Committee : corrigendum.

Conects to	EXI.
A/C.2/63/SR.17	(27 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.18	(27 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.19	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.20	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.27	(18 Nov. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.28	(20 Nov. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.29	(25 Nov. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.30	(26 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/414 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/63/L.2/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/209; draft resolution II (A/C.2/63/L.3/Rev.1), as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/210; draft resolution III (originally A/C.2/63/L.24/Rev.1), as orally corrected, was adopted (165-7-2): resolution 63/211.

### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (Agenda item 49) (continued)

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/209 International Year of Chemistry.

Decides to proclaim 2011 the International Year of Chemistry; designates the Unesco as the lead agency and focal point for the Year and invites it to organize activities to be realized during the Year, in collaboration with other relevant entities of the UN system, the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry and its associated organizations and federations across the world, and, in this regard, notes that the activities of the Year will be funded from voluntary contributions, including from the private sector; encourages all Member States, the UN system and all other actors to take advantage of the Year to promote actions at all levels aimed at increasing awareness among the public of the importance of chemistry and promoting widespread access to new knowledge and to chemistry activities. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/210 Reliable and stable transit of energy and its role in ensuring sustainable development and international cooperation.

nternational cooperation.

Welcomes international cooperation in developing transportation systems and pipelines; recognizes the need for extensive international cooperation in determining ways of ensuring the reliable transportation of energy to international markets through pipelines and other transportation systems; welcomes the initiative of Turkmenistan to convene in 2009 a high-level international conference to discuss the issue of ensuring the reliable and stable transportation of energy to international markets. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### A/RES/63/211 Oil slick on Lebanese shores.

Considers that the oil slick has heavily polluted the shores of Lebanon and partially polluted Syrian shores and consequently has had serious implications for livelihoods and the economy of Lebanon, owing to the adverse implications for natural resources, biodiversity, fisheries and tourism, and for human health, in the country; requests the Government of Israel to assume responsibility for prompt and adequate compensation to the Government of Lebanon and other countries directly affected by the oil slick, such as the Syrian Arab Republic whose shores have been partially polluted, for the costs of repairing the environmental damage caused by the destruction, including the restoration of the marine environment; decides to establish an Eastern Mediterranean Oil Spill Restoration Trust Fund, based on voluntary contributions, to provide assistance and support to the States directly adversely affected in their integrated environmentally sound management, from clean-up to safe disposal of oily waste, of this environmental disaster resulting from the destruction of the oil storage tanks at El-Jiyeh electric power plant, and requests the Secretary-General to implement this decision before the end of the 63rd session of the General Assembly. (Adopted 165-7-2, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-DEVELOPING ISLAND COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (1994 : BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 49b)

See also: DESERTIFICATION-TREATY (1994)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/296** Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 18 Aug. 2008.

A/63/297 Towards the sustainable development of the Caribbean Sea for present and future generations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Aug. 2008.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.2/63/L.12 Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.44 (A/63/414/Add.2).

**A/C.2/63/L.13** Towards the sustainable development of the Caribbean Sea for present and future generations : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.52 (A/63/414/Add.2).

A/C.2/63/L.44 Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the 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, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.12.

A/C.2/63/L.52 Towards the sustainable development of the Caribbean Sea for present and future generations : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.13.

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

A/63/414 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/414/Add.2 Report of the 2nd Committee.

- A/C.2/63/SR.17 (27 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.2/63/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.2/63/SR.19 (28 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.2/63/SR.20 (28 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.2/63/SR.24 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.30 (26 Nov. 2008).

#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-DEVELOPING **ISLAND COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (1994 :** BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 49b) (continued)

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/414/Add.2 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.2/63/L.44) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/213; draft resolution II (originally A/C.2/63/L.52) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/214.

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/213 Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States.

Reaffirms the decision taken by the Commission on Sustainable Development at its sixteenth session that one day of its review sessions should be devoted exclusively to the review of the Mauritius Strategy for Implementation, focusing on that year's thematic cluster, as well as on any new developments in the sustainable development efforts of small island developing States using existing modalities; reaffirms its decision to review, at its 65th session, the progress made in addressing the vulnerabilities of small island developing States through the implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for Implementation, decides to convene a 2-day high-level review in September 2010 as a part of that session, and requests the Secretary-General to report to the Assembly at its 64th session on possible arrangements for the review: decides that the 2-day highlevel review should be preceded, where necessary, by national, subregional, regional and substantive preparations in a most effective, well-structured and broad participatory manner; stresses that the review should provide the international community with an opportunity to conduct an assessment of the progress made, lessons learned and constraints encountered in the implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for Implementation and agree on what needs to be done to further address the vulnerabilities of small island developing States. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-DEVELOPING **ISLAND COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (1994 :** BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 49b) (continued)

A/RES/63/214 Towards the sustainable development of the Caribbean Sea for present and future generations.

Recognizes that the Caribbean Sea is an area of unique biodiversity and a highly fragile ecosystem that requires relevant regional and international development partners to work together to develop and implement regional initiatives to promote the sustainable conservation and management of coastal and marine resources; invites the Association of Caribbean States to submit a report to the Secretary-General on the progress made in the implementation of the present resolution, for consideration during the 65th session of the General Assembly; supports the efforts of Caribbean countries to implement sustainable fisheries management programmes and to meet the principles of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN; expresses deep concern about the severe destruction and devastation caused to several countries by heightened hurricane activity in the wider Caribbean region in recent years; 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, based on their development priorities, through the integration of relief, rehabilitation and reconstruction into a comprehensive approach to sustainable development. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT-ENVIRONMENT-CONFERENCES (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO, **BRAZIL**)

See: AGENDA 21-PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

#### **TECHNOLOGY-MILITARY APPLICATION**

See: SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY-INTERNATIONAL SECURITY

#### TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN **RIGHTS (Agenda item 30)** Reports

A/63/273 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: 13 Aug. 2008. - Transmits the 40th report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices

Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories, submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 62/106.

#### TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 30) (continued)

**A/63/326** Situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 25 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the Special Rapporteur on the Situation of Human Rights in the Palestinian Territories Occupied since 1967, Richard Falk, submitted in accordance with Human Rights Council resolution 5/1; covers the period from 1 Jan.-31 July 2008.

- A/63/368 (S/2008/612) Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/482** The occupied Syrian Golan : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Oct. 2008.

- A/63/483 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: 12 Sept. 2007.
- A/63/484 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: 15 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/518** Israeli practices affecting the human rights of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Nov. 2008.

A/63/519 Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the occupied Syrian Golan : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 5 Nov. 2008.

#### **General documents**

- **A/63/669** Identical letters, 31 Dec. 2008, from Syrian Arab Republic addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Refers to holiday wine gifts allegedly distributed to staff of the UN Secretariat by the Permanent Mission of Israel and states that the wines were made from grapes harvested and bottles made in the occupied Syrian Golan and requests all UN staff to refrain from accepting these gifts produced illegally in violation of the Security Council and General Assembly resolutions.
- **A/63/678** Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the escalation of the Israeli military activity in the Gaza Strip.

#### TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 30) (continued)

- **A/63/679** (S/2009/36) Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in his capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the non-compliance by Israel with Security Council resolution 1860 (2009) and the escalation of military aggression against the Gaza Strip.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.4/63/L.15 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, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Djibouti, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine:.

Additional sponsors: Cuba, Guinea, Indonesia, Mali, Nigeria, the Sudan and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/401).

A/C.4/63/L.16 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, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Cuba, Djibouti, Guinea, Indonesia, Mali, the Sudan and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/401).

#### TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 30) (continued)

 A/C.4/63/L.17 Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the occupied Syrian Golan : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Cuba, Djibouti, Guinea, Indonesia, the Sudan and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/401).

A/C.4/63/L.18 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, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Cuba, Djibouti, Guinea, Indonesia, Mali, the Sudan and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/401).

A/C.4/63/L.19 The occupied Syrian Golan : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Cuba, Djibouti, Guinea, Indonesia, the Sudan and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/401).

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

**A/63/401** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.21 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.22 (5 Nov. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.23 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.24 (7 Nov. 2008).

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

A/C.3/63/SR.22 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.23 (23 Oct. 2008).

#### TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 30) (continued) Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/401 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.4/63/L.15), adopted (94-8-73): resolution 63/95; draft resolution II (originally A/C.4/63/L.16), adopted (173-6-1): resolution 63/96; draft resolution III (originally A/C.4/63/L.17), adopted (171-6-2): resolution 63/97; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.4/63/L.18), adopted (165-8-4): resolution 63/98; draft resolution V (originally A/C.4/63/L.19), adopted (171-1-7): resolution 63/99.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/95 Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories.

Commends the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories for its efforts in performing the tasks assigned to it by the General Assembly and for its impartiality; reiterates its demand that Israel, the occupying Power, cooperate, in accordance with its obligations as a State Member of the UN, with the Special Committee in implementing its mandate; deplores those policies and practices of Israel that violate the human rights of the Palestinian people and other Arabs of the occupied territories, as reflected in the report of the Special Committee covering the reporting period; requests the Special Committee, pending complete termination of the Israeli occupation, to continue to investigate Israeli policies and practices in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and other Arab territories occupied by Israel since 1967, especially Israeli violations of the Geneva Convention relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War of 12 Aug. 1949, and to consult, as appropriate, with the International Committee of the Red Cross according to its regulations in order to ensure that the welfare and human rights of the peoples of the occupied territories are safeguarded and to report to the Secretary-General as soon as possible and whenever the need arises thereafter. (Adopted 94-8-73, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

#### TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 30) (continued)

A/RES/63/96 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.

Reaffirms that the Geneva Convention is applicable to the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and other Arab territories occupied by Israel since 1967; calls upon all High Contracting Parties to the Convention to continue to exert all efforts to ensure respect for its provisions by Israel; reiterates the need for speedy implementation of the relevant recommendations contained in the resolutions adopted by the General Assembly at its 10th emergency special session, including resolution ES 10/15, with regard to ensuring respect by Israel for the provisions of the Convention. (Adopted 173-6-1, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/97 Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the occupied Syrian Golan.

Reaffirms that the 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; reiterates its demand for the immediate and complete cessation of all Israeli settlement activities in all of the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and in the occupied Syrian Golan, and calls in this regard for the full implementation of the relevant Security Council resolutions, including resolution 465 (1980); demands that Israel, the occupying Power, comply with its legal obligations; reiterates its calls for the prevention of all acts of violence and harassment by Israeli settlers, especially against Palestinian civilians and their properties and agricultural lands, and stresses the need for the implementation of Security Council resolution 904 (1994). (Adopted 171-6-2, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

#### TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 30) (continued)

**A/RES/63/98** Israeli practices affecting the human rights of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem.

Demands that Israel cease all practices and actions that violate the human rights of the Palestinian people and that it respect human rights law and comply with its legal obligations in this regard; demands that Israel comply fully with the provisions of the Fourth Geneva Convention of 1949 and cease immediately all measures and actions taken in violation and in breach of the Convention; condemns all acts of violence; 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; calls upon Israel to cease its imposition of closures and restrictions on movement; urges Member States to continue to provide emergency assistance to the Palestinian people to alleviate the financial crisis and the dire socio-economic and humanitarian situation. particularly in the Gaza Strip; emphasizes the need to preserve the Palestinian institutions and infrastructure for the provision of vital public services to the Palestinian civilian population and the promotion of human rights. (Adopted 165-8-4, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

#### A/RES/63/99 The occupied Syrian Golan.

Determines that all legislative and administrative measures and actions taken or to be taken by Israel, the occupying Power, 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 relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 Aug. 1949, and have no legal effect; calls upon Israel to desist from imposing Israeli citizenship and Israeli identity cards on the Syrian citizens in the occupied Syrian Golan, and from its repressive measures against the population of the occupied Syrian Golan; 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. (Adopted 171-1-7, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-NATURAL RESOURCES (Agenda item 38)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/74** (E/2008/13) Economic and social repercussions of the Israeli occupation on the living conditions of the Palestinian people in the occupied Palestinian territory, including East Jerusalem, and of the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 6 May 2008. - Transmits report prepared by the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia, submitted in response to the Economic and Social Council resolution 2007/26 and General Assembly resolution 62/181.

#### TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–NATURAL RESOURCES (Agenda item 38) (continued) General documents

- **A/63/123** Letter, 8 July 2008, from Italy. Transmits, on behalf of the Presidency of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, resolutions adopted at the 118th Assembly of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held in Cape Town, South Africa, 18 Apr. 2008.
- **A/63/669** Identical letters, 31 Dec. 2008, from Syrian Arab Republic addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council. Refers to holiday wine gifts allegedly distributed to staff of the UN Secretariat by the Permanent Mission of Israel and states that the wines were made from grapes harvested and bottles made in the occupied Syrian Golan and requests all UN staff to refrain from accepting these gifts produced illegally in violation of the Security Council and General Assembly resolutions.
- **A/63/678** Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the escalation of the Israeli military activity in the Gaza Strip.
- **A/63/679** (S/2009/36) Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in his capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the non-compliance by Israel with Security Council resolution 1860 (2009) and the escalation of military aggression against the Gaza Strip.
- A/63/704 Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL–NATURAL RESOURCES (Agenda item 38) (continued) Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.2/63/L.5 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, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, Indonesia, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Yemen and Palestine.
  - Additional sponsor: Pakistan (A/63/410).

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

A/63/410 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.13 (20 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.28 (20 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.5) in A/63/410, was adopted (164-8-5): resolution 63/201.

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/201** 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; stresses that the wall being constructed by Israel in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including in and around East Jerusalem, is contrary to international law and is seriously depriving the Palestinian people of their natural resources, and calls in this regard for full compliance with the legal obligations mentioned in the 9 July 2004 advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice and in resolution ES-10/15; calls upon Israel, the occupying Power, to comply strictly with its obligations under international law, including international humanitarian law, with respect to the alteration of the character and status of the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem; further calls upon Israel to cease its destruction of vital infrastructure, including water pipelines and sewage networks, which, inter alia, has a negative impact on the natural resources of the Palestinian people. (Adopted 164-8-5, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

#### **TERRORISM (Agenda item 99)**

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS-TERRORISM WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION-TERRORISM

#### **Reports**

 A/63/37 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 37) Report of the Ad Hoc Committee established by General Assembly resolution 51/210 of 17 December 1996, 12th session (25 and 26 February and 6 March 2008). Issued: 2008.

A/63/89 Assistance in implementing the universal conventions and protocols related to terrorism : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 24 June 2008.

A/63/173 Measures to eliminate international terrorism : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 25 July 2008.

A/63/173/Add.1 Measures to eliminate international terrorism : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 8 Sept. 2008. - Contains information received from member States and international organizations.

#### **General documents**

- A/63/123 Letter, 8 July 2008, from Italy. Transmits, on behalf of the Presidency of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, resolutions adopted at the 118th Assembly of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held in Cape Town, South Africa, 18 Apr. 2008.
- **A/63/281** (S/2008/431) Letter, 30 June 2008, from Cuba. Transmits statement made by the Minister of Foreign Relations at a press conference on 22 May 2008, concerning the alleged relationship between terrorists of Cuban origin in Miami, United States diplomats in Havana and mercenary activities in Cuba.
- A/63/507 (S/2008/675) Letter, 23 Oct. 2008, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Refers to the action taken by the Government of the United Kingdom to take out the name of the "People's Mojahedin Organization of Iran" (PMOI) from its list of proscribed groups and states that it considers the United Kingdom responsible for the spread of the activities of the organization in the United Kingdom and beyond.
- **A/63/660** (S/2008/811) Letter, 23 Dec. 2008, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement by the State Duma of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation dated 3 Dec. 2008 concerning the terrorist acts in the Indian city of Mumbai.
- **A/63/695** (S/2009/53) Letter, 27 Jan. 2009, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Refers to decision made by the Council of Foreign Ministers of the European Union on 26 Jan. 2009 to remove the name of the Mujahideen-e-Khalq Organization (MKO) from its list and states that this move would adversely affect the international community's fight against terrorism.

#### **TERRORISM (Agenda item 99) (continued)**

- **A/63/739** (S/2009/114) Identical letters, 19 Feb. 2009, from New Zealand addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Transmits, on behalf of the members of the Pacific Islands Forum, the conclusions of the Regional Consultation Workshop on measures for the legislative implementation of the legal regime against terrorism in the Pacific region and related technical assistance delivery, organized by the UN Office on Drugs and Crime in cooperation with the Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat, held in Suva, 2-3 June 2008.
- **A/63/811** (S/2009/179) Letter, 26 Mar. 2009, from the Republic of Korea. Transmits statement by the Spokesperson and Deputy Minister for Public Relations of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of the Republic of Korea regarding alleged terrorist bombing against Korean tourists in Yemen on 15 March 2009.
- A/63/844 (S/2009/237) Identical letters, 4 May 2009, from Kenya addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council. Transmits copy of the outcome document of the subregional workshop on the preparation of responses to the United Nations Security Council Committees dealing with counter-terrorism, held in Nairobi from 11 to 13 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/865** (S/2009/273) Letter, 21 May 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement on the growing threat to international security posed by the spread of narcotic drugs from Afghanistan made by the State Duma of the Russian Federal Assembly, 6 May 2009.
- **A/63/925** Letter, 2 July 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the Political Declaration on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, adopted at the Ministerial Conference on Illicit Drug Trafficking, Transnational Organized Crime and Terrorism as Challenges for Security and Development in Central America, held in Managua, Nicaragua, on 24 June 2009.
- A/63/945 Letter, 10 Aug. 2009, from Cuba. Concerns the denial of an entry visa to the United States of Adriana Pérez O'Connor, wife of Gerardo Hernández Nordelo, a Cuban citizen imprisoned in the United States; transmits annex entitled "Appeal to the parliaments and peoples of the world".
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### TERRORISM (Agenda item 99) (continued)

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/C.6/63/L.11** Measures to eliminate international terrorism : draft resolution.

Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/444 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.2 (8 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.3 (8 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.4 (9 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.14 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/444 (originally A/C.6/63/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/129.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/129 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; urges States to ensure that their nationals or other persons and entities within their territory that wilfully provide or collect funds for the benefit of persons or entities who commit, or attempt to commit, facilitate or participate in the commission of terrorist acts are punished by penalties consistent with the grave nature of such acts; reaffirms the Declaration on Measures to Eliminate International Terrorism and the Declaration to Supplement the 1994 Declaration on Measures to Eliminate International Terrorism; decides that the Ad Hoc Committee shall, on an expedited basis, continue to elaborate the draft comprehensive convention on international terrorism, and shall continue to discuss the item included in its agenda by General Assembly resolution 54/110 concerning the question of convening a high-level conference under the auspices of the UN; also decides that the Ad Hoc Committee shall meet from 29 June to 2 July 2009. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

#### **TERRORISM-HUMAN RIGHTS**

See: HUMAN RIGHTS-TERRORISM

#### TIMOR-LESTE

See: UN INTEGRATED MISSION IN TIMOR-LESTE-FINANCING UN MISSION IN EAST TIMOR-FINANCING

#### TOKELAU QUESTION (Agenda item 37) Reports

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

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

A/63/408 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.6 (10 Oct. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution III in A/63/408 entitled "Question of Tokelau" was adopted without vote: resolution 63/107.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/107 Question of Tokelau.

Notes that Tokelau and New Zealand remain firmly committed to the ongoing development of Tokelau; welcomes the substantial progress made towards the devolution of power to the three taupulega (village councils); acknowledges Tokelau's initiative in devising a strategic economic development plan for the period 2007-2010; welcomes the actions taken by the administering Power to transmit information regarding the political, economic and social situation of Tokelau to the Secretary-General; commends the professional and transparent conduct of both the Feb. 2006 and the Oct. 2007 referendums, monitored by UN. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

# TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL TREATMENT (Agenda item 64a)

#### **Reports**

- A/63/44 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 44) Report of the Committee against Torture, 39th session (5-23 November 2007); 40th session (28 April-16 May 2008). Issued: 2008.
- **A/63/220** United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 5 Aug. 2008.

#### TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL TREATMENT (Agenda item 64a) (continued) Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.18 Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment : draft resolution / Argentina, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Benin, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Mongolia, Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, United States of America and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: the Republic of Moldova and Timor-Leste (A/63/430/Add.1).

A/C.3/63/L.18/Rev.1 Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment : revised draft resolution / Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Mexico, Mongolia, Montenegro, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Bangladesh, Belarus, Burundi, Cape Verde, the Dominican Republic, Georgia, Israel, Kyrgyzstan, Madagascar, Mali, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nicaragua, the Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Senegal, Togo, Turkey and Ukraine (A/63/430/Add.1)

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

A/63/430/Add.1 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.29 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.40 (18 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 70th meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/430/Add.1 (originally A/C.3/63/L.18/Rev.1) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/166.

#### TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL TREATMENT (Agenda item 64a) (continued) Resolutions

**A/RES/63/166** Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment.

Calls upon all States to adopt a gender-sensitive approach in the fight against torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment, paying special attention to violence against women and girls; Strongly urges States to ensure that no statement that is established to have been made as a result of torture is invoked as evidence in any proceedings, except against a person accused of torture as evidence that the statement was made; Stresses that States must not punish personnel for not obeying orders to commit or conceal acts amounting to torture or other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment; Urges States not to expel, return ("refouler"), extradite or in any other way transfer a person to another State where there are substantial grounds for believing that the person would be in danger of being subjected to torture, and recognizes that diplomatic assurances, where used, do not release States from their obligations under international human rights, humanitarian and refugee law, in particular the principle of nonrefoulement; Urges all States that have not yet done so to become parties to the Convention as a matter of priority, and calls upon States parties to give early consideration to signing and ratifying the Optional Protocol to the Convention. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

#### **TOXIN WEAPONS**

See: BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS-TREATY (1972)

#### TRAINING PROGRAMMES-NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES

See: NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES-FELLOWSHIPS

#### TRANSNATIONAL CORPORATIONS-HUMAN RIGHTS (Agenda item 64b)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/270** Human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 12 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on the Issue of Human Rights and Transnational Corporations and Other Business Enterprises, submitted in accordance with Human Rights Council resolution 8/7.

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

A/C.3/63/SR.27 (27 Oct. 2008).

#### TRANSNATIONAL CRIME

See: CRIME PREVENTION

#### TRAVEL CONTROLS-UN ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

See: UN-HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS

### TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

#### **Reports**

**A/63/23** (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/C.4/63/L.6** 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

A/63/408 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-X].

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/108[B-X] Turks and Caicos Islands.

Recalls the Constitution of the Territory, which took effect in 2006, and notes the view of the territorial Government that there remains scope for a degree of delegation of the Governor's power to the Territory so as to secure greater autonomy; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning public outreach efforts, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested; welcomes the continuing efforts made by the Government addressing the need for attention to be paid to the enhancement of social cohesion across the Territory. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

#### UN-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116a)

See also: UN-BUDGET (2008-2009)

#### UN–ADMINISTRATION (Agenda item 117)

See also: ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY COORDINATION-UN SYSTEM UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) UN-FINANCIAL REPORTS UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT UN-PROGRAMME PLANNING UN ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

#### **Reports**

**A/61/805** Results-based management in the United Nations in the context of the reform process : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 19 Mar. 2007. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2006/6), prepared by Even Fontaine Ortiz and Guangting Tang.

A/62/701 Accountability framework, enterprise risk management and internal control framework, and results-based management framework : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 19 Feb. 2008.

A/62/701/Add.1 Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 28A, 28D, 29 and 35, related to the accountability framework, enterprise risk management and internal control framework, and results based management framework : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 26 Feb. 2008.

A/62/701/Corr.1 Accountability framework, enterprise risk management and internal control framework, and results-based management framework : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 14 Mar. 2008. - Replaces figure I "Accountability architecture", annex I "Summary of accountability survey results" and annex II "Applying risk to audit planning".

**A/63/140** Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on knowledge management in the United Nations system : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Knowledge management in the United Nations system" (JIU/REP/2007/6) prepared by Juan Luis Larrabure.

A/63/140/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on knowledge management in the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2008. - Transmits Secretary-General's comments and those of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination (CEB) on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Knowledge management in the United Nations system"(JIU/REP/2007/6).

A/63/167 Report of the Board of Auditors on the activities of the Procurement Task Force : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Board of Auditors on the activities of the Procurement Task Force for the period from 1 Jan. 2006 to 30 June 2007.

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- A/63/167/Add.1 Implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors in its report on the activities of the Procurement Task Force : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 25 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/268 Review of results-based management at the United Nations : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.

- A/63/328 Activities of the Independent Audit Advisory Committee for the period from 1 January to 31 July 2008
   : report of the Independent Audit Advisory Committee. Issued: 25 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/331 Information-sharing practices between the United Nations and national law enforcement authorities, as well as referrals of possible criminal cases related to United Nations staff, United Nations officials and experts on mission : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 25 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/369 Information requested in paragraph 17 of General Assembly resolution 62/247 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.

Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.

**A/63/457** Accountability framework, enterprise risk management and internal control framework, and results-based management framework : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 29 Sept. 2008.

- A/63/490 Report on the activities of the Procurement Task Force : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/492** Information requested in paragraph 17 of General Assembly resolution 62/247 : informationsharing practices between the United Nations and national law enforcement authorities, as well as referrals of possible criminal cases related to United Nations staff, United Nations officials and experts on mission : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 20 Oct. 2008.

- **A/63/600** Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2010-2011 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 11 Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/737** Vacant posts in the Office of Internal Oversight Services : report of the Independent Audit Advisory Committee.

Issued: 23 Feb. 2009.

#### General documents

A/62/704 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on resultsbased management in the United Nations in the context of the reform process : note / by the Secretary-General.

### UN-ADMINISTRATION (Agenda item 117) (continued)

- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- **A/C.5/63/L.26** Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2010-2011 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/63/L.28 Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on its activities : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.29** Questions deferred for future consideration : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.
- A/C.5/63/L.39 Accountability framework, enterprise risk management and internal control framework, and results-based management framework: draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman of the Committee following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.41** Questions deferred for future consideration : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.
- **A/C.5/63/L.67** Questions deferred for future consideration : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman.

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

A/63/649 Report of the 5th Committee.

- A/63/649/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/63/649/Add.2 Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/63/658 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.4 (8 Oct. 2008).

- A/C.5/63/SR.5 (9 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.11 (23 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.26 (19 Dec. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.31 (9 Mar. 2009).
- A/C.5/63/SR.39 (27 Mar. 2009).
- A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

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#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/658 (originally A/C.5/63/L.28) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/265; draft resolution in A/63/649 (originally A/C.5/63/L.26) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/266; draft decision in A/63/649 (originally A/C.5/63/L.29) was adopted without vote: decision 63/550 A.

#### A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, action on draft resolution and draft decision in A/63/649/Add.1 was as follows: draft resolution (originally A/C.5/63/L.39), adopted without vote: resolution 63/276; draft decision (originally A/C.5/63/L.41), adopted without vote: decision 63/550 B.

#### A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft decision in A/63/649/Add.2 (originally A/C.5/63/L.67) was adopted without vote: decision 63/550 C.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/265 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on its activities.

Requests the Secretary-General to ensure that all relevant resolutions are brought to the attention of relevant managers, and that the Office of Internal Oversight Services (OIOS) also take those resolutions into account in the conduct of its activities; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that all relevant resolutions pertaining to the work of the OIOS are brought to the attention of the relevant managers; endorses the conclusions and recommendations contained in the reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the OIOS has the expertise and capacity within its approved structure to effectively investigate allegations of fraud, corruption and misconduct in procurement; requests the Secretary-General to prepare standardized and consolidated rules and procedures applicable to all investigations in the United Nations other than the investigations conducted by the OIOS, and to ensure that such rules and procedures are made available to all UN personnel and to provide information thereon to the General Assembly at its 64th session, without prejudice to para. 18 of its resolution 62/247. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

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A/RES/63/266 Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2010-2011.

Endorses the observations and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; decides that the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011 shall contain provisions for recosting on the basis of the existing methodology; Decides that the priorities shall be the following: promotion of sustained economic growth and sustainable development; maintenance of international peace and security; development of Africa; promotion of human rights; effective coordination of humanitarian assistance efforts; promotion of justice and international law; disarmament; 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. 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, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/276** Accountability framework, enterprise risk management and internal control framework, and results-based management framework.

Endorses the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/63/457); decides not to endorse the proposed accountability framework; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly a comprehensive report, drawing on the expertise of relevant UN entities and taking fully into account all relevant resolutions on accountability; approves the creation of one position at the P-4 level under section 28A, Office of the Under-Secretary-General for Management; approves the redeployment of 2 posts (one P-4 and one General Service (Principal level)) from section 29. Internal oversight, to section 28A. Office of the Under-Secretary-General for Management, as well as the amount US\$24,000 in non-post resources; decides that the consultants' reports referred to in para. 13 above are to be made available by the Secretary-General. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

#### UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) (Agenda item 118)

See also: UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS UN CAPITAL MASTER PLAN

#### **Reports**

A/60/582 A common payroll for United Nations System organizations : note / by the Secretary-General.
 Issued: 6 Dec. 2005. - Transmits report of the Joint
 Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2005/4) prepared by M. Debrah
 Wynes, Ion Gorita and Victor Vislykh.

A/61/357 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the management of special political missions by the Department of Political Affairs. Issued: 19 Sept. 2006.

### UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) (Agenda item 118) (continued)

A/61/478 Information and communication technology security, business continuity and disaster recovery : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 29 Sept. 2006.

A/61/765 Investing in the United Nations: for a stronger Organization worldwide : interim report : report of the Secretary-General : Investing in information and communication technology. Issued: 27 Feb. 2007.

**A/61/804** Investing in the United Nations : for a stronger Organization worldwide : interim report : investing in information and communications technology : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 16 Mar. 2007.

A/61/826 Feasibility of the application of cost-accounting principles in the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 29 Mar. 2007.

A/62/477 Information and communications technology security, disaster recovery and business continuity for the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Oct. 2007.

**A/62/502** Investing in information and communications technology : status report : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 Oct. 2007.

A/62/510/Rev.1 Information and communications technology : enterprise systems for the United Nations Secretariat worldwide : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 Apr. 2008.

**A/62/521** Revised estimates relating to the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under section 1, Overall policymaking, direction and coordination, section 3, Political affairs, section 28D, Office of Central Support Services, and section 35, Staff assessment, related to the strengthening of the Department of Political Affairs : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 Nov. 2007.

**A/62/521/Corr.1** Revised estimates relating to the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under section 1, Overall policymaking, direction and coordination, section 3, Political affairs, section 28D, Office of Central Support Services, and section 35, Staff assessment, related to the strengthening of the Department of Political Affairs : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 17 Dec. 2007. - Corrects text.

**A/62/537** Feasibility of the application of cost-accounting principles at the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 7 Nov. 2007.

### UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) (Agenda item 118) (continued)

- A/62/538/Add.2 Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials : members of the International Court of Justice and judges and ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 16 Apr. 2008.
- **A/62/708** Improving the effective and efficient delivery of the mandates of development-related activities and revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 26 Feb. 2008.

A/62/793 Investing in information and communications technology : information and communications strategy for the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Apr. 2008.

A/62/793/Add.1 Investing in information and communications technology : information and communications strategy for the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 2 Sept. 2008.

A/62/793/Corr.1 Investing in information and communications technology : information and communications strategy for the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 7 May 2008. - Corrects figure 4 in the text.

- A/62/794 Improving and modernizing the conference facilities and construction of additional office facilities at the United Nations Office at Nairobi : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Apr. 2008.
- A/62/806 First progress report on the adoption of International Public Sector Accounting Standards by the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 17 Apr. 2008.
- A/62/828 Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 3 and 32 related to the provision of an integrated headquarters facility for the United Nations Assistance Mission in Iraq, in Baghdad : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 5 May 2008.
- **A/63/140** Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on knowledge management in the United Nations system : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Knowledge management in the United Nations system" (JIU/REP/2007/6) prepared by Juan Luis Larrabure.

### UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) (Agenda item 118) (continued)

A/63/140/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on knowledge management in the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2008. - Transmits Secretary-General's comments and those of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination (CEB) on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Knowledge management in the United Nations system"(JIU/REP/2007/6).

A/63/151 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on liaison offices in the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Liaison offices in the United Nations system" (JIU/REP/2007/10) prepared by Gérard Biraud. - Agenda items corrected by A/63/151/Corr.1.

A/63/151/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on liaison offices in the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Sept. 2008. - Transmits Secretary-General's comment and those of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination (CEB) on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on liaison offices in the UN system (JIU/REP/2007/10).

A/63/151/Corr.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on liaison offices in the United Nations system : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 11 Aug. 2008. - Corrects agenda items for

document A/63/151.

A/63/154 Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 related to the Rule of Law Unit : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 July 2008.

A/63/257 United Nations Office for Partnerships : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2008.

A/63/266 Comprehensive audit of the capital master plan : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services. Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

A/63/298 Detailed proposals for streamlining United Nations contractual arrangements : a way forward : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/303** Construction of additional conference facilities at the Vienna International Centre, and construction of additional office facilities at the Economic Commission for Africa in Addis Ababa : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 18 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/320** Contingent liability reserve for the United Nations Postal Administration : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 Aug. 2008.

A/63/335 Development Account : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Aug. 2008.

### UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) (Agenda item 118) (continued)

- A/63/346 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. 2008.
- A/63/346/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: 22 Sept. 2008.
- A/63/346/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 Secretary-General : addendum : corrigendum. Issued: 29 Oct. 2008. - Replaces table.
- A/63/346/Add.1/Corr.2 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: 23 Dec. 2008. - Corrects text.
- A/63/346/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 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 11 Sept. 2008.
- A/63/346/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. Issued: 27 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/346/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 Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/346/Add.5 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 Assistance Mission in Iraq : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 10 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/346/Add.6 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: 3 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/346/Add.7 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: 12 May 2009.

### UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) (Agenda item 118) (continued)

- A/63/346/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 : corrigendum. Issued: 14 Nov. 2008. Replaces table.
- A/63/354 Conditions of service and compensation for officials, other than Secretariat officials, serving the General Assembly : full-time members of the International Civil Service Commission and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Sept. 2008.

- A/63/359 Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 3, 17, 18, 20, 21, 27, 28C, 28D, 28E, 28F, 28G, 33 and 35 related to business continuity management : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 17 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/359/Corr.1** Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 3, 17, 18, 20, 21, 27, 28C, 28D, 28E, 28F, 28G, 33 and 35 related to business continuity management : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 17 Nov. 2008. - Replaces graphic and corrects text.

**A/63/363** Administrative and financial implications arising from the report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Sept. 2008.

A/63/371 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed substantive sessions of 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 23 Sept. 2008.

**A/63/379** Comprehensive management audit of the Department of Safety and Security : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services : "Governance and coordination issues need to be addressed as a priority to strengthen the Department of Safety and Security and to effectively mitigate the security risks facing the United Nations".

Issued: 26 Sept. 2008.

**A/63/457** Accountability framework, enterprise risk management and internal control framework, and results-based management framework : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 29 Sept. 2008.

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- A/63/465 Construction of additional conference facilities at the Vienna International Centre and construction of additional office facilities at the Economic Commission for Africa in Addis Ababa, and improving and modernizing the conference facilities and construction of additional office facilities at the United Nations Office at Nairobi : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 2 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/477 Sixth annual progress report on the implementation of the capital master plan : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/478** Financial and administrative implications of increased membership of the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation, staffing of the professional secretariat of the Scientific Committee and methods to ensure sufficient, assured and predictable funding : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 13 Oct. 2008.
- **A/63/479** Development account : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 14 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/487 Information and communications technology : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 16 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/487/Corr.1 Information and communications technology : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum. Issued: 24 Oct. 2008. - Corrects text.
- A/63/487/Corr.2 Information and communications technology : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum. Issued: 12 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.
- A/63/496 First progress report on the adoption of International Public Sector Accounting Standards by the United Nations : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
   Issued: 21 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/501 Administrative and financial implications of the decisions and recommendations contained in the report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2008 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 23 Oct. 2008.

A/63/524 Standards of accommodation for air travel : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 6 Nov. 2008.

A/63/537 Review of the lump-sum arrangement of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 11 Nov. 2008.

**A/63/541** Revised estimates resulting from resolutions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its 7th and 8th sessions, held in 2008, and proposals to improve the procedure for presenting to the General Assembly the financial requirements arising from the resolutions and decisions of the Council : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 12 Nov. 2008.

- A/63/541/Add.1 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its 9th sessions : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/556** United Nations pension system : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 19 Nov. 2008.

A/63/567 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive sessions of 2008 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 25 Nov. 2008.

- A/63/568 Contingent liability reserve for the United Nations Postal Administration : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 25 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/570 Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials: members of the International Court of Justice and judges and ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 25 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/573 First performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 26 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/582 Associated costs related to the capital master plan : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 Dec. 2008
- A/63/583 Revised estimates resulting from the entry into force of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/584 Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 3, 17, 18, 20, 21, 27, 28C, 28D, 28E, 28F, 28G, 33 and 35 related to business continuity management : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 3 Dec. 2008.

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- A/63/587 Resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council following its continuing review of its subsidiary machinery and its related programme budget implications: a consolidated statement : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 4 Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/592** Financing of the core diplomatic training activities of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/593 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. 2008.
- A/63/594 Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 related to the Rule of Law Unit : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 10 Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/601** Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 3 and 32 related to the provision of an integrated headquarters facility for the United Nations Assistance Mission in Iraq, in Baghdad : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 11 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/605 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under sections 3, 5, 17, 18, 20, 21, 27, 28E, 28G, 32, 33 and 35, revised estimates relating to the financing for the biennium 2008-2009 of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/614 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.33 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 16 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/616 Review of the lump-sum arrangement of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/617 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : programme budget implications of revised draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.53/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

- A/63/618 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 : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.51/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/619** Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law : programme budget implications of General Assembly resolution 63/3 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

**A/63/620** First performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.

- A/63/621 Towards an arms trade treaty : establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/63/L.39 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/622 Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2010-2011 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/623 Rights of the Child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.16/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/624 Committee on the Rights of the Child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.46/Rev.1 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/625 Doha Declaration on Financing for Development

   outcome document of the Follow-up International
   Conference on Financing for Development to Review the
   Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus :
   programme budget implications of draft resolution
   A/63/L.57 : report of the Advisory Committee on
   Administrative and Budgetary Questions.
   Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/628** Revised estimates resulting from the entry into force of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the Optional Protocol thereto : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.

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**A/63/629** Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its 7th, 8th and 9th sessions in 2008, proposals to improve the procedure for presenting to the General Assembly the financial requirements arising from the resolutions and decisions of the Council, and a consolidated statement on resolutions and decision adopted by the Human Rights Council following its continuing review of its subsidiary machinery and its related programme budget implications : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.

- A/63/715 Standards of accommodation for air travel : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 10 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/726 Conditions of service and compensation for officials, other than Secretariat officials, serving the General Assembly : full-time members of the International Civil Service Commission and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 19 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/736 Capital master plan : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 23 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/743 Information and communications technology, disaster recovery and business continuity for the United Nations : arrangements for the secondary data centre at Headquarters : revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 under Section 28D and Section 36 : report of the Secretary-General.

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- A/63/744 Financing of the core diplomatic training activities of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 2 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/769 Strengthened and unified security management system for the United Nations : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/774 Information and communications technology security, disaster recovery and business continuity for the United Nations : arrangements for the secondary data centre at Headquarters : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/779** 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: 20 Mar. 2009.

**A/63/853** Revised estimates resulting from resolution S-9/1 adopted by the Human Rights Council at its 9th special session in 2009 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 May 2009.

- A/63/868 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : revised budget for the period from 1 January to 31 December 2009 for the United Nations Political Office for Somalia : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 2 June 2009.
- A/C.5/63/20 Contingency fund : consolidated statement of programme budget implications and revised estimates : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 29 Dec. 2008.

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A/60/665/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the policies of United Nations System organizations towards the use of open source software in the secretariats : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits comments of the Secretary-General and those of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2005/3).

**A/61/290** Information and communication technology security, business continuity and disaster recovery : note / by the Secretary-General.

- **A/63/360** Administrative and financial implications of the decisions and recommendations contained in the report of the International Civil Service Commission for 2008 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/760** Letter, 10 Mar. 2009, from the Syrian Arab Republic. Transmits letter to the Secretary-General referring to General Assembly resolution 63/263 and document A/63/346/Add.1 and including observations on the logical framework for the implementation of Security Council resolution 1559 (2004).

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- A/C.1/63/L.59 Towards an arms trade treaty : establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/63/L.39 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.3/63/L.61 Committee on the Rights of the Child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.46 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.3/63/L.69 Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.16 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.3/63/L.70 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 : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.51/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.3/63/L.71 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.33 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/C.3/63/L.72** International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.53/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/C.5/61/19** Letter, 6 Mar. 2007, from the Secretary-General. Transmits letter dated 28 Feb. 2007 from the Registrar of the International Criminal Court requesting the General Assembly to consider amending the pension scheme regulations for the judges of the International Court of Justice, International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda in order to ensure that no former judge of any of these courts receives a UN pension while serving as a judge in the International Criminal Court.
- **A/C.5/62/24** Letter, 7 Mar. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda and Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Co-Chairs of the Joint Coordination Committee (Group of 77 and China and the Non-Aligned Movement), letter dated 7 Mar. 2008, sent to the Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs, conveying the points of view of the Group regarding Secretary-General's proposal for strengthening the Department of Political Affairs.

- **A/C.5/62/25** Letter, 12 Mar. 2008, from the Secretary-General. Transmits response from the Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs, Mr. B. Lynn Pascoe, to comments of the Joint Coordinating Committee of the Group of 77 and China and the Non-Aligned Movement (A/C.5/62/24), on the Secretary-General's report on revised estimates relating to the strengthening of the Department of Political Affairs (A/62/521) dated 6 Mar. 2008.
- A/C.5/63/10 Towards an arms trade treaty: establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/63/L.39 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/C.5/63/11** The world financial and economic crisis and its consequences : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/63/L.22/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/63/12 Situation of human rights in Myanmar : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.33 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/C.5/63/13** Committee on the Rights of the Child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.46/Rev.1 (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.5/63/14 International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.53/Rev.1 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/C.5/63/15** Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law : programme budget implications of General Assembly resolution 63/3 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- **A/C.5/63/16** Rights of the child : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.16/Rev.1 : 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.5/63/17** 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 : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/63/L.51/Rev.1 :statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/63/19 Doha Declaration on Financing for Development : outcome document of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/63/L.57 : statement / submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/63/22 Organization of the United Nations conference at the highest level on the world financial and economic crisis and its impact on development : programme budget implications of draft resolution A/63/L.66 : 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.5/63/L.9 Development-related activities : draft resolution / submitted by Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China]. The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors (A/63/648/Add.1).
- A/C.5/63/L.11 Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials : members of the International Court of Justice and judges and ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.18** Information and communications technology, enterprise resource planning, and security, disaster recovery and business continuity : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.20** Development-related activities : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.21** Strengthening of the Department of Political Affairs : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.23** Questions relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.27** Programme budget implications relating to the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

- A/C.5/63/L.32 Special subjects relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/63/L.33 Information and communications technology, disaster recovery and business continuity for the United Nations: arrangements for the secondary data centre at Headquarters : draft resolution / by the Rapporteur following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/63/L.34 Capital master plan : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/63/L.48 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/426 Report of the 3rd Committee.

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

A/63/648 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/648/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/648/Add.2 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/648/Add.3 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/648/Add.4 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/648/Add.5 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/648/Add.6 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/650 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/651 Report of the 5th Committee.

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- A/63/653 Report of the 5th Committee.
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A/63/655 Report of the 5th Committee.

- A/63/656 Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/63/657 Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/63/807 Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/C.5/63/L.24 Programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009 : draft report of the 5th Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session.
- A/C.5/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.6 (14 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.8 (16 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.9 (21 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.10 (22 Oct. 2008).

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A/C.5/63/SR.13	(28 Oct. 2008).
A/C.5/63/SR.15	(6 Nov. 2008).
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A/C.5/63/SR.55	(25 June 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/648 and Add.1 to Add.4 was as follows: draft resolution in A/63/648 (originally A/C.5/63/L.11) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/259: draft resolution in A/63/648/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.20), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/260; draft resolution in A/63/648/Add.2 (originally A/C.5/63/L.21) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/261; draft resolution in A/63/648/Add.3 (originally A/C.5/63/L.18) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/262; draft resolution lin A/63/648/Add.4 (originally A/C.5/63/L.23) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/263; draft resolution II in A/63/648/Add.4 (originally A/C.5/63/L.24) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/264 A-C; draft decision I in A/63/648/Add.4 (originally A/C.5/63/L.24) was adopted without vote: decision 63/548; draft decision II in A/63/648/Add.4 (originally A/C.5/63/L.24) was adopted without vote: decision 63/549.

#### A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/648/Add.5 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.5/63/L.32), adopted without vote: resolution 63/268; draft resolution II (originally A/C.5/63/L.33), adopted without vote: resolution 63/269; draft resolution III (originally A/C.5/63/L.34), adopted without vote: resolution 63/270.

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/648/Add.6 (originally A/C.5/63/L.48) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/283.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/259 Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials : members of the International Court of Justice and judges and ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda.

Decides that any decisions with regard to the pension scheme shall apply only to 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 and shall not constitute a precedent for any other category of judges working within the UN system and that any decision regarding the service of any other category of judges shall be taken on a case-by-case basis; decides that the emoluments, pensions, and other conditions of service for the members of the ICJ and the judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda shall next be reviewed at its 64th session; decides to amend article 1, para.7, of the Pension Scheme Regulations for members of the International Court of Justice and article 1, para. 5, of the Pension Scheme Regulations for judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

#### A/RES/63/260 Development-related activities.

Decides to establish the posts as contained in the annex to the present resolution; decides that the posts for section 17, Economic and social development in Africa, section 18, Economic and social development in Asia and the Pacific, section 19. Economic development in Europe. section 20, Economic and social development in Latin America and the Caribbean, and section 21, Economic and social development in Western Asia, shall be established effective 1 Jan. 2009, and the posts for section 9, Economic and social affairs, section 10, Least developed countries, landlocked developing countries and small island developing States, section 11, United Nations support for the New Partnership for Africa's Development, and section 12, Trade and development, shall be established effective 1 July 2009; decides not to approve the non-post resources for travel of staff, consultants and experts and contractual services, excluding the regional commissions. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

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# **A/RES/63/261** Strengthening of the Department of Political Affairs.

Decides to establish the Middle East and West Asia Division; decides that the Asia and Pacific Division shall be composed of 2 sections: (a) Asia-Pacific I Section (Central, South and North-east Asian countries) and (b) Asia-Pacific II Section (South-east Asia and the Pacific countries); decides that the Americas Division shall comprise 4 sections: North America, Central America, The Caribbean and South America; decides that the Caribbean Section shall be headed at the P-5 level; decides not to establish a Policy, Partnerships and Mediation Support Division and not to approve the reclassification of a post for a director of that division from the D-1 to the D-2 level; decides not to establish a Special Political Missions Support Unit until a report on the management and administration of special political missions by the Department of Political Affairs is considered by the General Assembly; decides to establish the posts as contained in the annex to the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/262 Information and communications technology, enterprise resource planning, and security, disaster recovery and business continuity.

Approves the proposed governance framework of the enterprise resource planning project; approves the amount of 20 million US dollars for the implementation of the enterprise resource planning system; decides to establish the Office of Information and Communications Technology as an independent organizational unit under a separate budget section, to be headed by the Chief Information Technology Officer at the level of Assistant Secretary-General; decides to approve the utilization of the amount of US\$2.346.000 of interest accrued under the Integrated Management Information System Fund available as at 31 Dec. 2007 to offset the regular budget requirements for the enterprise resource planning project; decides not to suspend the provisions for the application of credits under regulations 3.2 (d), 5.3 and 5.4 of the Financial Regulations and Rules of the United Nations; decides to approve additional resource requirements for the enterprise content management project in the amount of 2 million dollars; decides not to approve the proposal of the Secretary-General for a new secondary data centre at this stage; decides not to proceed at this stage with plans to host computing and data storage equipment relating to Secretariat business continuity operations and enterprise solutions at the secondary active communications facility at Valencia; approves \$7,145,500 for the establishment of a new primary data centre on the North Lawn at Headquarters. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/263** Questions relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009.

Decides to establish one P 5, 2 P 4 and 1 P 3 posts for the Rule of Law Unit, effective 1 Jan. 2009; decides to revert to this issue in the context of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011; decides to approve an additional appropriation in the amount of US\$13,165,400 under section 3, Political affairs, of the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009; decides to establish a position at the P 5 level, instead of 1 at the P 4 level, in the Office of the Special Adviser to the Secretary-General on Cyprus; decides to appropriate, after taking into account the estimated unencumbered balance of \$15,850,800, under the procedures provided for in para. 11 of annex I to resolution 41/213 of 19 Dec. 1986, an amount of \$413,646,800 under section 3, Political affairs, of the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009: decides to appropriate an amount of \$26,432,000 under section 35, Staff assessment, to be offset by a corresponding amount under income section 1, Income from staff assessment, of the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009; decides to apportion among Member States 129 million dollars for expenses related to the 1st performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009. (Adopted 50-88-3, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/264[A] Revised budget appropriations for the biennium 2008-2009.

Resolves that, for the biennium 2008-2009, the amount of US\$4,207,608,400 appropriated by it in its resolutions 62/237 A of 22 Dec. 2007 and 62/245 of 3 Apr. 2008 shall be adjusted by US\$657,471,800. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/264A-C Programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009.

The resolution is divided into 3 parts: A/RES/63/264 A: Revised budget appropriations for the biennium 2008-2009, B: Revised income estimates for the biennium 2008-2009 and C: Financing of the appropriations for the year 2009. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/264[B] Revised income estimates for the biennium 2008-2009.

Resolves that, for the biennium 2008-2009, the estimates of income of US\$520,077,700 approved by it in its resolutions 62/237 B of 22 Dec. 2007 and 62/245 of 3 Apr. 2008 shall be increased by \$35,198,700. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

# UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) (Agenda item 118) (continued)

### A/RES/63/264[C] Financing of appropriations for the year 2009.

Resolves that, for the year 2009, budget appropriations totalling US\$2,779,400,350 and consisting of \$2,085,679,850, being half of the appropriation initially approved for the biennium 2008-2009 in its resolution 62/237 A of 22 Dec. 2007, \$36,248,700, being the additional appropriation approved for the biennium in its resolution 62/245 of 3 Apr. 2008, and \$657,471,800, being the increase approved in resolution A above, shall be financed in accordance with regulations 3.1 and 3.2 of the Financial Regulations and Rules of the United Nations; there shall be set off against the assessment on Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund in the total amount of \$283,193,400 dollars. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/268** Special subjects relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009.

Decides not to create a reserve for contingent liabilities for postal services; requests the Secretary-General to explore all possible options, including the use of mileage points accumulated from official travel, for reducing the cost of air travel, and to present his conclusions thereon in the context of the comprehensive report referred to in paragraph 7 of the report of the Advisory Committee; further takes note of the establishment by the Secretary-General of the Senior Emergency Policy Team and the Crisis Operations Group; further requests the Secretary-General to ensure that lessons learned within the Secretariat for human influenza pandemic preparedness are taken into account as the work on business continuity management is implemented; requests the Secretary-General to ensure a coordinated approach to business continuity management between the UN Secretariat, offices away from Headquarters and the regional commissions; also requests the Secretary-General to take all steps necessary to ensure that medical supplies and materials, including vaccines and antibiotics, are procured; decides to appropriate, after taking into account the unencumbered balance of 17,973,900 dollars for the three missions mentioned in paragraph 4 above, under the procedure provided for in paragraph 11 of annex I to resolution 41/213 of 19 Dec. 1986, an amount of 8,875,000 dollars under section 3, Political affairs, of the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009; also decides to appropriate an amount of 1,663,100 dollars under section 35, Staff assessment, to be offset by a corresponding amount under income section 1, Income from staff assessment, of the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

A/RES/63/269 Information and communications technology, disaster recovery and business continuity for the United Nations : arrangements for the secondary data centre at Headquarters.

Endorses the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; decides that any further proposal for risk mitigation measures to protect data and the information and communications systems of the Secretariat during the construction work of the capital master plan shall be reported in the context of the annual progress report on the capital master plan; decides that US\$2,031,860 shall be financed from the resources to be approved for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 in order to pursue the most reliable and cost-effective risk mitigation measures during the migration of the primary data centre to the North Lawn; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly no later than at the main part of its 65th session a unified disaster recovery and business continuity plan. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

#### A/RES/63/270 Capital master plan.

Endorses the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/63/736), subject to the provisions of the present resolution; requests the Secretary-General to ensure by all means that project costs are brought back within the approved budget; notes the delay in the process of relocating Secretariat staff to office swing space, and requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the current schedule is adhered to as a matter of urgency; decides not to endorse the donation policy related to the capital master plan, and requests the Secretary-General to make new proposals in this regard that allow all Member States to make donations in full conformity with the international and intergovernmental character of the Organization as well as the Financial Regulations and Rules of the UN; decides that the approved associated costs for the capital master plan will be financed from within the approved budget of the capital master plan unless otherwise specified by the General Assembly; requests the Secretary-General to make every effort to absorb the associated costs for the biennium 2008-2009 from within the overall budget approved for the capital master plan in a total amount of 30,272,400 dollars (net); requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly, for its decision at the main part of its 64th session, proposals for financing the associated costs required for the year 2010 from within the approved budget for the capital master plan; requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide adequate information technology support for conference services, within the existing resources of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management, in order to ensure their seamless operation throughout the implementation of the capital master plan. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

# UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) (Agenda item 118) (continued)

A/RES/63/283 Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council.

Decides to establish 1 Legal Affairs Officer position (P-4), 1 Senior Security Sector Reform Officer position (P-5) and 1 Human Rights Officer position (P-4); approves the revised budget for the United Nations Political Office for Somalia for 2009 of US\$16,178,500 gross; decides to appropriate, after taking into account the unencumbered balance of \$6,641,400, an amount of \$8,620,900 under section 3, Political affairs, of the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009; decides to appropriate \$916,200 under section 35, Staff assessment, to be offset by a corresponding amount under income section 1, Income from staff assessment, of the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

#### UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS (Agenda item 122)

See also: UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) UN-FINANCIAL REPORTS

#### Reports

- **A/60/140** Unpaid assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 16 Sept. 2005.
- **A/60/140/Corr.1** Unpaid assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 22 Feb. 2006. - Replaces Annex 9.

A/63/11 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 11) Report of the Committee on Contributions, 68th session (9-27 June 2008).

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A/63/68 Multi-year payment plans : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 24 Mar. 2008.

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- **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/63/350** Letter, 9 Sept. 2008, from the Secretary-General. Reports that the Central African Republic, Comoros, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Sao Tome and Principe, Somalia and Tajikistan are in arrears under the terms of Article 19 of the Charter of the UN.
- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.

# UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS (Agenda item 122) (continued)

- **A/63/725** Letter, 4 Feb. 2009, from the Secretary-General. Reports that Cape Verde, the Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Dominican Republic, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Malawi, Marshall Islands, Paraguay, Sao Tome and Principe, Somalia and Tajikistan are in arrears under the terms of Article 19 of the Charter of the UN.
- A/63/725/Add.1 Letter, 5 Mar. 2009, from the Secretary-General. Reports that the Dominican Republic and Paraguay have made the payments necessary to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter of the UN.
- A/63/725/Add.2 Letter, 12 Mar. 2009, from the Secretary-General. Reports that the Marshall Islands has made the payments necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter of the UN.
- A/63/725/Add.3 Letter, 2 Apr. 2009, from the Secretary-General. Reports that the Tajikistan has made the payments necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter of the UN.
- A/63/725/Add.4 Letter, 8 Apr. 2009, from the Secretary-General. Reports that the Cape Verde has made the payments necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter of the UN.
- A/63/725/Add.5 Letter, 8 May 2009, from the Secretary-General. Reports that Malawi has made the payments necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter of the UN.
- A/63/725/Add.6 Letter, 25 Aug. 2009, from the Secretary-General. Reports that the Chad has made the payments necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter of the UN.
- A/C.5/61/11 Letter, 2 Nov. 2006, from Slovenia. Transmits proposal of the successor States of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia for resolution of the issue of unpaid assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/63/L.2 Scale of assessments for the apportionment of expenses of the United Nations : requests under Article 19 of the Charter : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.14** Unpaid assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/472 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/472/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.4 (8 Oct. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).

# UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS (Agenda item 122) (continued)

### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.1 (16 Sept. 2008).

At the 1st meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/63/350 that 7 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/63/PV.24 (13 Oct. 2008).

At the 24th meeting, the Assembly decided not to discuss the report of the 5th Committee (A/63/472); at the same meeting, draft resolution A/63/472 (originally A/C.5/63/L.2) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/4.

#### A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/472/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.14), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/249.

#### A/63/PV.75 (20 Feb. 2009).

At the 75th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/63/725 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/63/PV.76 (2 Mar. 2009).

At the 76th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/63/725/Add.1 that Paraguay had made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter of the UN.

#### A/63/PV.78 (31 Mar. 2009).

At the 78th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/63/725/Add.1 and Add.2 that the Dominican Republic, the Marshall Islands and Paraguay had made the necessary payments to reduce their arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

#### A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/63/725/Add.3 that Tajikistan had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

#### A/63/PV.80 (22 Apr. 2009).

At the 80th meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/63/725/Add.4 that Cape Verde had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

#### A/63/PV.83 (12 May 2009).

At the 83rd meeting, the Assembly took note of the information in A/63/725/Add.5 that Malawi had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

#### A/63/PV.104 (9 Sept. 2009).

At the 104th meeting, the General Assembly took note of the information in A/63/725/Add.6 that Chad had made the payments necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

### UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS (Agenda item 122) (continued)

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/4** Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations : requests under Article 19 of the Charter.

Decides that the Central African Republic, the Comoros, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Sao Tome and Principe, Somalia and Tajikistan shall be permitted to vote in the General Assembly until the end of its 63rd session. (Adopted without vote, 24th plenary meeting, 13 Oct. 2008)

**A/RES/63/249** Unpaid assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia.

Decides that the unpaid assessed contributions to the account of the former Yugoslavia up to 27 Apr. 1992, in the amount of US\$1,254,230, shall be apportioned among the successor States of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia; decides that, after taking into account the remaining advance of \$26,000 to the Working Capital Fund, the net balance of the unpaid assessed contributions to the account of the former Yugoslavia in the amount of \$14,817,896 shall be charged against the respective fund balances; decides that the issue of the unpaid assessed contributions to the account of the former Yugoslavia shall be considered to be finally resolved upon receipt by the Secretary-General of the information requested in para. 3 above, and that the resolution of the issue of the unpaid assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia to the United Nations shall be applicable only to that issue, without prejudice to any other related decisions and issues. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

### UN-CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2008-2009) (Agenda item 121)

### **Reports**

- A/63/32 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 32) Report of the Committee on Conferences for 2008. Issued: 2008.
- A/63/32/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 32A) Report of the Committee on Conferences (7 April 2009). Issued: 28 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/94** Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the existing special arrangements governing the recruitment of temporary assistance staff in the language services across the 4 main duty stations.

Issued: 30 June 2008.

A/63/119 Pattern of conferences : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 July 2008.

A/63/119/Add.1 Draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings for 2009 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 15 Aug. 2008.

#### UN–CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2008-2009) (Agenda item 121) (continued)

- A/63/119/Corr.1 Pattern of conferences : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 24 Sept. 2008. - Corrects text.
- **A/63/509** Pattern of conferences : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 28 Oct. 2008.

 A/63/735 Action taken to improve the timely submission of documents for the 5th Committee : report of the Secretary-General.
 Issued: 23 Feb. 2009.

#### General documents

- A/63/352 Letter, 8 Sept. 2008, from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences. Reports that the Committee on Conferences has received requests from various Committees, Commissions and Working Groups to meet in New York during the main part of the 63rd session of the General Assembly.
- A/63/352/Add. 1 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences. Reports that the Committee on Conferences has received a request from the Executive Board of UNDP and UNFPA to hold a meeting in New York during the main part of the 63rd session of the General Assembly.
- **A/63/830** Letter, 9 Apr. 2009, from Philippines. Transmits letter dated 7 Apr. 2009 addressed to the Chairperson of the Committee on Conferences containing the remarks of the Philippines on the report of the Secretary-General entitled "Action taken to improve the timely submission of documents for the Fifth Committee" (A/63/735).

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/63/L.15 Pattern of conferences : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/63/L.49 Timely submission of documents : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/638 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/638/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

- A/C.5/63/SR.14 (31 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).
- A/C.5/63/SR.42 (13 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/638 (originally A/C.5/63/L.15), was adopted without vote: resolution 63/248.

#### UN-CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2008-2009) (Agenda item 121) (continued)

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/638/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.49) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/284.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/248 Pattern of conferences.

Requests the Secretary-General to ensure that any modification to the calendar of conferences and meetings is implemented strictly in accordance with the mandate of the Committee on Conferences and other relevant resolutions of the General Assembly; requests the Secretary-General to continue to explore means to increase the utilization of the conference centre of the Economic Commission for Africa and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 64th sess.; requests the Secretary-General to report on the measures taken to avoid the recurrence of the above-mentioned situation in his next annual report on the pattern of conferences; requests the Secretary-General to provide adequate information technology support for conference services and to consult Member States on initiatives that affect the utilization of conference services and conference facilities: requests the Secretary-General to keep the General Assembly apprised of progress made in integrated global management; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the administrative policies, practices and procedures of conference services developed on the basis of recommendations of the task forces are in full compliance with relevant General Assembly resolutions; requests the Secretary-General to report on the associated expenditures in the 2nd performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009; request the Secretary-General to publish an updated version of the Financial Regulations and Rules of the UN: requests the Secretary-General to take the steps necessary to enhance translation quality in all 6 official languages; requests the Secretary-General to provide adequate staff at the appropriate level; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. on the experience, lessons learned and best practices of the main duty stations in performing quality control of contractual translations. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

### UN–CALENDAR OF MEETINGS (2008-2009) (Agenda item 121) (continued)

A/RES/63/284 Timely submission of documents. Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General on action taken to improve the timely submission of documents for the 5th Committee; welcomes the progress achieved so far by the task force concerning the timely issuance of documents for the 5th Committee on peacekeeping financing; notes with concern the lack of conference services being provided to the Human Rights Council, and requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the Council is provided with all necessary conference services to support its activities, including the universal periodic review; requests the Secretary-General to entrust the Office of Internal Oversight Services with a review of the circumstances that led to insufficient conference services being put at the disposal of the Human Rights Council in 2009; also requests the Secretary-General to maintain the support to major groups participating in the 2009 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council, to be held in Geneva. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

#### **UN–CHARTER (Agenda item 78)**

See also: UN SYSTEM-STRENGTHENING

#### **Reports**

- A/63/33 (GAOR, 63rd 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: 2008.
- A/63/98 Repertory of Practice of United Nations Organs and the Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 7 July 2008.
- A/63/224 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: 6 Aug. 2008.

### **General documents**

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.6/63/L.19** Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization : draft resolution.

### UN-CHARTER (Agenda item 78) (continued)

# Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

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A/63/442 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.12 (22 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.13 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/442 (originally A/C.6/63/L.19) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/127.

A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

#### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/127** 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 17-25 Feb. 2009; invites the Special Committee at its session in 2009 to continue to identify new subjects for consideration in its future work with a view to contributing to the revitalization of the work of the UN; reiterates its call for voluntary contributions to the trust fund for the updating of the Repertoire, as well as the trust fund for the elimination of the backlog in the Repertory, and the sponsoring, on a voluntary basis, and with no cost to the UN, of associate experts to assist in the updating of the 2 publications; reiterates the responsibility of the Secretary-General for the quality of the Repertory and the Repertoire and, in particular, with regard to the Repertoire, calls upon the Secretary-General to continue to follow the modalities outlined in paragraphs 102 to 106 of his report of 18 Sept. 1952; requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on both the Repertory and the Repertoire to the General Assembly at its 64th session. (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

#### UN–FINANCIAL REPORTS (Agenda item 116)

See also: INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-FORMER YUGOSLAVIA-ACCOUNTS INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL-RWANDA-ACCOUNTS PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-FINANCING **UN-ADMINISTRATION UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS** UN. OFFICE FOR PROJECT SERVICES-ACCOUNTS UN CAPITAL MASTER PLAN UN INTERNATIONAL DRUG CONTROL PROGRAMME. FUND-ACCOUNTS UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-ACCOUNTS UN-HABITAT-ACCOUNTS UNDP-ACCOUNTS UNEP-ACCOUNTS UNFPA-ACCOUNTS UNHCR-ACCOUNTS UNICEF-ACCOUNTS UNITAR-ACCOUNTS UNRWA-ACCOUNTS

#### **Reports**

- A/63/5(Vol.I) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5) Financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 1, United Nations. Issued: 2008.
- **A/63/5(Vol.II)** (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5) Financial report and audited financial statements for the 12-month period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 2, United Nations peacekeeping operations. Issued: 2009.
- A/63/5(Vol.III) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5) Financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 3, International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO. Issued: 2008.
- A/63/5(Vol.III)/Corr.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5) Financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 3, International Trade Centre UNCTAD/WTO : corrigendum.

Issued: 3 Dec. 2009. - Replaces table underneath para. 11.

A/63/5(Vol.IV) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5)
 Financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Volume 4, United Nations University. Issued: 2008.

# UN-FINANCIAL REPORTS (Agenda item 116) (continued)

A/63/167 Report of the Board of Auditors on the activities of the Procurement Task Force : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Board of Auditors on the activities of the Procurement Task Force for the period from 1 Jan. 2006 to 30 June 2007.

A/63/167/Add.1 Implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors in its report on the activities of the Procurement Task Force : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 25 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/169** Concise summary of principal findings and conclusions contained in the reports prepared by the Board of Auditors for the General Assembly at its 63rd session : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 24 July 2008. - Transmits concise summary of principal findings and conclusions contained in the reports on the audit of the accounts for the financial period ended 31 Dec. 2007, prepared by the Board of Auditors.

- A/63/327 Implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors contained in its reports on the United Nations for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and on the capital master plan for the year ended 31 December 2007 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 25 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/327/Add.1 Implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors contained in its reports on the United Nations funds and programmes for the financial period ended 31 December 2007 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 9 Sept. 2008.

A/63/474 Financial reports and audited financial statements and reports of the Board of Auditors for the period ended 31 December 2007 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 8 Oct. 2008.

A/63/490 Report on the activities of the Procurement Task Force : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Oct. 2008.

 A/63/784 Implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors concerning United Nations peacekeeping operations for the financial period ended 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 25 Mar. 2009.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- **A/C.5/63/L.8** Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.46** Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

# UN–FINANCIAL REPORTS (Agenda item 116) (continued)

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

A/63/637 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/637/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.7 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.42 (13 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/637 (originally A/C.5/63/L.8) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/246 A. At the same meeting, draft resolution in A/63/637/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.46) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/246 B.

#### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/246A Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors. Decides to consider further the reports of the Board of Auditors on the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia under the respective agenda items relating to the Tribunals; requests the Secretary-General to provide in his reports on the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors on the accounts of UN as well as on the financial statements of its funds and programmes a full explanation for the delays in the implementation of the recommendations of the Board; requests the Secretary-General to indicate in future reports an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors, the priorities for their implementation and the office holders to be held accountable. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/246B** Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors.

Accepts the audited financial statements of UN peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2007-30 June 2008; requests the Secretary-General to ensure the full implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors; requests the Secretary-General to continue to indicate an expected time frame for the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors and the priorities for their implementation; requests the Secretary-General to provide a full explanation for the delays in the implementation of all outstanding recommendations of the Board, the root causes of the recurring issues and the measures to be taken. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

#### **UN-FINANCIAL SITUATION (Agenda item 120)**

See also: UN-BUDGET (2008-2009) UN-BUDGET CONTRIBUTIONS

UN-FINANCIAL REPORTS

### **Reports**

**A/63/514** Improving the financial situation of the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 31 Oct. 2008.

A/63/514/Add.1 Improving the financial situation of the United Nations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 19 May 2009.

#### **General documents**

**A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.

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

A/C.5/63/SR.13 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.15 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.44 (15 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.47 (22 May 2009).

# UN-HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS (Agenda item 150)

#### **Reports**

A/63/26 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 26) Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country. Issued: 2008.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.6/63/L.18 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/63/452 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/452 (originally A/C.6/63/L.18) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/130.

# UN-HOST COUNT RY RELATIONS (Agenda item 150) (continued)

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/130 Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country.

Endorses the recommendations and conclusions of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country contained in para. 51 of its report; requests the host country to continue to solve problems that might arise and to take measures to prevent any interference with the functioning of missions; urges the host country to continue to take action with a view to maintaining respect for diplomatic privileges and immunities; requests the host country to consider removing the remaining travel restrictions imposed by it on staff of certain missions and staff members of the Secretariat of certain nationalities; affirms the importance of the Committee being in a position to fulfil its mandate and meet on short notice to deal with urgent and important matters; requests the Secretariat and the Committee on Conferences to accord priority to requests from the Committee for meetings; requests the Secretary-General to remain actively engaged in all aspects of the relations of UN with the host country; requests the Committee to continue its work in conformity with General Assembly resolution 2819 (XXVI); decides to include in the provisional agenda of its 64th sess. the item entitled "Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country". (Adopted without vote, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

### UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (Agenda item 123)

See also: PERSONNEL QUESTIONS-UN SYSTEM UN ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

#### **Reports**

A/61/206 Practice of the Secretary-General in disciplinary matters and cases of criminal behaviour, 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 31 July 2006.

**A/61/694** A 2nd review of the implementation of Headquarters agreements concluded by the United Nations System organizations : provision of headquarters premises and other facilities by host countries : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 10 Jan. 2007. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2006/4) prepared by Guangting Tang.

**A/61/732** Staffing of field missions, including the use of 300 and 100-series appointments : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 7 Feb. 2007.

**A/61/806** Staff mobility in the United Nations : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: <sup>1</sup>9 Mar. 2007. - Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU/REP/2006/7), prepared by Even Fontaine Ortiz and Guangting Tang.

#### UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (Agenda item 123) (continued)

A/61/822 Human resources management reform : recruitment and staffing : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 27 Mar. 2007.

- A/61/823 Measures to address the imbalance in the geographical distribution of the staff in the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 Mar. 2007.
- A/61/850 Civilian career peacekeepers : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Apr. 2007.

- A/61/861 Harmonization of conditions of service : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 20 Apr. 2007.
- A/61/1029 Implementation of the Regulations Governing the Status, Basic Rights and Duties of Officials other than Secretariat Officials and Experts on Mission : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 20 Aug. 2007.
- A/62/7/Add.14 Human resources management : 15th report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009. Issued: 16 Nov. 2007.
- A/62/185 Amendments to the Staff Rules : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 3 Aug. 2007.

- A/62/186 Practice of the Secretary-General in disciplinary matters and cases of criminal behaviour, 1 July 2006 to 30 June 2007 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 3 Aug. 2007.
- A/62/215 Implementation of the mobility policy : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 8 Aug. 2007. - Submitted in response to

General Assembly resolution 61/244.

- A/62/274 Detailed proposals for streamlining United Nations contractual arrangements : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 17 Aug. 2007.
- A/62/285 Activities of the Ethics Office : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Aug. 2007.
- A/62/315 Composition of the Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 31 Aug. 2007.
- A/62/628 Age structure of human resources in the organizations of the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.
- Issued: 28 Dec. 2007. Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Age structure of human resources in the organizations of the UN system (JIU/REP/2007/4), prepared by Istvan Posta and Gérard Biraud.

#### UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (Agenda item 123) (continued)

- A/62/707/Add.1 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the review of the national competitive recruitment exam as a recruitment tool : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 Feb. 2008.
- A/62/845 Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on the funding and staffing of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 May 2008.
- A/62/890 Special measures for protection from sexual exploitation and sexual abuse : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 25 June 2008.

- A/63/132 Measures taken to address 7 systemic human resources issues raised in the context of the reform of the internal system of administration of justice : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 July 2008.
- A/63/189 Amendments to the Staff Regulations : report of the Secretary -General. Issued: 30 July 2008.
- A/63/202 Practice of the Secretary-General in disciplinary matters and cases of criminal behaviour, 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 31 July 2008.
- A/63/204 Measures to improve the balance in the geographical distribution of the staff in the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 31 July 2008.
- A/63/208 Implementation of the mobility policy : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 1 Aug. 2008. - Submitted in response to
- General Assembly resolution 61/244.
- A/63/221 In-depth evaluation of the Office of Human Resources Management : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services. Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.
- A/63/282 Human resources management reform : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/285 Recruitment and staffing in the United Nations : strategy going forward : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/298 Detailed proposals for streamlining United Nations contractual arrangements : a way forward : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/301 Activities of the Ethics Office : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Aug. 2008.

#### UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (Agenda item 123) (continued)

A/63/310/Add.1 Gratis personnel provided by Governments and other entities : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 19 Aug. 2008.

A/63/310/Add.2 Employment of retirees and retired former staff, and extension of staff beyond the mandatory age of separation : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 20 Aug. 2008.

A/63/310/Add.3 Consultants and individual contractors :

report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/354** Conditions of service and compensation for officials, other than Secretariat officials, serving the General Assembly : full-time members of the International Civil Service Commission and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Sept. 2008.

- A/63/364 Improvement of the status of women in the United Nations System : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/526** Human resources management : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 7 Nov. 2008.

- A/63/526/Corr.1 Human resources management : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : corrigendum. Issued: 18 Nov. 2008. - Replaces annex II.
- A/63/694 Amendments to the Staff Regulations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 Jan. 2009.
- A/63/720 Special measures for protection from sexual exploitation and sexual abuse : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Feb. 2009.

- A/63/726 Conditions of service and compensation for officials, other than Secretariat officials, serving the General Assembly : full-time members of the International Civil Service Commission and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 19 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/754 Amendments to the Staff Regulations : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 10 Mar. 2009.
- A/C.5/62/L.9 List of staff of the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 6 Dec. 2007.

# UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (Agenda item 123) (continued)

A/C.5/63/L.5 List of staff of the United Nations Secretariat : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 12 Dec. 2008.

### General documents

A/61/694/Add.1 A 2nd review of the implementation of headquarters agreements concluded by the United Nations System organizations : provision of headquarters premises and other facilities by host countries : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits the Secretary-General's comments and those of the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (A/61/694).

A/61/806/Add.1 Staff mobility in the United Nations : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits comments by the Secretary-General on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (A/61/806), entitled "Staff mobility in the United Nations".

A/62/628/Add.1 Age structure of human resources in the organizations of the United Nations system : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits Secretary-General's comments and those of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Age structure of human resources in the organizations of the United Nations system" (A/62/628).

**A/62/707** Review of the national competitive recruitment examination as a recruitment tool : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Review of the national competitive recruitment examination as a recruitment tool" (JIU/REP/2007/9), prepared by Istvan Posta and Cihan Terzi.

A/62/845/Add.1 Funding and staffing of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits comments on the recommendations of the Joint Inspection Unit contained in its report on the funding and staffing of the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights (A/62/845).

A/C.5/63/3 Views of the staff representatives of the United Nations Secretariat : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits the views of the staff representatives of the UN Secretariat, submitted pursuant to para. 2 (a) of General Assembly resolution 35/213.

#### UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (Agenda item 123) (continued)

- A/C.5/63/3/Add.1 Views of the staff representatives of the United Nations Office at Vienna Staff Council (Vienna), the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean Staff Council (Santiago), the Economic Commission for Africa Staff Union Committee (Addis Ababa), the Field Staff Union (Brindisi), the United Nations Office at Nairobi Staff Union (Nairobi), and the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific Staff Council (Bangkok), the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia Staff Union (The Hague), the United Nations University Staff Council (Tokyo), the Staff Association International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (Arusha), and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda-Kigali Staff Association (Kigali).
- A/C.5/63/3/Add.2 Views of the staff representatives of the United Nations Secretariat: Staff Union (New York), Field Staff Union (Brindisi) and Staff Coordinating Council (United Nations Office at Geneva) : addendum.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/63/L.22 Human resources management : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.35** Amendments to the Staff Regulations : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman of the Committee following informal consultations.

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

A/63/639 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/639/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.17	(13 Nov. 2008).
A/C.5/63/SR.18	(14 Nov. 2008).
A/C.5/63/SR.28	(23 Dec. 2008).
A/C.5/63/SR.33	(13 Mar. 2009).
A/C.5/63/SR.39	(27 Mar. 2009).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/639 (originally A/C 5/63/L 22) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/250.

#### A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/639/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.35) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/271.

### UN–HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (Agenda item 123) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/250 Human resources management. Decides to continue to suspend until 30 June 2009 the application of the 4-year limit for appointments of limited duration under the 300 series of the Staff Rules in peacekeeping operations; decides that temporary appointments are to be used to appoint staff for seasonal or peak workloads and specific short-term requirements for less than 1 year but could be renewed for up to one additional year when warranted by surge requirements and operational needs related to field operations and special projects with finite mandates; decides that staff on temporary contracts would be eligible to receive only the following benefits and allowances; decides that the field staff serving on 300 series appointments of less than 4 years who are not performing temporary functions are to be given mission-specific fixed-term contracts until such time as they have gone through a competitive process subject to the review of a central review body; decides that staff on 100-, 200- and 300 series contracts serving in locations other than peacekeeping operations and special political missions for a cumulative period of more than 1 year who are not performing temporary functions are to be given fixed-term contracts until such time as they have gone through a competitive process subject to the review of a central review body; decides to revert at its 65th sess. to the proposal of the Secretary-General to create a cadre of civilian career peacekeepers in the light of the lessons learned from the implementation of the new arrangements for contracts and conditions of service; decides that there shall be no expectations, legal or otherwise, of renewal or conversion of a fixed-term contract, irrespective of the length of service; decides that "in the interest of the good administration of the Organization" is to be interpreted principally as a change or termination of a mandate; decides that the period of service of Junior Professional Officers shall not be taken into account as part of the requisite period of service for a continuing appointment; decides to designate existing established missions as family missions and existing special missions as nonfamily missions, effective 1 July 2009; decides that all staff appointed or assigned to non-family missions shall be installed without the special operations approach; decides to keep the issue of United Nations common system conditions of service in the field under review; decides that all specific vacancy announcements shall continue to be advertised; decides to revert to the issue of establishing a redesign panel for this purpose at its 65th sess.; decides to review the regulations and rules of the Organization relating to the exercise by the Secretary-General of his authority to assign and deploy staff according to the operational needs of the Organization. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

# UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (Agenda item 123) (continued)

A/RES/63/271 Amendments to the Staff Regulations. Approves the amendments to the Staff Regulations as contained in the report of the Secretary-General, subject to the provisions of the present resolution and the modified amendments contained in its annex; reaffirms that staff members recruited through the national competitive examinations and language competitive examinations who hold probationary appointments as at 30 June 2009 will be considered for conversion to permanent appointments upon successful completion of their probationary appointments on or after I July 2009; requests the Secretary-General to report to it at its 64th session on the full implications of converting all currently eligible staff to permanent appointments, including the financial impact and the effects on workforce management; also requests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 65th session regarding the status of the review of staff members eligible for consideration as at 30 June 2009 for a permanent appointment; further requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the Staff Rules and related administrative issuances derived from the Staff Regulations comply with the provisions of its relevant resolutions; requests the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at the main part of its 64th session on the provisional new Staff Rules. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

#### **UN–MEMBERS (Agenda item 106)**

See also: UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL-MEMBERS

UN. SECURITY COUNCIL-MEMBERS

#### **UN-PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS**

See: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

#### **UN-PERSONNEL QUESTIONS**

See: UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

#### **UN-PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 119)**

See also: UN-ADMINISTRATION

#### **Reports**

- A/63/6(Part one) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 1, Plan outline. Issued: 5 May 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.1) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 1, General Assembly and Economic and Social Council affairs and conference management. Issued: 25 Feb. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.2) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 2, Political affairs. Issued: 18 Mar. 2008.

# UN-PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 119) (continued)

- A/63/6(Prog.3) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 3, Disarmament. Issued: 10 Mar. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.4) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 4, Peacekeeping operations. Issued: 3 Apr. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.5) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 5, Peaceful uses of outer space. Issued: 12 Feb. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.6) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 6, Legal affairs. Issued: 10 Mar. 2008
- A/63/6(Prog.7) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 7, Economic and social affairs. Issued: 14 Mar. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.8) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 8, Least developed countries, landlocked developing countries and small island developing States. Issued: 13 Feb. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.9) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 9, United Nations support for the New Partnership for Africa's Development. Issued: 12 Feb. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.10) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 10, Trade and development. Issued: 14 Mar. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.11) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 11, Environment. Issued: 26 Mar. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.12) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan.
   Programme 12, Human settlements.
   Issued: 29 Feb. 2008.
- A/63/6(Prog.13) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 13, International drug control, crime and terrorism prevention and criminal justice. Issued: 3 Mar. 2008.
- **A/63/6(Prog.14)** Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 14, Economic and social development in Africa.

Issued: 18 Mar. 2008.

# UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 119) (continued)

A/63/6(Prog.15) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 15, Economic and social development in Asia and the Pacific. Issued: 24 Mar. 2008.

 A/63/6(Prog.16) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan.
 Programme 16, Economic development in Europe. Issued: 20 Feb. 2008.

A/63/6(Prog.17) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan.
 Programme 17, Economic and social development in Latin America and the Caribbean.
 Issued: 14 Mar. 2008.

 A/63/6(Prog.17)/Corr. 1 Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan.
 Programme 17, Economic and social development in Latin America and the Caribbean : corrigendum. Issued: 3 June 2008. - Corrects text.

A/63/6(Prog.18) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan.
 Programme 18, Economic and social development in Western Asia.
 Issued: 10 Mar. 2008.

A/63/6(Prog.19) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 19, Human Rights. Issued: 27 Feb. 2008.

A/63/6(Prog.20) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 20, International protection, durable solutions and assistance to refugees. Issued: 12 Feb. 2008.

A/63/6(Prog.21) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 21, Palestine refugees. Issued: 19 Feb. 2008.

A/63/6(Prog.22) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 22, Humanitarian assistance. Issued: 25 Mar. 2008.

A/63/6(Prog.23) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan.
 Programme 23, Public information.
 Issued: 17 Mar. 2008.

 A/63/6(Prog.23)/Corr.1 Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan.
 Programme 23, Public information : corrigendum. Issued: 19 June 2008. - Corrects text.

A/63/6(Prog.24) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 24, Management and support services. Issued: 12 June 2008.

# UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 119) (continued)

A/63/6(Prog.25) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 25, Internal oversight. Issued: 26 Mar. 2008.

A/63/6(Prog.26) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 26, Jointly financed activities. Issued: 12 May 2008.

 A/63/6(Prog.27) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Part 2, biennial programme plan. Programme 27, Safety and security. Issued: 10 Mar. 2008.

A/63/6/Rev.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 6) Strategic framework for the period 2010-2011. Issued: 2009.

A/63/16 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 16) Report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination, 48th session (9 June-3 July 2008). Issued: 2008.

A/63/70 Programme performance of the United Nations for the biennium 2006-2007 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 28 Apr. 2008.

#### General documents

**A/C.3/63/2** Letter, 9 July 2008, from the Chairman of the Committee for Programme and Coordination. Transmits draft conclusions and amendments to programme 19, Human rights, of the proposed strategic framework for the period 2010-2011 proposed by the Committee for Programme and Coordination at its 48th session to be considered by the 3rd Committee.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.3/63/L.79 Programme planning : draft decision / submitted by the Chairperson.

The draft decision was withdrawn by the its sponsor (Chairperson of the 3rd Committee) and was re-introduced at the 49th meeting by Mauritius on behalf of the Group of African States. Albania, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Bahrain, Barbados, Belgium, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, El Salvador, France, Guatemala, Honduras, Indonesia, Iraq, Jamaica, Kuwait, Lebanon, Liechtenstein, Mexico, Nicaragua, Norway, Oman, Panama, Paraguay, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Suriname, Switzerland, the United Arab Emirates, Uruguay and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) subsequently joined in the sponsoring the draft decision (A/63/434).

**A/C.5/63/L.4** Programme planning : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/446 Report of the 1st Committee.

# UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 119) (continued)

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

A/63/449 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

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

A/63/447 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

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

A/63/434 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.1 (6 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.49 (26 Nov. 2008).

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

A/63/611 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.7 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.23 (15 Dec. 2008).

# Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/450 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 1st Committee (A/63/446): decision 63/522.

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 4th Committee (A/63/449): decision 63/528.

#### A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, the Assembly decided to take note of the report of the 6th Committee (A/63/450): decision 63/530.

#### A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 71st meeting, draft decision in A/63/434 (originally A/C.3/63/L.79) was adopted without vote: decision 63/538.

#### A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the 2nd Committee (A/63/447): decision 63/546.

#### A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/611 (originally A/C.5/63/L.4) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/247.

### UN–PROGRAMME PLANNING (Agenda item 119) (continued) Resolutions

### A/RES/63/247 Programme planning.

Decides that the priorities for the period 2010-2011 shall be the following: (a) promotion of sustained economic growth and sustainable development in accordance with the relevant resolutions of the General Assembly and recent UN conferences; (b) maintenance of international peace and security; (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; requests the Secretary-General to prepare the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011 on the basis of the above priorities and the biennial programme plan as adopted in the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2008)

#### **UN-PUBLIC INFORMATION**

See: INFORMATION

#### 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

#### UN. AD HOC COMMITTEE ON THE ELABORATION OF A CONVENTION AGAINST TRANSNATIONAL ORGANIZED CRIME

See: CRIME PREVENTION

#### UN. ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS-MEMBERS (Agenda item 105a)

#### General documents

- **A/63/101** Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions : note / by the Secretary-General.
- **A/C.5/63/4** 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/63/528 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.16 (7 Nov. 2008).

### UN. ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRAT IVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS-MEMBERS (Agenda item 105a) (continued)

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.56 (20 Nov. 2008).

At the 56th meeting, the following persons were appointed members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a 3-year term of office beginning on 1 Jan. 2009: Aicha Afifi (Morocco), Renata Archini (Italy), Vladimir Alekseevitch Iosifov (Russian Federation), Alejandro Torres Lépori (Argentina) and Susan McLurg (United States): decision 63/407.

### UN. COMMITTEE FOR PROGRAMME AND COORDINATION-MEMBERS (Agenda item 104a)

### General documents

**A/63/312** Election of 20 members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/63/312/Add.1 Election of 20 members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination : note / by the Secretary-General.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.73 (22 Dec. 2008).

At the 73rd meeting, the following States were elected members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination for a 3-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2009: Argentina, Armenia, Belarus, Brazil, the Central African Republic, Cuba, Guinea, India, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Italy, Kazakhstan, Nigeria, Pakistan, South Africa, Spain, Ukraine and Uruguay: decision 63/414 A.

#### A/63/PV.87 (10 June 2009).

At the 87th meeting, the Assembly declared Israel elected a member of the Committee for Programme and Coordination for a term of office beginning on 10 June 2009 and expiring on 31 Dec. 2009: decision 63/414 B.

# UN. COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCES–MEMBERS (Agenda item 105g)

#### General documents

**A/63/107** Appointment of members of the Committee on Conferences : note / by the Secretary-General.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.32 (27 Oct. 2008).

At the 32nd meeting, Assembly took note of the appointments of the following States as members of the Committee on Conferences for a period of 3 years beginning on 1 Jan. 2009: Congo, France, Malaysia, Mozambique, Philippines and Russian Federation: decision 63/405 A.

#### A/63/PV.75 (20 Feb. 2009).

At the 75th meeting, the Assembly took note of the appointment of Mexico as a member of the Committee on Conferences for a period of 3 years beginning on 1 Jan. 2009: decision 63/405 B.

### UN. COMMITTEE ON CONTRIBUTIONS– MEMBERS (Agenda item 105b) General documents

### **A/63/102** Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/63/102/Add.1 Appointment of a member of the Committee on Contributions : note : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.5/63/5** Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions : note / by the Secretary-General.

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

A/63/529 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/529/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.16 (7 Nov. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.41 (11 May 2009).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.56 (20 Nov. 2008).

At the 56th meeting, the following persons were appointed members of the Committee on Contributions for a 3-year term of office beginning on 1 Jan. 2009: Vyacheslav Anatolievich Logutov (Russian Federation), Richard Moon (United Kingdom), Hae-yun Park (Republic of Korea), Thomas Thomma (Germany), Courtney Williams (Jamaica) and Wu Gang (China): decision 63/408 A.

#### A/63/PV.84 (26 May 2009).

At the 84th meeting, the General Assembly decided to appoint Gönke Roscher (Germany) as a member of the Committee on Contributions for a term of office beginning on 26 May 2009 and ending on 31 Dec. 2011 : decision 63/408 B.

#### **UN. COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION**

See: INFORMATION

#### UN. COMMITTEE ON THE PEACEFUL USES OF OUTER SPACE

See: OUTER SPACE-PEACEFUL USES-INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

#### UN. CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT-REPORTS (Agenda item 91b)

### **Reports**

A/63/27 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 27) Report of the Conference on Disarmament, , 2008 session. Issued: 2008.

A/63/177 United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 28 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Director of the UN Institute for Disarmament Research on the activities of the Institute for the period from Aug. 2007 to July 2008 and the proposed programme of work and estimated budget for 2008 and 2009.

### **UN. CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT-REPORTS** (Agenda item 91b) (continued) **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.47 Report of the Conference on Disarmament : draft resolution / Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

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

A/63/391 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.16 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/391 (originally A/C.1/63/L.47) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/82.

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/82 Report of the Conference on Disarmament. Reaffirms the role of the Conference on Disarmament as the sole multilateral disarmament negotiating forum of the international community; calls upon the Conference to further intensify consultations and explore possibilities with a view to reaching an agreement on a programme of work; 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 2009 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 64th session. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

#### **UN. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INFORMATION-ACTIVITIES**

See: INFORMATION

### **UN. DISARMAMENT COMMISSION-REPORTS** (Agenda item 91a)

#### Reports

A/63/42 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 42) Report of the Disarmament Commission for 2008. Issued: 2008.

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.1/63/L.48 Report of the Disarmament Commission : draft resolution / Armenia, Benin, Brazil, Cameroon, Croatia, France, Guatemala, Peru, Netherlands, Philippines and Uzbekistan.

#### **UN. DISARMAMENT COMMISSION-REPORTS** (Agenda item 91a) (continued)

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

A/63/391 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.17 (24 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution II in A/63/391 (originally A/C.1/63/L.48) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/83.

#### Resolutions

A/RES/63/83 Report of the Disarmament Commission. Reaffirms the validity of its decision 52/492 of 8 Sept. 1998, concerning the efficient functioning of the Disarmament Commission; reaffirms the mandate of the Disarmament Commission as the specialized, deliberative body within the UN multilateral disarmament machinery that allows for in-depth deliberations on specific disarmament issues, leading to the submission of concrete recommendations on those issues; recommends that the Disarmament Commission include in the agenda of its 2009 substantive session an item entitled "Elements of a draft declaration of the 2010s as the 4th disarmament decade", in accordance with resolution 61/67; requests the Disarmament Commission to meet for a period not exceeding 3 weeks during 2009, namely 13 Apr. -1 May, and to submit a substantive report to the General Assembly at its 64th 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 63rd session of the General Assembly relating to disarmament matters, and to render all assistance that the Commission may require for implementing the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL-MEMBERS (Agenda item 103b)

#### General documents

A/63/493 Letter, 17 Oct. 2008, from Iceland. Reports Iceland's decision to relinquish at the end of 2008 its seat for membership in the Economic and Social Council for the remaining term in favour of Norway, in line with the rotation agreement within the Group of Western European and Other States.

### UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL– MEMBERS (Agenda item 103b) (continued) Discussion in plenary

### A/63/PV.30 (22 Oct. 2008).

At the 30th meeting, Norway was elected a member of the Economic and Social Council for a term of office beginning on 1 Jan. 2009 and ending on 31 Dec. 2010; the following 18 States were elected members of the Economic and Social Council for a 3-year term beginning on 1 Jan. 2009: Côte d'Ivoire, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, India, Japan, Liechtenstein, Mauritius, Morocco, Namibia, Peru, Portugal, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saudi Arabia and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela: decision 63/404.

### UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL-REPORTS (Agenda item 40)

### Reports

A/63/3 Report of the Economic and Social Council for 2008.

Issued: 15 Aug. 2008.

A/63/3/Add.1 Report of the Economic and Social Council for 2008 : addendum.

Issued: 2 Jan. 2009.

- A/63/3/Rev.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 3) Report of the Economic and Social Council for 2008. Issued: 2009.
- A/63/255 United Nations Population Award 2008 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 8 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report of the Executive Director of the UN Population Fund on the UN Population Award, prepared in accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 1982/112.

A/63/371 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive and resumed substantive sessions of 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 23 Sept. 2008.

A/63/567 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its substantive sessions of 2008 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 25 Nov. 2008.

A/63/592 Financing of the core diplomatic training activities of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Dec. 2008.

 A/63/744 Financing of the core diplomatic training activities of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 2 Mar. 2009.

### UN. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL– REPORTS (Agenda item 40) (continued) General documents

- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/740** Letter, 20 Feb. 2009, from Namibia. Transmits the "Windhoek High-level Ministerial Declaration on African Agriculture in the 21st Century: Meeting the Challenges, Making a Sustainable Green Revolution" adopted at the high-level meeting for the Africa region on the theme "African agriculture in the 21st century: meeting the challenges, making a sustainable green revolution", held in Windhoek, on 9 and 10 Feb. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.14 Smoke-free United Nations premises : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China], Australia, Canada and New Zealand.

A/63/L.14/Add.1 Smoke-free United Nations premises : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Finland, France, Ireland, Israel, Lebanon, Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008).

At the 44th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.14, as orally corrected, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/8.

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/8 Smoke-free United Nations premises. Decides to implement a complete ban on smoking at UN Headquarters indoor premises and on sales of tobacco products at UN Headquarters premises; recommends the implementation of a complete ban on smoking at all UN indoor premises, including regional and country offices throughout the UN system, and the implementation of a complete ban on sales of tobacco products at all UN premises; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th sess. a report on the measures for the implementation of the present resolution. (Adopted without vote, 36th plenary meeting, 3 Nov. 2008)

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY-RULES OF PROCEDURE

See: UN-CHARTER

# UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY–WORK PROGRAMME (Agenda item 110)

### **Reports**

**A/63/915** Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 7 July 2009.

- A/63/915/Add.1 Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 3 Aug. 2009.
- **A/63/959** Report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly. Issued: 10 Sept. 2009.

#### **General documents**

- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

A/C.3/63/L.76 Tentative programme of work of the 3rd Committee for the 64th session of the General Assembly / submitted by the Chairman of the Committee.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.2/63/L.68 Draft programme of work of the 2nd Committee for the 64th session of the General Assembly.
- A/C.4/63/L.10 Proposed programme of work and timetable of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) for the 64th session of the General Assembly : draft decision / submitted by the Bureau.
- **A/C.6/63/L.16** Provisional programme of work [of the 64th session of the General Assembly, 6th Committee] : draft decision.

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

A/63/397 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.22 (31 Oct. 2009).

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

**A/63/409** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.22 (5 Nov. 2008).

# UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY–WORK PROGRAMME (Agenda item 110) (continued)

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

A/63/420 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

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

A/63/433 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.49 (26 Nov. 2008).

# Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/445 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.56 (20 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft decision in A/63/397 entitled "Proposed programme of work and timetable of the First Committee for 2009" was adopted without vote: decision 63/521.

#### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft decision entitled "Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly" was adopted without vote: decision 63/527.

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

At the 67th meeting, draft decision in A/63/445 (originally A/C.6/63/L.16) was adopted without vote: decision 63/529.

#### A/63/PV.71 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 71st meeting, draft decision in A/63/433 entitled "Programme of work of the 3rd Committee for the 64th session of the General Assembly", was adopted without vote: decision 63/537.

#### A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft decision in A/63/420 entitled "Programme of work of the Second Committee for the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly" was adopted without vote: decision 63/545.

#### A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, draft resolution A/63/959 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/309.

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY–WORK PROGRAMME (Agenda item 110) (continued) Resolutions

#### Resolutions

**A/RES/63/309** Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly.

Decides to establish, at its 64th session, an Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly, open to all Member States; requests the President of the General Assembly at its 64th session, in consultation with Member States, to make proposals for the further biennialization, triennialization, clustering and elimination of items on the agenda of the Assembly; and calls upon Member States to respond to the annual review of the Meetings and Publishing Division of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management on the distribution of printed documents to Missions. (Adopted without vote, 105th plenary meeting, 14 Sept. 2009)

# UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH SPECIAL SESS. ON DISARMAMENT : ####)

See: DISARMAMENT-UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (4TH SPECIAL SESS. ON DISARMAMENT : ####)

# UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (27th SPECIAL SESS. : 2002)–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 60b)

See also: RIGHTS OF THE CHILD

#### **Reports**

**A/63/308** Follow-up to the special session of the General Assembly on children : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Aug. 2008.

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

A/C.3/63/SR.13 (15 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.14 (16 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.15 (16 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.16 (17 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

# UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-AGENDA (Agenda item 7)

#### **General documents**

**A/63/50** Preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretary General.

- **A/63/100** Annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly.
- A/63/100/Add.1 Annotated draft agenda of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- **A/63/141** Letter, 19 June 2008, from the United Republic of Tanzania. Requests for inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of an additional item entitled "Observer status for the South Centre".

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-AGENDA (Agenda item 7) (continued)

- **A/63/142** Letter, 7 July 2008, from the Philippines. Requests for inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of an additional item entitled "Review and appraisal of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons".
- **A/63/143** Letter, 17 July 2008, from Paraguay. Requests for inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of an additional item entitled "Observer status for the Agency for International Trade Information and Cooperation in the General Assembly".
- **A/63/150** Provisional agenda of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly to convene at United Nations Headquarters, New York, on Tuesday, 16 September 2008.
- A/63/150/Corr.1 Provisional agenda of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly [to convene at United Nations Headquarters, New York, on Tuesday, 16 September 2008] : corrigendum. Corrects text.
- **A/63/191** Identical letters, 25 July 2008, from Belgium addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the General Assembly. Requests for inclusion of a supplementary item in the agenda of the 63rd session entitled "Natural resources and conflict".
- **A/63/192** Request for the inclusion of 2 supplementary sub-items in the agenda of the 63rd session : Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal; Appoint of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.
- **A/63/193** Letter, 12 Aug. 2008, from Czech Republic, Estonia, Georgia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland and Ukraine. Requests for inclusion of a supplementary item in the agenda of the 63rd session entitled "Commemoration of the 75th anniversary of the Great Famine of 1932-1933 in Ukraine (Holodomor)".
- **A/63/194** Letter, 14 Aug. 2008, from Belize, Burkina Faso, El Salvador, the Gambia, Honduras, the Marshall Islands, Nauru, Nicaragua, Palau, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Sao Tome and Principe, Solomon Islands, Swaziland and Tuvalu. Request for the inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of a supplementary item entitled "Need to examine the fundamental rights of the 23 million people of the Republic of China (Taiwan) to participate meaningfully in the activities of the United Nations specialized agencies".

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-AGENDA (Agenda item 7) (continued)

A/63/194/Add.1 Letter, 14 Aug. 2008, from Belize. Burkina Faso, El Salvador, the Gambia, Honduras, the Marshall Islands, Nauru, Nicaragua, Palau, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Sao Tome and Principe, Solomon Islands, Swaziland and Tuvalu. Request for the inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of a supplementary item entitled "Need to examine the fundamental rights of the 23 million people of the Republic of China (Taiwan) to participate meaningfully in the activities of the United Nations specialized agencies". Additional signatories: Kiribati.

- A/63/195 Letter, 15 Aug. 2008, from Serbia, Requests for inclusion of a supplementary item in the agenda of the 63rd session entitled "Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law ".
- A/63/196 Note verbale, 15 Aug. 2008, from France. Requests for inclusion of a supplementary item in the agenda of the 63rd session entitled "Observer status in the General Assembly for the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria".
- A/63/200 List of supplementary items proposed for inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of the General Assembly.
- A/63/231 Letter, 11 Sept. 2008, from Costa Rica. Requests inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of an additional item entitled "Observer status for the University for Peace in the General Assembly".
- A/63/232 Request for the inclusion of an additional item in the agenda of the 63rd session : 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 : note / by the Secretary-General.
- A/63/233 Letter, 17 Sept. 2008, from the Congo. Requests inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of an additional item entitled "Recognition of sickle-cell anaemia as a public health priority".
- A/63/234 Letter, 6 Oct. 2008, from Costa Rica. Requests inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of an additional item entitled "Granting of observer status for the International Fund for Saving the Aral Sea in the General Assembly".
- A/63/235 Letter, 26 Nov. 2008, from Italy. Requests inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of an additional item entitled "Observer status for the International Olympic Committee in the General Assembly".
- A/63/236 Request for the inclusion of an additional item in the agenda of the 63rd session : financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009) : note / by the Secretary-General.

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-AGENDA (Agenda item 7) (continued)

- A/63/237 Letter, 21 Jan. 2009, from Tanzania in the capacity as the Chair of the African Union. Requests, on behalf of the Group of African States, the inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of an additional item entitled "Abuse of the principle of universal jurisdiction".
- A/63/237/Rev.1 Letter, 29 June 2009, from Tanzania. Requests, on behalf of the Group of African States, the inclusion in the agenda of the 63rd session of an additional item entitled "The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction".
- A/63/251 Agenda of the 63rd session of the General Assembly / adopted by the General Assembly at its 2nd plenary meeting, on 19 September 2008.
- A/63/251/Add.1 Agenda of the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/251/Add.2 Agenda of the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/251/Add.3 Agenda of the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/251/Add.4 Agenda of the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/251/Add.5 Agenda of the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/252 Allocation of agenda items for the 63rd session of the General Assembly / adopted by the General Assembly at its 2nd plenary meeting, on 19 September 2008
- A/63/252/Add.1 Allocation of agenda items for the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/252/Add.2 Allocation of agenda items for the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/252/Add.3 Allocation of agenda items for the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/252/Add.4 Allocation of agenda items for the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/252/Add.5 Allocation of agenda items for the 63rd session of the General Assembly : addendum.
- A/63/352 Letter, 8 Sept. 2008, from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences. Reports that the Committee on Conferences has received requests from various Committees, Commissions and Working Groups to meet in New York during the main part of the 63rd session of the General Assembly.
- A/63/352/Add. 1 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences. Reports that the Committee on Conferences has received a request from the Executive Board of UNDP and UNFPA to hold a meeting in New York during the main part of the 63rd session of the General Assembly.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–AGENDA (Agenda item 7) (continued)

- **A/63/935** Letter, 22 July 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement by the Federation Council of the Federal Assembly of the Russian Federation in connection with the 70th anniversary of the start of the 2nd World War; calls on the international community to conduct an honest and unbiased assessment of the causes and consequences of that historic event.
- **A/63/952** (S/2009/433) Letter, 24 Aug. 2009, from the Russian Federation. Transmits joint statement dated 18 Aug. 2009 by the Presidents of the Russian Federation and Israel on the 70th anniversary of the start of the 2nd World War.
- **A/INF/63/1** Opening dates of forthcoming regular sessions of the General Assembly and dates of the general debate : 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/INF/63/3 Arrangements for the high-level meetings and the general debate of the 63rd session of the General Assembly in September 2008 : United Nations Headquarters, 22 September-3 October 2008 : information note to delegations.
- A/INF/63/3/Add.1 Arrangements for the High-level Event on the Millennium Development Goals, United Nations Headquarters, 25 September 2008 : information note to delegations.
- A/INF/63/4 Programme of work of the General Assembly : schedule of plenary meetings : note / by the President of the General Assembly.
- **A/INF/63/4/Rev.1** Programme of work of the General Assembly : schedule of plenary meetings : note / by the President of the General Assembly.
- **A/INF/63/4/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/63/250 Organization of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 1st report of the General Committee.
- A/63/250/Add.1 Organization of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 2nd report of the General Committee.
- A/63/250/Add.2 Organization of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 3rd report of the General Committee.
- **A/63/250/Add.3** Organization of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 4th report of the General Committee.
- **A/63/250/Add.4** Organization of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 5th report of the General Committee.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–AGENDA (Agenda item 7) (continued)

A/63/250/Corr.1 Organization of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : 1st report of the General Committee : corrigendum.

Corrects text.

A/BUR/63/1 Organization of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : memorandum / by the Secretary-General.

A/BUR/63/1/Corr.1 Organization of the 63rd regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items : memorandum : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General. Corrects text.

A/BUR/63/SR.1 (17 Sept. 2008).

A/BUR/63/SR.2 (17 Sept. 2008).

A/BUR/63/SR.3 (29 Oct. 2008).

A/BUR/63/SR.4 (18 Feb. 2009).

A/BUR/63/SR.6 (8 Sept. 2009).

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/63/L.65** General debate of the 64th regular session of the General Assembly : draft decision / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

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

A/C.5/63/SR.39 (27 Mar. 2009).

#### Discussion in plenary

#### A/63/PV.1 (16 Sept. 2008).

At the 1st meeting, the Assembly authorized the subsidiary organs of the Assembly listed in the letters of the Chairman of the Committee on Conferences (A/63/352 and Add.1) to meet during the main part of the 63rd session of the General Assembly: decision 63/501.

#### A/63/PV.2 (19 Sept. 2008).

At the 2nd meeting, the Assembly adopted a number of provisions concerning the organization and adoption and allocation of agenda of the 63rd session: decision 63/502 and 63/503 A.

#### A/63/PV.20 (6 Oct. 2008).

At the 20th meeting, the Assembly decided to include an additional item entitled "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" in the agenda of the 63rd session and to consider it directly in plenary meeting: decision 63/503 A.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–AGENDA (Agenda item 7) (continued)

#### A/63/PV.34 (30 Oct. 2008).

At the 34th meeting, General Assembly decided to include item entitled "Recognition of sickle-cell anaemia as a public health priority" in the agenda of the current session under heading B and to consider that item directly in plenary meeting, also decided to include item "Granting of observer status for the International Fund for Saving the Aral Sea in the General Assembly" in the agenda of the current session under heading I and to allocate that item to the 6th Committee, and approved the General Committee's recommendation that item 58 entitled "Report of the Human Rights Council" be considered in plenary meeting as well as in the 3rd Committee: decision 63/503 A.

#### A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, the General Assembly agrees to extend the work of the 2nd Committee until Thursday, 11 Dec. 2008: decision 63/502.

#### A/63/PV.69 (15 Dec. 2008).

At the 69th meeting, the Assembly decided to further postpone the date of recess of the 63rd session to Monday, 22 Dec. 2008: decision 63/502.

#### A/63/PV.73 (22 Dec. 2008).

At the 73rd meeting, the Assembly decided to postpone the date of recess of the 63rd session to Tuesday, 23 Dec. 2008 and to extend the work of the 5th Committee to Tuesday 23 Dec. 2008: decision 63/502.

#### A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, the Assembly decided to consider agenda item 48 directly in plenary meeting under heading B, "Promotion of sustained economic growth and sustainable development in accordance with the relevant resolutions of the General Assembly and recent United Nations conferences". proceeded immediately and concluded the stage of the consideration of agenda item 48: decision 63/503 A; the Assembly decided to take note of the following agenda items that remain open for consideration: 9, 12 to 16, 18, 21 to 26, 31, 40, 41, 44, 45, 48, 49 (d), 57, 59, 71, 79, 89, 99, 100, 103 (c), 104 (a), and (c), 105 (d) and (g), to (l), 106, 107, 110 to 113, 114 (a), (h), (p), (q) and (u), 115, 116 (a) to (q), 117 to 149, 152 and 154 during the 63rd session: decision 63/552.

#### A/63/PV.75 (20 Feb. 2009).

At the 75th meeting, the Assembly decided to include an additional item entitled "Financing of activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009)" in the agenda of the 63rd session and to allocate the item to the 5th Committee: decision 63/503 B; draft decision A/63/L.65 was adopted without vote: decision 63/553.

#### A/63/PV.80 (22 Apr. 2009).

At the 80th meeting, the Assembly decided to consider sub-item (d) of agenda item 49 directly in plenary under heading B "Promotion of sustained economic growth and sustainable development in accordance with the relevant resolutions of the General Assembly and recent United Nations conferences": decision 63/503 B.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–AGENDA (Agenda item 7) (continued)

#### A/63/PV.81 (24 Apr. 2009).

At the 81st meeting, the Assembly decided to reopen consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 65 and to proceed immediately: decision 63/503 B.

#### A/63/PV.84 (26 May 2009).

At the 84th meeting, the General Assembly decided to reopen consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 105 : decision 63/503 B.

#### A/63/PV.91 (29 June 2009).

At the 91st meeting, the Assembly decided to reopen consideration of agenda item 20 and to proceed it immediately: decision 63/503 B.

#### A/63/PV.100 (28 July 2009).

At the 100th plenary meeting, the Assembly decided to include item entitled "The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction" as item 158 on the agenda of the current session under heading F "Promotion of justice and international law" and to be considered directly in plenary meeting: decision 63/503 B.

#### A/63/PV.103 (11 Aug. 2009).

At the 103rd meeting, the Assembly decided to include in the agenda of the current session two additional items entitled "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" and "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" under heading I, "Organizational, administrative and other matters" and to consider them in plenary meeting. At the same meeting, the Assembly decided to reopen consideration of agenda item 29 and to consider it directly in plenary meeting under heading A "Maintenance of international peace and security": decision 63/503 B.

#### A/63/PV.104 (9 Sept. 2009).

At the 104th meeting, consideration of the agenda item entitled "Question of the Comorian island of Mayotte" be deferred to the 64th session of the General Assembly and that it be included in the draft agenda of that session: decision 63/559.

#### A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, the General Assembly decided to reopen consideration of the agenda item 71, entitled "Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law": decision 63/503 B.

# UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-DOCUMENTS

### General documents

- **A/C.1/63/INF.1** Documents of the 1st Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.1/63/INF.1/Add.1 Documents of the 1st Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.1/63/INF/3 Situation reports of the 1st Committee on agenda items 81 to 96 : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.1/63/INF/3/Rev.1 Situation reports of the 1st Committee on agenda items 81 to 96, 110 and 119 : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.2/63/INF/1 List of proposals contained in the reports of the 2nd Committee : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.2/63/L.1/Add.1 Organization of work of the 2nd Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note : addendum : Status of preparation of documentation / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.3/63/INF/1 List of draft proposals contained in the reports of the 3rd Committee.
- A/C.3/63/L.1/Add.1 Organization of the work of the 3rd Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note : addendum : Documentation before the 3rd Committee / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.4/63/INF/1 Documents of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.4/63/INF/1/Rev.1 Documents of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.4/63/INF/3 Checklist of reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) to the General Assembly on agenda items 27 to 37, 110 and 119 : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.4/63/INF/3/Rev.1 Checklist of reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) to the General Assembly on agenda items 27 to 37, 110 and 119 : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.5/63/L.1 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 63rd session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.5/63/L.30 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 1st part of the resumed 63rd session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.5/63/L.42 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 2nd part of the resumed 63rd session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–DOCUMENTS (continued)

A/C.6/63/L.1 Organization of work : General Assembly, 63rd session, 6th Committee : note / by the Secretariat. Lists documentation relating to the items allocated to the 6th Committee.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–GENERAL DEBATE (Agenda item 8)

- See also: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-GENERAL DEBATE-RIGHT OF REPLY
  - UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 1ST COMMITTEE-GENERAL DEBATE
  - UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 2ND COMMITTEE-GENERAL DEBATE

#### General documents

- **A/63/377** Letter, 24 Sept. 2008, from Serbia. Transmits statement, in exercise of the right of reply, regarding alleged remarks made by the President of Albania in reference to the status of Kosovo and the prospects for long-term stability, peace and development in the Balkans.
- **A/63/378** Letter, 25 Sept. 2008, from Cyprus. Transmits statement, in exercise of the right of reply, to the remarks made by the President of Turkey, on 23 Sept. 2008, in the General Assembly on the ongoing talks to reach a political settlement in Cyprus.
- **A/63/456** Letter, 29 Sept. 2008, from Greece. Transmits statement, in exercise of the right of reply to alleged remarks made by the President of the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, concerning the practice of using the name 'former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.'.
- **A/63/460** Letter, 1 Oct. 2008, from Albania. Transmits statement, in exercise of the right of reply to the letter submitted by Serbia (A/63/377), on the status of Kosovo and the prospects for building peace, stability, and democracy in the Balkans.
- **A/63/523** Letter, 5 Nov. 2008, from Argentina. Transmits Government's response to the reply by the Islamic Republic of Iran on the remarks made by the Argentine President in the general debate of the 63rd sess. of the General Assembly concerning the bombing in Buenos Aires in 1994 (A/63/468).

#### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/63/L.65** General debate of the 64th regular session of the General Assembly : draft decision / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.5	(23 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.6	(23 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.7	(24 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.8	(24 Sept. 2008).

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–GENERAL DEBATE (Agenda item 8) (continued)

A/63/PV.9 (25 Sept. 2008).

A/63/PV.10	(25 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.11	(26 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.12	(26 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.13	(27 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.14	(27 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.15	(29 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.16	(29 Sept. 2008).

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–GENERAL DEBATE–RIGHT OF REPLY (Agenda item 8)

See also: UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-GENERAL DEBATE

#### General documents

- A/63/462 Letter, 29 Sept. 2008, from the United Kingdom. Transmits written reply, in exercise of the right of reply, to remarks made by the President of Argentina in the general debate of the 63rd session of the General Assembly.
- **A/63/468** Letter, 28 Sept. 2008, from Iran. Transmits written statement in exercise of the right of reply to the remarks made by the President of Argentina in the general debate of the 63rd sess. of the General Assembly concerning the bombing in Buenos Aires in 1994.
- **A/63/475** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from the United Kingdom. Transmits statement, in exercise of the right of reply, to the remarks made by the chairperson of the delegation of Mauritius, in the General Assembly on 29 Sept. 2008; states that the British Government does not recognize the sovereignty claim of Mauritius on the British Indian Ocean Territory, but acknowledges the right of Mauritius to assert a claim when the United Kingdom relinquishes its own sovereignty.
- **A/63/491** Note verbale, 29 Sept. 2008, from Indonesia. Transmits written reply, in exercise of the right of reply, to the statement delivered by the President of Vanuatu in the general debate of the 63rd session of the General Assembly.

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

A/C.1/63/PV.3 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.5 (9 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.14 (21 Oct. 2008).

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–OFFICERS (Agenda item 5)

### General documents

A/INF/63/2 Membership of the Main Committees of the General Assembly : 63rd session : note / by the Secretary-General.

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

#### A/C.1/62/PV.26 (4 June 2008).

At the 26th meeting, Marco Antonio Suazo (Honduras) was elected Chairman; Martin Zvachula (Federated States of Micronesia), Ivan Mutavdzic (Croatia), were elected Vice-Chairmen and Coly Seck (Senegal) was elected Rapporteur of the 1st Committee for the 63rd session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

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

#### A/C.4/62/SR.25 (4 June 2008).

At the 25th meeting, Jorge Arguello (Argentina) was elected Chairman, Amr Elsherbini (Egypt), Alexandru Cujba (Moldova) and Elmer Cato (Philippines) were elected Vice-Chairpersons, and Paula Parviainen (Finland) was elected Rapporteur of the 4th Committee for the 63rd session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

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

#### A/C.2/62/SR.36 (24 June 2008).

At the 36th meeting, U. Joy Ogwu (Nigeria) was elected Chairperson, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), Troy Torrington (Guyana) and Martin Hoppe (Germany) were elected Vice-Chairpersons and Awsan Abdullah Ahmed Al-Aud (Yemen) was elected Rapporteur of the 2nd Committee for the 63rd session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

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

#### A/C.3/62/SR.55 (4 June 2008).

At the 55th meeting, Frank Majoor (Netherlands) was elected Chairman; Divina Adjoa Seanedzu (Ghana), Ara Margarian (Armenia) and Julio Peralta (Paraguay) were elected Vice-Chairpersons and Khalid bin Mohammed Alwafi (Saudi Arabia) was elected Rapporteur of the 3rd Committee for the 63rd session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

#### A/C.3/63/SR.50 (10 June 2009).

At the 50th meeting, Mr. Penke (Latvia) was elected Chairman of the 3rd Committee for the 64th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–OFFICERS (Agenda item 5) (continued) Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

#### A/C.5/62/SR.47 (4 June 2008).

At the 47th meeting, Gábor Bródi (Hungary) was elected Chairman, Mohamed Yousif Ibrahim Abdelmannan (Sudan), Olivio Fermín (Dominican Republic) and Henric Réasbrant (Sweden) were elected Vice-Chairpersons and Patrick Chuasoto (Philippines) was elected Rapporteur of the 5th Committee for the 63rd session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

A/C.5/63/SR.54 (10 June 2009).

### Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

#### A/C.6/62/SR.29 (4 June 2008).

At the 29th meeting, Hamid Al Bayati (Iraq) was elected Chairman; El-Hadj Lamine (Algeria), Ana Cristina Rodriguez-Pineda (Guatemala) and Scott Sheeran (New Zealand) were elected Vice-Chairmen and Marko Rakovec (Slovenia) was elected Rapporteur of the 6th Committee for the 63rd session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

#### A/C.6/63/SR.26 (14 Nov. 2008).

#### A/C.6/63/SR.27 (10 June 2009).

At the 27th meeting, Mourad Benmehidi (Algeria) was elected Chairperson; Baghaei Hamaneh (Islamic Republic of Iran) and Andris Stastoli (Algeria) were elected Vice-Chairmen; and Pierre Cartuyvels (Belgium) was elected Rapporteur of the of the 6th Committee for the 64th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/62/PV.100 (4 June 2008).

At the 100th meeting, the following representatives, having been elected Chairpersons of the 6 Main Committees for the 63rd session, were named members of the General Committee for the 63rd session: Marco Antonio Suazo (Honduras) for the 1st Committee, Jorge Argüello (Argentina) for the Special Political and Decolonization Committee or 4th Committee, Joy Ogwu (Nigeria) for the 2nd Committee, Frank Majoor (Netherlands) for the 3rd Committee, Gábor Bródi (Hungary) for the 5th Committee: and Hamid Al Bayati (Iraq) for the 6th Committee: decision 62/417.

#### A/63/PV.87 (10 June 2009).

At the 87th meeting, the following representatives, having been elected Chairpersons of the 6 Main Committees for the 64th session, were named members of the General Committee for that session: José Luis Cancela (Uruguay) for the 1st Committee; Nassir Abdulaziz Al-Nasser (Qatar) for the 4th Committee, Inkook Park (the Republic of Korea) for the 2nd Committee, Normans Penke (Latvia) for the 3rd Committee, Peter Maurer (Switzerland) for the 5th Committee; Mourad Benmehidi (Algeria) for the 6th Committee: decision 63/422.

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–OPENING (Agenda item 1)

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.1 (16 Sept. 2008). The 63rd session of the General Assembly was declared open by the President, Miguel d'Escoto Brockmann (Nicaragua).

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-PARTICIPANTS

#### **Reports**

A/63/23/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008 : addendum.

Issued: 16 Sept. 2008.

### General documents

A/C.1/63/INF/2 Membership of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/INF/2/Add.1 Membership of the 1st Committee.

- A/C.2/63/INF/2 Membership of the 2nd Committee.
- A/C.3/63/INF/2 Membership of the 3rd Committee.
- A/C.4/63/INF/2 Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : General Assembly, 63rd session.
- A/C.4/63/INF/2/Add.1 Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : General Assembly, 63rd session.
- A/C.5/63/INF/1 Membership of the 5th Committee.
- A/C.5/63/INF/1/Add.1 Membership of the 5th Committee.
- A/C.6/63/3 Membership of the 6th Committee.
- **A/INF/63/6** 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 (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–PRAYER OR MEDITATION (Agenda item 2) Discussion in plenary

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A/63/PV.1 (16 Sept. 2008). At the 1st meeting, members of the General Assembly observed a minute of silent prayer or mediation.

#### A/63/PV.88 (16 June 2009).

At the 88th meeting, members of the Assembly observed a minute of silence in tribute to the memory of the late President of the Gabonese Republic, His Excellency El Hadj Omar Bongo Ondimba.

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-RESOLUTIONS AND DECISIONS

### General documents

- **A/63/49(Vol.I)** (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 49) Resolutions and decisions adopted by the General Assembly during its 63rd session. Volume 1, Resolutions, 16 September-24 December 2008.
- **A/63/49(Vol.II)** (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 49) Resolutions and decisions adopted by the General Assembly during its 63rd session. Volume 2, Decisions, 16 September-24 December 2008.

# UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)-SPECIAL STATEMENTS

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.5 (23 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.6 (23 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.7 (24 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.8 (24 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.9 (25 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.10 (25 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.11 (26 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.12 (26 Sept. 2008).
A/63/PV.46 (12 Nov. 2008).
A/63/PV.47 (12 Nov. 2008).
A/63/PV.48 (13 Nov. 2008).
A/63/PV.52 (17 Nov. 2008).

# UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009)–VICE-PRESIDENTS (Agenda item 6)

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.87 (10 June 2009).

At the 87th meeting, the following States were elected to vice-presidencies of the General Assembly for its 64th session: Barbados, Belgium, Cameroon, China, El Salvador, Finland, France, Ghana, Guinea-Bissau, India, Kazakhstan, Maldives, Nepal, the Russian Federation, Slovenia, South Africa, the Sudan, Turkmenistan, the United Kingdom, the United States and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela: decision 63/423.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 1ST COMMITTEE–GENERAL DEBATE (Agenda item 8)

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

A/C.1/63/PV.2 (6 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.3 (7 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.4 (8 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.5 (9 Oct. 2008).
A/C.1/63/PV.6 (9 Oct. 2008).

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 1ST COMMITTEE–GENERAL DEBATE (Agenda item 8) (continued)

A/C.1/63/PV.7 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.8 (14 Oct. 2008).

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 1ST COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 7)

#### **General documents**

- A/C.1/63/1 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 1st Committee by the General Assembly.
- A/C.1/63/2 Programme of work and timetable of the 1st Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session.
- A/C.1/63/CRP.2/Rev.1 Indicative timetable for structured discussion of specific subjects on the adopted thematic approach on disarmament and international security agenda items (items 80 to 96) [of the 1st Committee] : General Assembly, 63rd session.
- **A/C.1/63/INF.1** Documents of the 1st Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.1/63/INF.1/Add.1 Documents of the 1st Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.1/63/INF/2 Membership of the 1st Committee.
- A/C.1/63/INF/2/Add.1 Membership of the 1st Committee.
- A/C.1/63/INF/3 Situation reports of the 1st Committee on agenda items 81 to 96 : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.1/63/INF/3/Rev.1 Situation reports of the 1st Committee on agenda items 81 to 96, 110 and 119 : note / by the Secretariat.

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

A/C.1/63/PV.1 (2 Oct. 2008).

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 2ND COMMITTEE–GENERAL DEBATE (Agenda item 8)

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

A/C.2/63/SR.2	(6 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.3	(6 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.4	(7 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.5	(7 Oct. 2008).
A/C.2/63/SR.6	(8 Oct. 2008).

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 2ND COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 7)

### General documents

- **A/C.2/63/1** Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 2nd Committee by the General Assembly.
- A/C.2/63/INF/1 List of proposals contained in the reports of the 2nd Committee : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.2/63/L.1 Organization of work of the 2nd Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.2/63/L.1/Add.1 Organization of work of the 2nd Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note : addendum : Status of preparation of documentation / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.2/63/L.1/Rev.1 Organization of work of the 2nd Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.

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

A/C.2/63/SR.1 (29 Sept. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 3RD COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 7)

#### **General documents**

- A/C.3/63/1 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 3rd Committee by the General Assembly.
- A/C.3/63/1/Add.1 Letter, 30 Oct. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits an agenda item allocated to the 3rd Committee by the General Assembly.
- A/C.3/63/INF/1 List of draft proposals contained in the reports of the 3rd Committee.
- A/C.3/63/L.1 Organization of the work of the 3rd Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.3/63/L.1/Add.1 Organization of the work of the 3rd Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session : note : addendum : Documentation before the 3rd Committee / by the Secretariat.

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

A/C.3/63/SR.1 (6 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 4TH COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 7)

### **Reports**

A/63/23/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008 : addendum.

Issued: 16 Sept. 2008.

#### General documents

- A/C.4/63/1 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 4th Committee by the General Assembly.
- A/C.4/63/INF/1 Documents of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.4/63/INF/1/Rev.1 Documents of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.4/63/INF/2 Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : General Assembly, 63rd session.
- **A/C.4/63/INF/2/Add.1** Membership of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : General Assembly, 63rd session.
- A/C.4/63/INF/3 Checklist of reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) to the General Assembly on agenda items 27 to 37, 110 and 119 : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- **A/C.4/63/INF/3/Rev.1** Checklist of reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) to the General Assembly on agenda items 27 to 37, 110 and 119 : General Assembly, 63rd session : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.4/63/L.1 Organization of work : General Assembly, 63rd session, Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee) : note / by the Chairman.

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

A/C.4/63/SR.1 (2 Oct. 2008).

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 5TH COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 7)

### General documents

- A/C.5/63/1 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 5th Committee by the General Assembly.
- A/C.5/63/1/Add.1 Letter, 20 Feb. 2009, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 5th Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.5/63/INF/1 Membership of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/INF/1/Add.1 Membership of the 5th Committee.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 5TH COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 7) (continued)

- A/C.5/63/L.1 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 63rd session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.5/63/L.30 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 1st part of the resumed 63rd session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.
- A/C.5/63/L.42 Status of preparedness of documentation for the 5th Committee during the 2nd part of the resumed 63rd session of the General Assembly : note / by the Secretariat.

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

A/C.5/63/SR.1 (3 Oct. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.29 (2 Mar. 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.35 (19 Mar. 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.41 (11 May 2009).

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). 6TH COMMITTEE–WORK ORGANIZATION (Agenda item 7)

#### General documents

A/C.6/63/1 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 6th Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.6/63/1/Add.1 Letter, 30 Oct. 2008, from the President of the General Assembly. Transmits list of agenda items allocated to the 6th Committee by the General Assembly.

A/C.6/63/L.1 Organization of work : General Assembly, 63rd 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.6/63/SR.1 (6 Oct. 2008).

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE–MEMBERS (Agenda item 3a)

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.1 (16 Sept. 2008).

At the 1st meeting, the following Member States were appointed Members of the Credentials Committee: Botswana, China, Cyprus, Luxembourg, Mexico, Mozambique, the Russian Federation, Saint Kitts and Nevis and the United States of America: decision 63/401.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE-REPORTS (Agenda item 3b)

#### Reports

A/63/633 Credentials of representatives to the 63rd session of the General Assembly : report of the Credentials Committee. Issued: 19 Dec. 2008.

#### General documents

**A/63/670** Letter, 30 Dec. 2008, from the Islamic Republic of Iran. Transmits explanation of vote after the vote that the delegation of the Islamic Republic of Iran intended to deliver at the 74th plenary meeting of the General Assembly, under agenda item 3 (b) entitled "Credentials of representatives to the 63rd session of the General Assembly: report of the Credentials Committee" (A/63/633).

#### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/633 entitled "Credentials of representatives to the 63rd session of the General Assembly" was adopted without vote: resolution 63/238.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/238 Credentials of representatives to the 63rd session of the General Assembly.

Approves the report of the Credentials Committee (A/63/633). (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 23 Dec. 2008)

### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (63RD SESS. : 2008-2009). PRESIDENT (Agenda item 4)

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/62/PV.99 (4 June 2008).

At the 99th meeting, Miguel d'Escoto Brockmann (Nicaragua) was elected by acclamation President of the General Assembly for the 63rd session: decision 62/416.

#### A/63/PV.86 (10 June 2009).

At the 86th meeting, Ali Abdussalam Treki (Libyan Arab Jamahiriya) was elected by acclamation President of the General Assembly for the 64th session: decision 63/421.

#### UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (64TH SESS. : 2009-2010)–OFFICERS

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

A/C.4/63/SR.26 (10 June 2009).

At the 26th meeting, Nassir bin Abdulaziz Al-Nasser (Qatar) was elected Chairperson, Petkus (Lithuania) and Gómez Reniery Valladares (Honduras) were elected Vice-Chairpersons and Ali (Sudan) was elected Rapporteur of the 4th Committee for the 64th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

# UN. GENERAL ASSEMBLY (64TH SESS. : 2009-2010)–OFFICERS (continued)

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

A/C.2/63/SR.32 (10 June 2009).

At the 32nd meeting, In-kook Park (Republic of Korea) was elected Chairperson of the 2nd Committee for the 64th session of the General Assembly by acclamation.

#### UN. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL-REPORTS

#### **Reports**

A/63/36 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 36) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights. Issued: 2008.

# UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 64a)

#### **Reports**

- A/63/40(Vol.I) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 40) Report of the Human Rights Committee. Volume 1, 91st session (15 October-2 November 2007); 92nd session (17 March-4 April 2008); 93rd session (7-25 July 2008). Issued: 2008.
- A/63/40(Vol.II) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 40) Report of the Human Rights Committee. Volume 2, 91st session (15 October-2 November 2007); 92nd session (17 March-4 April 2008); 93rd session (7-25 July 2008). Issued: 2008.

# UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL–MEMBERS (Agenda item 104c)

### **General documents**

- **A/63/766** Note verbale, 30 Jan. 2009, from Kenya. Refers to the candidature of Kenya for membership for the 2009-2012 term of the Human Rights Council, the elections of which are to be held in May 2009; transmits aide-memoire on its voluntary pledges and commitments on human rights.
- A/63/791 Note verbale, 12 Mar. 2009, from Djibouti. Reports that Djibouti has presented its candidacy for reelection to the Human Rights Council for the period 2009-2012 and provides updated information on its voluntary pledges and commitments to protect and promote human rights.
- A/63/792 Note verbale, 19 Mar. 2009, from Norway. Reports that Norway has presented its candidature for membership in the Human Rights Council for the 2009-2012 term, the elections for which are to be held in May 2009 and transmits an aide memoire on its pledges and commitments to human rights.

#### UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL–MEMBERS (Agenda item 104c) (continued)

- A/63/793 Letter, 16 Mar. 2009, from Hungary. Reports that Hungary has decided to present its candidature for membership in the Human Rights Council for the 2009-2012 term, the elections for which are to be held in May 2009 and transmits an aide memoire pledging its commitment to the promotion and protection of human rights.
- **A/63/794** Letter, 5 Mar. 2009, from Mauritius. Transmits voluntary commitments of the Government to the promotion and protection of human rights in accordance with resolution 60/251 in respect of the candidature of Mauritius for re-election to the UN Human Rights Council.
- **A/63/795** Note verbale, 4 Sept. 2008, from Mexico. Reports that Mexico has decided to put forward its candidacy for a seat on the Human Rights Council for the period 2009-2012; transmits document containing its voluntary pledges and contributions to the promotion and protection of human rights.
- A/63/796 Note verbale, 29 Jan. 2009, from Uruguay. Reports that Uruguay has presented its candidacy for reelection to the Human Rights Council in May 2009 and provides updated information on its voluntary pledges and commitments to protect and promote human rights.
- **A/63/797** Letter, 24 Mar. 2009, from the Russian Federation. Reports that the Russian Federation has presented its candidacy for re-election to the Human Rights Council for the period 2009-2012 and provides updated information on its voluntary pledges and commitments to protect and promote human rights.
- **A/63/800** Letter, 25 Mar. 2009, from Azerbaijan. Reports that Azerbaijan has presented its candidacy for reelection to the Human Rights Council for the period 2009-2012 and provides updated information on its voluntary pledges and commitments to protect and promote human rights.
- A/63/801 Letter, 25 Mar. 2009, from Belgium. Reports that Belgium has decided to present its candidature for membership in the Human Rights Council for the 2009-2012 term, the elections for which are to be held in May 2009 and transmits a document pledging its commitment to the promotion and protection of human rights.
- **A/63/816** Note verbale, 30 Mar. 2009, from Cameroon. Reports that Cameroon has decided to present its candidature for re-election to the Human Rights Council in May 2009 and provides updated information on its voluntary pledges and commitments to protect and promote human rights.
- **A/63/826** Letter, 17 Apr. 2009, from Jordan. Reports that Jordan has submitted its candidature for membership in the UN Human Rights Council for the 2009-2011 term, the elections for which are to be held on 12 May 2009; transmits statement of pledges and commitments pursuant to resolution 60/251.

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- **A/63/831** Letter, 22 Apr. 2009, from the United States. Reports that the United States has decided to present its candidature for membership in the Human Rights Council for the 2009-2012 term at the elections on 12 May 2009; submits information on its human rights commitments and pledges.
- **A/63/834** Note verbale, 24 Apr. 2009, from Senegal. Transmits aide-memoire regarding Senegal's candidature for the renewal of its membership in the Human Rights Council at the elections to be held in May 2009 and reports on its contributions and commitments in the field of human rights.
- A/63/840 Note verbale, 27 Apr. 2009, from China. Reports that China has decided to present its candidature for membership in the Human Rights Council for the 2009-2012 term at the elections to be held in May 2009 and transmits an aide-memoire on its pledges and commitments regarding the promotion and protection of human rights.
- **A/63/842** Letter, 4 May 2009, from Bangladesh. Reports that Bangladesh has floated its candidature to the Human Rights Council for the 2009-2012 term and transmits an aide-memoire on the voluntary pledges made by Bangladesh towards the promotion and protection of human rights.
- A/63/846 Letter, 6 May 2009, from Portugal. Transmits the text of a declaration on the election of members of the Human Rights Council by the United Nations Democracy Caucus of the Community of Democracies, issued during the presidency of Portugal.
- **A/63/854** Note verbale, 7 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits aide-memoire in support of the candidacy of Cuba for membership in the Human Rights Council for the period 2009-2012.
- **A/63/873** Note verbale, 20 Apr. 2009, from Kyrgyzstan. Concerns Kyrgyzstan's candidacy for membership in the Human Rights Council for the 2009-2012 term and transmits information on its voluntary pledges and commitments to human rights.

#### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.83 (12 May 2009).

At the 83rd meeting, the following States were elected members of the Human Rights Council for a 3-year term of office beginning on 19 June 2009: Bangladesh, Belgium, Cameroon, China, Cuba, Djibouti, Hungary, Jordan, Kyrgyzstan, Mauritius, Mexico, Nigeria, Norway, the Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, the United States of America and Uruguay: decision 63/420.

# UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL–REPORTS (Agenda item 58)

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS UN. HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN

**RIGHTS**-REPORTS

#### Reports

A/63/53 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 53) Report of the Human Rights Council : 6th session (10-28 September and 10-14 December 2007) ; 7th session (3-28 March and 1 April 2008) ; 8th session (2-18 June 2008) ; 5th special session (2 October 2007) ; 6th special session (23-24 January 2008) ; 7th special session (22 May 2008).

Íssued: 2008.

- A/63/53/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 53A) Report of the Human Rights Council : 9th session (8-24 September 2008). Issued: 2008.
- **A/63/541** Revised estimates resulting from resolutions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its 7th and 8th sessions, held in 2008, and proposals to improve the procedure for presenting to the General Assembly the financial requirements arising from the resolutions and decisions of the Council : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 12 Nov. 2008.

- A/63/541/Add.1 Revised estimates resulting from resolutions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its 9th sessions : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 Dec. 2008.
- **A/63/587** Resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council following its continuing review of its subsidiary machinery and its related programme budget implications: a consolidated statement : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 4 Dec. 2008.

**A/63/629** Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Human Rights Council at its 7th, 8th and 9th sessions in 2008, proposals to improve the procedure for presenting to the General Assembly the financial requirements arising from the resolutions and decisions of the Council, and a consolidated statement on resolutions and decision adopted by the Human Rights Council following its continuing review of its subsidiary machinery and its related programme budget implications : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 18 Dec. 2008.

A/63/853 Revised estimates resulting from resolution S-9/1 adopted by the Human Rights Council at its 9th special session in 2009 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 May 2009.

### UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL–REPORTS (Agenda item 58) (continued)

### General documents

- **A/63/674** Letter, 12 Nov. 2008, from the Russian Federation. Transmits statement made by the representative of the Russian Federation at the plenary meeting of the 63rd session of the UN General Assembly under the agenda item entitled "Report of the Human Rights Council".
- A/63/854 Note verbale, 7 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits aide-memoire in support of the candidacy of Cuba for membership in the Human Rights Council for the period 2009-2012.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.3/63/L.47 Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights : draft resolution / Albania, Angola, Armenia, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Djibouti, Ecuador, Egypt, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Hungary, Italy, Mexico, Montenegro, Morocco, Panama, Peru, Portugal, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Timor-Leste, Uganda and Uruguay.

Additional sponsors: Bolivia, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, the Dominican Republic, Honduras, Indonesia, Mongolia, Nicaragua and Ukraine (A/63/435).

A/C.3/63/L.57 Report of the Human Rights Council : draft resolution / Cuba [on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement] and Mauritius [on behalf of the Group of African States].

Additional sponsor: Costa Rica and Russian Federation (A/63/435/Add.1).

A/C.3/63/L.57/Rev.1 Report of the Human Rights Council : revised draft resolution / Mauritius [on behalf of the Group of African States].

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsor (A/63/435/Add.1).

## UN. HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL–REPORTS (Agenda item 58) (continued)

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

A/63/435 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/63/435/Add.1 Report of the 3rd Committee.

A/C.3/63/SR.32	(31 Oct. 2	2008).
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A/C.3/63/SR.40 (18 Nov. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.48 (25 Nov. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.38 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.66 (10 Dec. 2008). At the 66th meeting, draft resolution recommended by the 3rd Committee in para.11 of A/63/435 (originally A/C.3/63/L.47) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/117.

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/435/Add.1 (originally A/C.3/63/L.57), as orally revised, was adopted (121-7-58): resolution 63/160.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/117 Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights.

Adopts the Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, the text of which is annexed to the present resolution; recommends that the Optional Protocol be opened for signature at a signing ceremony to be held in 2009, and requests the Secretary-General and the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights to provide the necessary assistance. (Adopted without vote, 66th plenary meeting, 10 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/160 Report of the Human Rights Council. Takes note of the report of the Human Rights Council (A/63/53/Add.1), and acknowledges the recommendations contained therein. (Adopted 121-7-58, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# UN. INVESTMENTS COMMITTEE–MEMBERS (Agenda item 105c)

### General documents

A/63/103 Confirmation of the appointment of members of the Investments Committee : note / by the Secretary-General.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/63/6 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/63/530 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.16 (7 Nov. 2008).

### UN. INVESTMENTS COMMITTEE–MEMBERS (Agenda item 105c) (continued) Discussion in plenary

### A/63/PV.56 (20 Nov. 2008).

At the 56th meeting, the Assembly confirmed the reappointments 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. 2009: Masakazu Arikawa (Japan), Madhav Dhar (India) and Nemir A. Kirdar (Iraq); the Assembly also confirmed the appointment of Linah Mohohlo (Botswana), to fill the remainder of the term of Khaya Ngqula (South Africa), effective 1 Jan. 2009 and expiring on 31 Dec. 2009; the Assembly reappointed Ivan Pictet (Switzerland) as an ad hoc member of the Investments Committee for a one-year term beginning on 1 Jan. 2009 and Simon Jiang (China) as an ad hoc member to replace Afsaneh Beschloss (Islamic Republic of Iran) commencing on 1 Jan. 2009: decision 63/409.

### UN. OFFICE FOR PROJECT SERVICES– ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 1160)

### **Reports**

A/63/5/Add.10 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5J) United Nations Office for Project Services : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008.

### UN. OFFICE OF INTERNAL OVERSIGHT SERVICES-REPORTS (Agenda item 128)

### **Reports**

- A/63/94 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the existing special arrangements governing the recruitment of temporary assistance staff in the language services across the 4 main duty stations. Issued: 30 June 2008.
- A/63/167 Report of the Board of Auditors on the activities of the Procurement Task Force : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 23 July 2008. - Transmits report of the Board of Auditors on the activities of the Procurement Task Force for the period from 1 Jan. 2006 to 30 June 2007.

- A/63/167/Add.1 Implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors in its report on the activities of the Procurement Task Force : report of the Secretary-General : addendum. Issued: 25 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/221 In-depth evaluation of the Office of Human Resources Management : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services. Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.

A/63/266 Comprehensive audit of the capital master plan : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services. Issued: 11 Aug. 2008.

### UN. OFFICE OF INTERNAL OVERSIGHT SERVICES–REPORTS (Agenda item 128) (continued)

**A/63/268** Review of results-based management at the United Nations : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.

A/63/302(PartI) Activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

Issued: 18 Aug. 2008.

- A/63/302(Parti)/Add.1 Report on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : addendum. Issued: 25 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/302(Parti)/Add.2 Report on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 19 Sept. 2008. - Transmits Secretary-General's comments on part 1 of the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on its activities for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and the addendum thereto (A/63/302 (Part I) and Add.1).

- A/63/302(PartII) Peacekeeping operations : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services. Issued: 23 Feb. 2009.
- **A/63/329** Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the activities of the Procurement Task Force for the period from 1 July 2007 to 31 July 2008. Issued: 25 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/329/Add.1 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the activities of the Procurement Task Force for the period from 1 July 2007 to 31 July 2008 : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Sept. 2008. - Transmits Secretary-General's comments on the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the activities of the Procurement Task Force for the period from 1 July 2007 to 31 July 2008 (A/63/329).

A/63/369 Information requested in paragraph 17 of General Assembly resolution 62/247 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 22 Sept. 2008.

**A/63/379** Comprehensive management audit of the Department of Safety and Security : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services : "Governance and coordination issues need to be addressed as a priority to strengthen the Department of Safety and Security and to effectively mitigate the security risks facing the United Nations".

Issued: 26 Sept. 2008.

A/63/490 Report on the activities of the Procurement Task Force : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 17 Oct. 2008.

### UN. OFFICE OF INTERNAL OVERSIGHT SERVICES–REPORTS (Agenda item 128) (continued)

- A/63/492 Information requested in paragraph 17 of General Assembly resolution 62/247 : informationsharing practices between the United Nations and national law enforcement authorities, as well as referrals of possible criminal cases related to United Nations staff, United Nations officials and experts on mission : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 20 Oct. 2008.
- A/63/668 Audit of the use of extraordinary measures for the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services : "The extraordinary measures were not effective in facilitating the deployment of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur and exposed the United Nations to high financial and reputation risks".

Issued: 2 Jan. 2009.

- A/63/668/Add.1 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the use of extraordinary measures for the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 30 Jan. 2009.
- A/63/713 Programme evaluation of the performance and the achievement of results by the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire : report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services : "Aspects of the Ouagadougou Agreement are impacting the mission's overall achievement of results, however, its presence remains critical to the peace process". Issued: 9 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/837 Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the Secretariat's structure for managing and sustaining peacekeeping operations. Issued: 28 Apr. 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.5/63/L.28 Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on its activities : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/658 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.5 (9 Oct. 2008).

A/C.5/63/SR.28 (23 Dec. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008).

At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/658 (originally A/C.5/63/L.28) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/265.

### UN. OFFICE OF INTERNAL OVERSIGHT SERVICES–REPORTS (Agenda item 128) (continued)

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/265** Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on its activities.

Requests the Secretary-General to ensure that all relevant resolutions are brought to the attention of relevant managers, and that the Office of Internal Oversight Services (OIOS) also take those resolutions into account in the conduct of its activities; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that all relevant resolutions pertaining to the work of the OIOS are brought to the attention of the relevant managers; endorses the conclusions and recommendations contained in the reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions; requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the OIOS has the expertise and capacity within its approved structure to effectively investigate allegations of fraud, corruption and misconduct in procurement; requests the Secretary-General to prepare standardized and consolidated rules and procedures applicable to all investigations in the United Nations other than the investigations conducted by the OIOS, and to ensure that such rules and procedures are made available to all UN personnel and to provide information thereon to the General Assembly at its 64th session, without prejudice to para. 18 of its resolution 62/247. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

## UN. PEACEBUILDING COMMISSION-REPORTS (Agenda item 10)

See also: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

### **Reports**

- A/63/92 (S/2008/417) Report of the Peacebuilding Commission on its 2nd session. Issued: 24 June 2008.
- A/63/881 (S/2009/304) Report of the Secretary-General on peacebuilding in the immediate aftermath of conflict. Issued: 11 June 2009.

### General documents

A/63/374 (S/2008/620) Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from the Secretary-General. Refers to the presidential statement of 20 May 2008 (S/PRS T/2008/16) on how to coordinate peacebuilding activities and encourage the mobilization and most effective use of resources for urgent peacebuilding needs and reports his intention to dedicate the requisite efforts and capacities to undertake the ambitious exercise within the UN system with the contribution of the Peacebuilding Commission.

## UN. PEACEBUILDING COMMISSION-REPORTS (Agenda item 10) (continued)

- **A/63/597** (S/2008/762) Letter, 5 Dec. 2008, from the Chairperson of the Peacebuilding Commission and the Chairperson of the Guinea-Bissau configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission. Refers to the recommendations of the Peacebuilding Commission on the situation in Guinea-Bissau (PBC/3/GNB/4) and confirms that the document was prepared in line with the Peacebuilding Commission's mandate and refers to the successful holding of legislative elections, the contributions provided by the Commission to the electoral process and the threats to the consolidation of peace and democracy following incident of violence against the residency of the President of Guinea-Bissau.
- **A/63/798** (S/2009/167) Letter, 25 Mar. 2009, from the Chairperson of the Peacebuilding Commission and the Chairperson of the Burundi configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission. Reports the transmittal of the conclusions of the Peacebuilding Commission (PBC/3/BDI/3) following the 2nd review meeting on the implementation of the Strategic Framework for Peacebuilding in Burundi; letter of transmittal only.
- **A/63/799** (S/2009/168) Letter, 6 Jan. 2009, from the President of the Security Council. Refers to Security Council resolution 1646 (2005) and reports the selection of Burkina Faso and Mexico as the 2 elected members of the Security Council to participate in the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission for a term of one year, until the end of 2009.
- A/63/802 (S/2008/850) Letter, 15 Dec. 2008, from the Chairperson of the Peacebuilding Commission and the Chairperson of the Sierra Leone configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission. Refers to the conclusions and recommendations of the 2nd biannual review of the implementation of the Sierra Leone Peacebuilding Cooperation Framework (PBC/3/SLE/2) and draws attention of the Security Council to the recommendation pertaining to the efforts of the UN integrated presence in Sierra Leone.
- **A/63/832** (S/2009/220) Letter, 9 Apr. 2009, from the Chairperson of the Peacebuilding Commission and the Chairperson of the Sierra Leone configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission. Refers to statement by the Chair of the Sierra Leone configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission in PBC/3/SLE/4 on the signing of the joint communiqué between the leading political parties and draws attention to the recommendation addressed to the international community for follow-up action.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

## UN. PEACEBUILDING COMMISSION-REPORTS (Agenda item 10) (continued)

- **A/63/908** (S/2009/326) Letter, 20 June 2009, from the Chairperson of the Peacebuilding Commission and the Chairperson of the Sierra Leone configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission. Refers to the outcome of the Peacebuilding Commission's High-level Special Session on Sierra Leone (PBC/3/SLE/6) held on 10 June 2009 and states that while Sierra Leone has achieved notable progress in its path towards peace, security and democratic governance, strong national leadership and sustained international support remain critical to overcoming the root causes of conflict and addressing emerging threats to peacebuilding.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.23 (9 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.24 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/63/PV.25 (13 Oct. 2008).

### UN. PEACEBUILDING COMMISSION. ORGANIZATIONAL COMMITTEE-MEMBERS (Agenda item 104b)

### General documents

- **A/63/631** Letter, 19 Dec. 2008, from Ghana. Refers to letter dated 10 July 2008 concerning the representation of troop-contributing countries on the 3rd session of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission and reports that the term of the new members, Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Nigeria and Pakistan, starts from 1 Jan. 2009 until 31 Dec. 2010.
- **A/63/632** Letter, 18 Dec. 2008, from the United States. Reports that the group of the leading financial contributors has decided to extend the term that its five members (Canada, Germany, Japan, the Netherlands and Sweden) will serve on the Peacebuilding Commission by 6 months, from 23 June 2010 to 31 Dec. 2010.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/63/L.58** Election by the General Assembly of 7 members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission : term of office : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008). At the 70th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.58 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/145.

### UN. PEACEBUILDING COMMISSION. **ORGANIZATIONAL COMMITTEE-MEMBERS** (Agenda item 104b) (continued)

A/63/PV.73 (22 Dec. 2008).

At the 73rd meeting, the Assembly took note of documents A/63/631 and A/63/632 and the following States were elected members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission for a 2-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2009: Benin, Chile, South Africa, Thailand and Uruguay: decision 63/415.

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/145 Election by the General Assembly of 7 members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission : term of office.

Decides that, beginning with the election to be held during the 63rd session, the term of office of the members of the General Assembly on the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission shall begin on 1 Jan. instead of 23 June; also decides that the term of office of the 2 members of the General Assembly on the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission due to expire on 22 June 2009, namely Georgia and Jamaica, shall be extended until 31 Dec. 2009; invites other bodies with members on the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission that have not yet done so to adjust the term of office of their respective members so that the term of office of all members of the Organizational Committee can start on 1 January. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

### UN. PEACEBUILDING FUND (Agenda item 101)

See also: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-FINANCING Reports

- A/63/218 (S/2008/522) The Peacebuilding Fund : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 4 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/218/Corr.1 (S/2008/522/Corr.1) The Peacebuilding Fund : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 12 Sept. 2008. - Replaces annex I.
- A/63/818 Arrangements for the revision of the terms of reference for the Peacebuilding Fund : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 13 Apr. 2009.

A/63/881 (S/2009/304) Report of the Secretary-General on peacebuilding in the immediate aftermath of conflict. Issued: 11 June 2009.

### General documents

A/63/790 Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.72 The Peacebuilding Fund : draft resolution / Australia, Canada, Finland, India, Luxembourg, Norway, Rwanda, South Africa, Sweden and Thailand.

### UN. PEACEBUILDING FUND (Agenda item 101) (continued)

A/63/L.72/Add.1 The Peacebuilding Fund : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Belgium, Benin, Brazil, Czech Republic, Egypt, France, Germany, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Netherlands, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Slovakia, Spain and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.23	(9 Oct. 2008).
A/63/PV.24	(13 Oct. 2008).
A/63/PV.25	(13 Oct. 2008).
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A/63/PV.90 (17 June 2009).

At the 90th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.72, entitled "The Peacebuilding Fund" was adopted with vote: resolution 63/282

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/282 The Peacebuilding Fund.

Urges all Member States to consider making voluntary contributions to the Fund; and requests the Secretary-General to submit an annual report to the General Assembly on the operation and activities of the Fund. (Adopted without vote, 90th plenary meeting, 17 June 2009)

### **UN. SECRETARIAT – WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT**

See: UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

### UN. SECRETARY-GENERAL – REPORTS (Agenda item 100)

### Reports

A/63/1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 1) Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization. Issued: 2008.

### **General documents**

- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/970 (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.5 (23 Sept. 2008).

A/63/PV.20 (6 Oct. 2008).

### A/63/PV.21 (6 Oct. 2008).

At the 21st meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization, contained in document A/63/1: decision 63/504.

## UN. SECURITY COUNCIL–MEMBERS (Agenda item 103a)

See also: UN. SECURITY COUNCIL-MEMBERSHIP

### **Discussion in plenary**

### A/63/PV.28 (17 Oct. 2008).

At the 28th meeting, the following States were elected members of the Security Council for a 2-year term beginning 1 Jan. 2009: Austria, Japan, Mexico, Turkey and Uganda: decision 63/403.

## UN. SECURITY COUNCIL–MEMBERSHIP (Agenda item 111)

See also: UN. SECURITY COUNCIL-MEMBERS

### **Reports**

A/63/47 (GAOR, 63rd 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: 2009.

### **General documents**

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/960** Note [on the work plan for the intergovernmental negotiations on Security Council reform in informal plenary of the General Assembly] / by the President of the General Assembly.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### **Discussion in plenary**

- A/63/PV.53 (18 Nov. 2008). A/63/PV.54 (18 Nov. 2008).
- A/63/PV.55 (19 Nov. 2008).
- A/63/PV.56 (20 Nov. 2008).
- A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, draft decision contained in para. 17 of A/63/47 was adopted without vote: decision 63/565 A; the General Assembly decides to immediately continue intergovernmental negotiations on Security Council reform in informal plenary of the General Assembly at its 64th sess.: decision 63/565 B.

## UN. SECURITY COUNCIL-REPORTS (Agenda item 9)

### **Reports**

A/63/2 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 2) Report of the Security Council, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008. Issued: 2008.

## UN. SECURITY COUNCIL–REPORTS (Agenda item 9) (continued)

### General documents

- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.53 (18 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.54 (18 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.55 (19 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.56 (20 Nov. 2008).

At the 56th meeting, the Assembly took note of the report of the Security Council contained in document A/63/2: decision 63/515.

### 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 TERRIT ORIES

See: TERRITORIES OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL-HUMAN RIGHTS

### **UN ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL**

See also: UN-ADMINISTRATION UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

### General documents

A/INF/63/5 United Nations Administrative Tribunal : note / by the Secretary-General.

Transmits annual note by the UN Administrative Tribunal for the year 2008.

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

See: CRIME PREVENTION

## UN APPEALS TRIBUNAL–JUDGES (Agenda item 105I)

### **Reports**

A/63/489 Report of the Internal Justice Council. Issued: 16 Oct. 2008.

## UN APPEALS TRIBUNAL–JUDGES (Agenda item 105I) (continued)

A/63/489/Add.1 Report of the Internal Justice Council : addendum.

Issued: 25 Mar. 2009.

### **General documents**

**A/63/701** Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal : memorandum / by the Secretary-General.

A/63/701/Add.1 Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal : memorandum : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

### **Discussion in plenary**

### A/63/PV.77 (2 Mar. 2009).

At the 77th meeting, the following 7 candidates were elected judges of the UN Appeals Tribunal for a 7-year term beginning on 1 July 2009: Kamaljit Singh Garewal (India), Sophia Adinyira (Ghana), Mark P. Painter (United States), Inés Weinberg de Roca (Argentina), Jean Courtial (France), Rose Boyko (Canada) and Luis Maria Simón (Uruguay); Jean Courtial (France), Kamaljit Singh Garewal (India) and Mark P. Painter (United States) will serve as judges on the UN Appeals Tribunal for a term of 3 years, beginning on 1 July 2009: decision 63/418.

### UN CAPITAL MASTER PLAN (Agenda item 116e)

See also: UN-FINANCIAL REPORTS

### **Reports**

A/63/5(Vol.V) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5) Report of the Board of Auditors for the year ended 31 December 2007. Volume 5, Capital master plan. Issued: 2008.

## UN COMMISSION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW-ACTIVITIES

See: INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW-REPORTS

### UN CONFERENCE ON ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOPMENT (1992 : RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL)

See: AGENDA 21–PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION

## UN CONFERENCE ON HUMAN SETTLEMENTS (HABITAT II)

See: HUMAN SETTLEMENTS-CONFERENCE-FOLLOW-UP

### UN CONFERENCE ON THE LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES (3RD : 2001 : BRUSSELS)

See: LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES-CONFERENCE (3RD : 2001 : BRUSSELS)

## UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 44)

### **Reports**

**A/63/83** (E/2008/77) Role of the Economic and Social Council in the integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits, in the light of relevant General Assembly resolutions, including resolution 61/16 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 6 June 2008.

A/63/677 Implementing the responsibility to protect : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Jan. 2009.

A/63/958 Concept note on the responsibility to protect populations from genocide, war crimes, ethnic cleansing and crimes against humanity : note / by the President of the General Assembly. Issued: 9 Sept. 2009.

**A/63/966** Concept note on the global food crisis and the right to food : note / by the President of the General Assembly.

Issued: 14 Sept. 2009. - Transmits concept note, prepared by Olivier De Schutter, Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food, circulated as input for the Interactive Thematic Dialogue of the General Assembly on the global food crisis and the right to food, held in the Trusteeship Council Chamber, UN Headquarters, 6 Apr. 2009.

### General documents

- **A/63/464** Letter, 3 Oct. 2008, from Antigua and Barbuda. Transmits, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, the Ministerial Declaration adopted at the 32nd annual meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Group of 77, held in New York, 26 Sept. 2008.
- **A/63/538** (E/2009/4) Letter, 21 Oct. 2008, from Norway and the United Republic of Tanzania. Transmits ILO Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization, which was unanimously adopted on 10 June 2008 by the General Conference of ILO at its 97th session, held in Geneva, 28 May-13 June 2008.
- **A/63/539** Letter, 6 Nov. 2008, from the Secretary-General. Transmits Accra Agenda for Action endorsed at the 3rd High-level Forum on Aid Effectiveness organized by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development and hosted by the Government of Ghana, in Accra from 2 to 4 Sept. 2008.
- A/63/540 Letter, 7 Nov. 2008, from Guatemala and Switzerland.
- A/63/591 Letter, 4 Dec. 2008, from Brazil. Transmits on behalf of Brazil, France, Indonesia, Norway, Senegal, South Africa and Thailand the Oslo Ministerial Declaration: "Global health a pressing foreign policy issue of our time", and the Oslo Agenda for Action: "Foreign policy taking up the challenges of global health", adopted by the Ministers of Foreign Affairs of Brazil, France, Indonesia, Norway, Senegal, South Africa and Thailand in Oslo on 20 March 2007.

## UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 44) (continued)

- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/729** Summary report of the 2008 Parliamentary Hearing (United Nations Headquarters, 20 and 21 November 2008) : note / by the President of the General Assembly.
- **A/63/732** (E/2009/8) Letter, 18 Feb. 2009, from Spain. Transmits text of the "Madrid Declaration", adopted by the High-Level Meeting on Food Security for All which was held in Madrid on 26 and 27 Jan. 2009.
- A/63/790 Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- **A/63/864** Letter, 21 May 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity of representative of the pro tempore Presidency of the Central American Integration System, the text of the Declaration of the Special Meting of Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua 20 May 2009.
- A/63/927 (S/2009/358) Letter, 13 July 2009, from Italy. Transmits the Chair's summary containing a synthesis of the L'Aquila Group of Eight Summit held from 8 to 10 July.
- **A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/63/L.15** Commemoration of the 15th anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

## UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 44) (continued)

A/63/L.15/Add.1 Commemoration of the 15th anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Austria, Bulgaria, Canada, Denmark, Finland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Luxembourg, Mozambique, Netherlands, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

- A/63/L.28 Global health and foreign policy : draft resolution / Andorra, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Central African Republic, Chile, Finland, France, Greece, Guatemala, Hungary, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Japan, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Norway, Portugal, San Marino, Senegal, South Africa, Thailand and United Republic of Tanzania.
- **A/63/L.28/Add.1** Global health and foreign policy : draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Argentina, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Guyana, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Maldives, Mali, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Mozambique, New Zealand, Peru, Philippines, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Serbia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey and Zimbabwe.

- A/63/L.29 International Labour Organization Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization : draft resolution / Argentina, Brazil, Eritrea, Finland, Malawi, Norway, Rwanda, South Africa, Uganda and United Republic of Tanzania.
- A/63/L.29/Rev.1 International Labour Organization Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization : revised draft resolution / Argentina, Austria, Brazil, Cyprus, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malawi, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Philippines, Portugal, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Slovenia, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, United Republic of Tanzania and Uganda.

**A/63/L.29/Rev.1/Add.1** International Labour Organization Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Ghana, Haiti, Iceland, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Nigeria, Poland, Slovakia and Spain.

- **A/63/L.76** 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the Assembly : draft resolution / submitted by the President of the General Assembly.
- A/63/L.80 Implementing the responsibility to protect : draft resolution / Argentina, Colombia, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, El Salvador, Fiji, Guatemala, Haiti, India, Mexico, Panama, Peru, Rwanda, Senegal, Swaziland, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay.

## UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 44) (continued)

A/63/L.80/Rev.1 The responsibility to protect : revised draft resolution / Armenia, Belgium, Benin, Bulgaria, Canada, Argentina, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Germany, Guatemala, Haiti, Hungary, India, Italy, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Panama, Peru, Poland, Republic of Korea, Romania, Rwanda, Senegal, Slovenia, Spain, Swaziland, Sweden, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania and Uruguay.

A/63/L.80/Rev.1/Add.1 The responsibility to protect : revised draft resolution : addendum.

Additional sponsors: Andorra, Australia, Austria, Denmark, Greece, Guinea, Iceland, Ireland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malta, Norway, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Portugal, Saint Lucia, Singapore, Slovakia, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America.

**A/63/L.99** World Summit on Food Security : draft resolution / Sudan.

The draft resolution was withdrawn by its sponsors (A/63/PV.105).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.36 (3 Nov. 2008).

At the 44th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.15 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/9.

A/63/PV.51 (17 Nov. 2008).

A/63/PV.60 (26 Nov. 2008).

At the 60th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.28 and Add.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/33.

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.29/Rev.1 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/199.

A/63/PV.95 (9 July 2009).

At the 95th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.76, entitled "2010 high-level plenary meeting of the Assembly" was adopted without vote: resolution 63/302.

A/63/PV.96 (	21 July 2009).
A/63/PV.97 (	23 July 2009).
A/63/PV.98 (	24 July 2009).
A/63/PV.99 (	24 July 2009).
A/63/PV.100	(28 July 2009).
A/63/PV.101	(28 July 2009).
A/63/PV.105	(14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, draft resolution A/63/L.80/Rev.1, as orally revised, was adopted without vote: resolution 63/308.

## UN CONFERENCES–FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 44) (continued)

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/9 Commemoration of the 15th anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development.

Decides to devote one day, during its 64th sess., to the commemoration of the 15th anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development. (Adopted without vote, 36th plenary meeting, 3 Nov. 2008)

### A/RES/63/33 Global health and foreign policy.

Recognizes the close relationship between foreign policy and global health and their interdependence, and in that regard also recognizes that global challenges require concerted and sustained efforts by the international community; urges Member States to consider health issues in the formulation of foreign policy; stresses the importance of achieving the health-related Millennium Development Goals; recognizes that the annual ministerial review to be held by the Economic and Social Council in 2009 will focus on the theme "Implementing the internationally agreed goals and commitments in regard to global public health", and in that regard calls for enhanced coordination within the UN system; requests the Secretary-General, in close collaboration with the Director-General of the World Health Organization, and in consultation with Member States, to submit to the General Assembly at its 64th session, in 2009, a comprehensive report, with recommendations, on challenges, activities and initiatives related to foreign policy and global health, taking into account the outcome of the annual ministerial review to be held by the Economic and Social Council in 2009. (Adopted without vote, 60th plenary meeting, 26 Nov. 2008)

**A/RES/63/199** International Labour Organization Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization.

Takes note with interest of the adoption of the Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization and its accompanying resolution at the 97th session of the International Labour Conference, and calls for their implementation; reiterates its support for a fair globalization, and resolves to make the goals of full and productive employment and decent work for all, including for women and young people, a central objective of relevant national and international policies; reiterates that the Toolkit for Mainstreaming Employment and Decent Work, as adopted by the UN System Chief Executives Board for Coordination and endorsed by the Economic and Social Council, provides a practical method for advancing coherence in policymaking and implementation on these issues within the UN system; requests the UN funds, programmes, specialized agencies and financial institutions to continue to mainstream the goals of full and productive employment and decent work for all in their policies, programmes and activities through promotion of an integrated approach, including the application of the Toolkit: requests the Secretary-General to duly take into account the International Labour Organization Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization when considering related reports in the economic and social fields. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

### UN CONFERENCES-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 44) (continued)

A/RES/63/302 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly.

Decides to convene in 2010, at the commencement of the 65th sess. of the General Assembly, a high-level plenary meeting of the Assembly, on dates to be decided, with the participation of Heads of State and Government, and encourages all Member States to be represented at that level; also decides to hold consultations on the scope, modalities, format and organization of the high-level plenary meeting of the Assembly with a view to concluding consultations before the end of 2009. (Adopted without vote, 95th plenary meeting, 9 July 2009)

### A/RES/63/308 The responsibility to protect.

Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General (A/63/677) and of the timely and productive debate organized by the President of the General Assembly on the responsibility to protect, held on 21, 23, 24 and 28 July 2009 (Å/63/Pv.96-101), with full participation by Member States: decides to continue its consideration of the responsibility to protect. (Adopted without vote, 105th plenary meeting, 14 Sept. 2009)

### **UN CONGRESS ON CRIME PREVENTION AND** CRIMINAL JUSTICE (11TH : 2005 : BANGKOK)

See: CRIME PREVENTION

#### **UN CONVENTION AGAINST CORRUPTION (2003)**

See: CORRUPT PRACTICES

### UN CONVENTION ON THE USE OF ELECTRONIC **COMMUNICATIONS IN INTERNATIONAL** CONTRACTS (2005)

See: INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW-REPORTS

### UN CONVENTION TO COMBAT DESERTIFICATION IN THOSE COUNTRIES EXPERIENCING SERIOUS **DROUGHT AND/OR DESERTIFICATION, PARTICULARLY IN AFRICA (1994)**

See: DESERTIFICATION-TREATY (1994)

### UN DECADE FOR THE ERADICATION OF POVERTY (2ND : 2008-2017)

See: POVERTY-INTERNATIONAL DECADE (2ND: 2008-2017)

### **UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE-**FINANCING (Agenda item 144a)

### Reports

A/63/521 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 5 Nov. 2008.

A/63/686 Budget for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 20 Jan. 2009.

### **UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE-**FINANCING (Agenda item 144a) (continued)

- A/63/686/Corr.2 Budget for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 20 May 2009. - Corrects text.
- A/63/746/Add.2 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 22 Apr. 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/63/L.61 Financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/904 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.43 (14 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/904 (originally A/C.5/63/L.61) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/297.

### **UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE-**FINANCING (Agenda item 144a) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/297 Financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Disengagement Observer Force of US\$2,517,200 for the maintenance of the Force for 1 July 2007-30 June 2008; decides to apportion among Member States the additional amount of \$2,517,200 for the maintenance of the Force for 1 July 2007-30 June 2008; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$79,000, representing the additional staff assessment income for the Force for 1 July 2007-30 June 2008; decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force of \$47,020,300 for1 July 2009-30 June 2010; decides to apportion among Member States \$47,020,300 at a monthly rate of \$3,918,358; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$1,543,400; decides that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Force, there shall be set off against their apportionment, their respective share of other income of \$2,076,200 in the period ended 30 June 2008; decides that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Force, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of other income of \$2,076,200 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

### UN DISPUTE TRIBUNAL-JUDGES (Agenda item 105k)

### Reports

A/63/489 Report of the Internal Justice Council. Issued: 16 Oct. 2008

A/63/489/Add.1 Report of the Internal Justice Council : addendum.

Issued: 25 Mar. 2009.

### **General documents**

A/63/700 Appointment of the full-time and half-time judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal : memorandum / by the Secretary-General.

A/63/700/Add.1 Appointment of the ad litem judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal : memorandum : addendum / by the Secretary-General.

### UN DISPUTE TRIBUNAL-JUDGES (Agenda item 105k) (continued) **Discussion in plenary**

### A/63/PV.76 (2 Mar. 2009).

At the 76th meeting, the Assembly appointed the following judges to serve for 7-year terms on the UN Dispute Tribunal, commencing on 1 July 2009: As full-time judges, Thomas Laker (Germany) is appointed to the Dispute Tribunal in Geneva, Vinod Boolell (Mauritius) is appointed to the Dispute Tribunal in Nairobi, Memooda Ebrahim-Carstens (Botswana) is appointed to the Dispute Tribunal in New York, Coral Shaw (New Zealand) and Goolam Hoosen Kader Meeran (United Kingdom) are appointed as half-time judges; Goolam Hoosen Kader Meeran (United Kingdom) and Memooda Ebrahim-Carstens (Botswana) will serve as full-time and half-time judges, respectively, on the UN Dispute Tribunal for a term of 3 years beginning on 1 July 2009: decision 63/417 A.

### A/63/PV.78 (31 Mar. 2009).

At the 78th meeting, Michael Adams (Australia), Jean-François Cousin (France) and Nkemdilim Amelia Izuako (Nigeria) were appointed as ad litem judges of the UN Dispute Tribunal for a one-year term of office beginning 1 July 2009 and they will remain eligible for appointment as full-time or half-time judges of the Dispute Tribunal once they have completed their one-year term: decision 63/417 B.

### **UN FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE (1992)**

See: CLIMATE

### **UN INTEGRATED MISSION IN TIMOR-LESTE-**FINANCING (Agenda item 138)

### Reports

A/63/607 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 Dec. 2008.

- A/63/710 Budget for the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 6 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/710/Add.1 Budget for the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General : addendum.

Issued: 18 May 2009.

A/63/746/Add.3 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 23 Apr. 2009.

### **UN INTEGRATED MISSION IN TIMOR-LESTE-**FINANCING (Agenda item 138) (continued) **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.5/63/L.56 Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/899 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.48 (26 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/899 (originally A/C.5/63/L.56) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/292

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/292 Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste US\$215,011,500 for 1 July 2009-30 June 2010, inclusive of \$205,939,400 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$7,550,200 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$1,521,900 for the United Nations Logistics Base; decides to apportion among Member States \$142,061,175 for 1 July 2009-26 Feb. 2010; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$5,746,230; decides to apportion among Member States \$72,950,325 for 27 Feb. - 30 June 2010 at a monthly rate of \$17,917,625; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$2,950,770; decides that for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their apportionment their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income of \$14,477,500 in the period ended 30 June 2008; decides that for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income of \$14,477,500 in the period ended 30 June 2008; decides that the decrease of \$761,200 in the estimated staff assessment income in the period ended 30 June 2008 shall be set off against the credits from \$14,477,500. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

### **UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN** KOSOVO-FINANCING (Agenda item 142)

### Reports

A/63/569 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 25 Nov. 2008.

### **UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN** KOSOVO-FINANCING (Agenda item 142) (continued)

A/63/746/Add.14 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 1 June 2009.

A/63/803 Budget for the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 2 Apr. 2009.

A/63/803/Corr.1 Budget for the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 2 June 2009. - Corrects text.

#### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/63/L.59 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/63/902 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.51 (3 June 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009). At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/902 (originally A/C.5/63/L.59) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/295.

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/295 Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo.

Requests the Secretary-General to entrust the Head of Mission with the task of formulating future budget proposals in full accordance with the provisions of General Assembly resolutions 59/296 of 22 June 2005, 60/266 of 30 June 2006 and 61/276 of 29 June 2007, as well as other relevant resolutions; decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo the amount of US\$48,864,900 for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010, inclusive of \$46,809,000 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$1,711,000 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$344,900 for the UN Logistics Base; and also decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$48,864,900, in accordance with the levels updated in General Assembly resolution 61/243 of 22 Dec. 2006, and taking into account the scale of assessments for 2009, as set out in Assembly resolution 61/237 of 22 Dec. 2006. and for 2010. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

## UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON–FINANCING (Agenda item 144b)

### **Reports**

**A/63/520** Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 5 Nov. 2008.

- A/63/689 Budget for the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon for the period from 1July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General.
  - Issued: 23 Jan. 2009.
- A/63/689/Corr.1 Budget for the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon for the period from 1July 2009 to 30 June 2010 report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.
- Issued: 27 Feb. 2009. Replaces organization chart A.
- A/63/746/Add.11 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 22 May 2009.

Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/63/L.45 Financing of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon : draft resolution / Sudan [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

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

A/63/905 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.49 (28 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.53 (5 June 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/905 (originally A/C.5/63/L.45) was adopted 134-2-0: resolution 63/298.

### UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON–FINANCING (Agenda item 144b) (continued) Resolutions

A/RES/63/298 Financing of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Interim Force in Lebanon of US\$615,775,300 for 1 July 2009-30 June 2010, inclusive of \$589,799,200 for the maintenance of the Force, \$21,618,500 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$4,357,600 for the UN Logistics Base; decides to apportion among Member States of \$102,629,217 for 1 July to 31 Aug. 2009; decides that; there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States; their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$2,263,183; decides to apportion among Member States of \$513,146,083 for 1 Sept. 2009-30 June 2010 at a monthly rate of \$51,314,608; decides that; there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$11,315,917; decides that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Force, there shall be set off against their apportionment, their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income of \$154,291,500 in the period ended 30 June 2008; decides that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Force, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income of \$154,291,500 in the period ended 30 June 2008: decides that the decrease of \$2,703,200 in the estimated staff assessment income in the period ended 30 June 2008 shall be set off against the credits from \$154,291,500. (Adopted 134-2-0, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

### UN INTERNATIONAL DRUG CONTROL PROGRAMME. FUND-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116n)

### **Reports**

A/63/5/Add.9 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5I) United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008.

### 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-CONFERENCE (1994 : BRIDGETOWN)-FOLLOW-UP

### UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN WESTERN SAHARA-FINANCING (Agenda item 147)

### Reports

- A/63/608 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General.
  - Issued: 15 Dec. 2007.
- A/63/746/Add.15 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara: report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 1 June 2009.
- **A/63/757** Budget for the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 11 Mar. 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.5/63/L.63 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/63/907 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.51 (3 June 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/907 (originally A/C.5/63/L.63) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/300.

### UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN WESTERN SAHARA-FINANCING (Agenda item 147) (continued)

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/300** 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 of US\$55,877,200 for 1 July 2009-30 June 2010, inclusive of \$53.527.600 for the maintenance of the Mission. \$1,955,400 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$394,200 for the UN Logistics Base; decides to apportion among Member States of \$46,564,333 for 1 July 2009-30 Apr. 2010; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States; their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$2,026,000; decides to apportion among Member States of \$9,312,867 for 1 May to 30 June 2010, at a monthly rate of \$4,656,433; decides that; there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$405,200; decides that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their apportionment their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income of \$1,723,400 in the period ended 30 June 2008; decides that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income of \$1,723,400 in the period ended 30 June 2008: decides that the increase of \$151,600 in the estimated staff assessment income in the period ended 30 June 2008 shall be added to the credits from \$1,723,400. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

## UN MISSION IN EAST TIMOR-FINANCING (Agenda item 137)

### **Discussion in plenary**

#### A/63/PV.105 (14 Sept. 2009).

At the 105th meeting, the Assembly decided to defer the consideration of this item and to include it in the draft agenda of its 64th sess.: decision 63/567.

### UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA-FINANCING (Agenda item 139)

### **Reports**

- A/63/546 Revised budget for the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 13 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/546/Corr.1** Revised budget for the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 12 Dec. 2008. - Corrects text.

### UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA-FINANCING (Agenda item 139) (continued)

- A/63/562 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/602 Revised budget for the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 11 Dec. 2008.
- A/63/728 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 20 Feb. 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.12 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 26 May 2009.

A/63/761 Donation of assets of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 12 Mar. 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

- **A/C.5/63/L.6** Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.31** Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea : draft decision / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.
- **A/C.5/63/L.47** 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/63/646 Report of the 5th Committee.

- A/63/646/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.
- A/63/646/Add.2 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.25	(17 Dec. 2008).
A/C.5/63/SR.28	(23 Dec. 2008).
A/C.5/63/SR.34	(17 Mar. 2009).
A/C.5/63/SR.39	(27 Mar. 2009).
A/C.5/63/SR.49	(28 May 2009).
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A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.74 (23 Dec. 2008). At the 74th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/646

(originally A/C.5/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/257 A.

### UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA-FINANCING (Agenda item 139) (continued)

### A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, draft decision in A/63/646/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.31) was adopted without vote: decision 63/554.

### A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/646/Add.2 (originally A/C.5/63/L.47) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/257 B.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/257A Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea.

Decides to reduce the appropriation of US \$100,367,400 approved for the maintenance of the Mission for the period from 1 July 2008-30 June 2009 by the amount of \$63,351,000 to \$37,016,400; decides to reduce the amount of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the maintenance of the Mission for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 from \$2,339,800-\$1,111,400; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$28,652,450 for the administrative liquidation of the Mission for the period from 1 August 2008-30 June 2009, in addition to the amount of \$8,750,833 already apportioned for the period from 1-31 July 2008: decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of \$916,417 approved for the Mission for the period from 1 Aug. 2008-30 June 2009. (Adopted without vote, 74th plenary meeting, 24 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/257B** Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea.

Decides that Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission shall be credited with their respective share of the net cash available in the Special Account for the Mission US\$2,875,000 as at 30 Apr. 2009 from the unencumbered balance and other income \$17,611,400 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; decides that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission. there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the net cash available in the Special Account for the Mission in the amount of \$2.875.000 as at 30 Apr. 2009 from the unencumbered balance and other income in the amount of \$17,611,400 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; decides to defer to its 64th sess. a decision on the treatment of the balance of \$14,736,400. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

## UN MISSION IN LIBERIA-FINANCING (Agenda item 143)

### **Reports**

A/63/588 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in Liberia for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 4 Dec. 2008.

## UN MISSION IN LIBERIA–FINANCING (Agenda item 143) (continued)

A/63/588/Corr.1 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in Liberia for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 23 Mar. 2009. - Corrects text.

- A/63/734 Budget for the United Nations Mission in Liberia for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 23 Feb. 2009.
- **A/63/746/Add.8** Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Mission in Liberia : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 15 May 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/C.5/63/L.60** 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/63/903 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.46 (20 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/903 (originally A/C.5/63/L.60) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/296.

# UN MISSION IN LIBERIA–FINANCING (Agenda item 143) (continued)

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/296 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Liberia.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission in Liberia of US\$585,682,100 for 1 July 2009-30 June 2010, inclusive of \$560,978,700 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$20,559,300 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$4,144,100 for the UN Logistics Base; decides to apportion among Member States of \$146,420,525 for 1 July-30 Sept. 2009; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$3,419,800; decides to apportion among Member States \$439,261,575 for 1 Oct. 2009-30 June 2010, at a monthly rate of \$48,806,842; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$10,259,400; decides that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their apportionment, their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income of \$54,157,100 in the period ended 30 June 2008; decides that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income of \$54,157,100 in the period ended 30 June 2008; decides that the decrease of \$758,400 in the estimated staff assessment income in the period ended 30 June 2008 shall be set off against the credits from \$54,157,100. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

## UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE–FINANCING (Agenda item 145)

### **Reports**

A/63/681 Final performance report of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone : report of the Secretary-General

Issued: 15 Jan. 2009.

A/63/746/Add.1 Final performance report of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 2 Mar. 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.5/63/L.44** 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/63/906 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE–FINANCING (Agenda item 145) (continued) Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009). At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/906 (originally A/C.5/63/L.44) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/299.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/299 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone.

Decides that Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission shall be credited with their respective share of the net cash available in the Special Account for the UN Mission in Sierra Leone of US\$15,633,000 as at 30 Apr. 2009; decides that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, their respective share of the net cash available in the Special Account for the Mission of \$15,633,000 as at 30 Apr. 2009 shall be set off against their outstanding obligations; decides that updated information on the financial position of the Mission shall be included in the report on the updated position of closed peacekeeping missions, to be considered by the General Assembly at its 64th sess. under the item entitled "Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the UN peacekeeping operations". (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

### UN MISSION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC AND CHAD –FINANCING (Agenda item 149)

### **Reports**

- A/63/565 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 25 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/746/Add.13 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 29 May 2009.
- **A/63/768** Financing arrangements for the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 16 Mar. 2009.

A/63/817 Budget for the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 9 Apr. 2009.

### UN MISSION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC AND CHAD –FINANCING (Agenda item 149) (continued)

### General documents

**A/63/727** Financing arrangements for the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : note / by the Secretary-General.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

**A/C.5/63/L.40** Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee following informal consultations.

**A/C.5/63/L.65** Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman of the Committee following informal consultations.

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

A/63/788 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/788/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

- A/C.5/63/SR.35 (19 Mar. 2009).
- A/C.5/63/SR.39 (27 Mar. 2009).
- A/C.5/63/SR.50 (2 June 2009).
- A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/788 (originally A/C.5/63/L.40) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/274 A.

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/788/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.65) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/274 B.

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/274A** Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad.

Authorizes the Secretary-General to enter into commitments for the UN Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 in a total amount not exceeding US\$139,671,300, inclusive of the amount of US\$49,868,400 previously authorized by the Advisory Committee under the terms of section IV of General Assembly resolution 49/233 A of 23 December 1994, and in addition to the amount of US\$301,124,200 already appropriated for the maintenance of the Mission for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 under the terms of Assembly resolution 62/233 B of 20 June 2008. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

### UN MISSION IN THE CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC AND CHAD –FINANCING (Agenda item 149) (continued)

**A/RES/63/274B** Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad the amount of \$721,167,400 for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010, inclusive of \$690,753,100 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$25,312,100 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$5,102,200 for the UN Logistics Base; also decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$509,857,584 for the period from 1 July 2009 to 15 Mar. 2010; further decides that, in accordance with the provisions of resolution 973 (X) of 15 Dec. 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the amount of \$7,379,117; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$211,309,816 for the period from 16 Mar. to 30 June 2010 at a monthly rate of \$60,097,283, taking into account the scale of assessments for 2010, subject to a decision of the Security Council to extend the mandate of the Mission; also decides that, in accordance with the provisions of resolution 973 (X), there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$3,058,283; further decides that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their apportionment their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income in the total amount of \$18.647.300 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; decides that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income in the total amount of \$18,647,300 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; also decides that the decrease of \$1,537,800 in the estimated staff assessment income in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008 shall be set off against the credits from the amount of \$18,647,300 referred to above. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

## UN MISSION IN THE SUDAN-FINANCING (Agenda item 146)

### **Reports**

A/63/604 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Dec. 2008.

A/63/714 Budget for the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 9 Feb. 2009.

## UN MISSION IN THE SUDAN-FINANCING (Agenda item 146) (continued)

**A/63/746/Add.5** Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 24 Apr. 2009.

A/63/777 Financing arrangements for the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 19 Mar. 2009.

### General documents

**A/63/756** Financing arrangements for the United Nations Mission in the Sudan for the period from 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009 : note / by the Secretary-General.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

- A/C.5/63/L.37 Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee following informal consultations.
- A/C.5/63/L.62 Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/787 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/63/787/Add.1 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.37 (24 Mar. 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.39 (27 Mar. 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.79 (7 Apr. 2009).

At the 79th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/787 (originally A/C.5/63/L.37) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/273 A.

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/787/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.62) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/273 B.

## UN MISSION IN THE SUDAN-FINANCING (Agenda item 146) (continued)

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/273A Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Mission in the Sudan the amount of US\$56,173,100 for the maintenance of the Mission for the period from 1 July 2008-30 June 2009, in addition to the amount of \$820,720,600 already appropriated for the maintenance of the Mission for the period from 1 July 2008-30 June 2009 under the terms of its resolution 62/267; also decides to apportion among Member States the additional amount of \$42,129,825 for the period from 1 July 2008-30 Apr. 2009; further decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$973,833. (Adopted without vote, 79th plenary meeting, 7 Apr. 2009)

**A/RES/63/273B** Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan.

Decides to apportion among Member States the amount of 833,814,750 dollars for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 April 2010, in accordance with the levels updated in General Assembly resolution 61/243 of 22 December 2006, and taking into account the scale of assessments for 2009, as set out in its resolution 61/237 of 22 December 2006, and for 2010; and also decides to apportion among Member States the amount of 166,762,950 dollars for the period from 1 May to 30 June 2010, at a monthly rate of 83,381,475 dollars, taking into account the scale of assessments for 2010, subject to a decision of the Security Council to extend the mandate of the Mission. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

### UN OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA-FINANCING (Agenda item 140)

### **Reports**

**A/63/517** Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 3 Nov. 2008.

- A/63/684 Budget for the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/746/Add.6** Financial performance report of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget of the United Nations mission for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 14 May 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/C.5/63/L.57** 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 140) (continued) Discussion in the Administrative and Budgetary Committee (5th Committee)

A/63/900 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.46 (20 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/900 (originally A/C.5/63/L.57) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/293.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/293 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\$15 million for the administrative liquidation of the Observer Mission for the period from 1 July-31 Dec. 2009: decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$10 million for the period from 1 July-31 Dec. 2009; further decides to appropriate to the Special Account the amount of \$652,700 for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010, comprising \$543,200 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$109,500 for the UN Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$652,700 for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010; also decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$67,400, comprising the prorated share of \$56,600 of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the support account and the prorated share of \$10,800 of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the United Nations Logistics Base; further decides that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Observer Mission, there shall be set off against their apportionment, their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income in the amount of \$3,560,400 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; decides that for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Observer Mission, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income in the total amount of \$3,560,400 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; also decides that the decrease of \$164,500 in the estimated staff assessment income in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008 shall be set off against the credits from the amount of \$3,560,400. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

### UN OFFICE ON DRUGS AND CRIME

See also: NARCOTIC DRUGS

### Reports

 A/63/5/Add.9 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5I) United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008.

## UN OPERATION IN BURUNDI–FINANCING (Agenda item 133)

### Reports

- **A/63/551** Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/773 Final disposition of assets of the United Nations Operation in Burundi : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 18 Mar. 2009.
- A/63/895 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi : report of the 5th Committee : General Assembly, 63rd session. Issued: 25 June 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.5/63/L.43 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/C.5/63/SR.41 (11 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/895 (originally A/C.5/63/L.43) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/288.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/288 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi.

Endorses the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, and requests the Secretary-General to ensure their full implementation; and urges all Member States to make every possible effort to ensure the payment of their assessed contributions in full. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

# UN OPERATION IN COTE D'IVOIRE-FINANCING (Agenda item 134)

### **Reports**

A/63/610 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 15 Dec. 2008.

A/63/724 Budget for the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Feb. 2009.

A/63/746/Add.7 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 15 May 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/63/L.53 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/896 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.48 (26 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009). At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/896

(originally A/C.5/63/L.53) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/289.

### UN OPERATION IN COTE D'IVOIRE–FINANCING (Agenda item 134) (continued) Resolutions

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A/RES/63/289 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\$513,442,600 for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$42,786,883 for the period from 1-31 July 2009; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$990,333, comprising the estimated staff assessment income of \$803,992 approved for the Operation, the prorated share of \$156,441 of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the support account and the prorated share of \$29,900 of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the UN Logistics Base; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$470,655,717 for the period from 1 Aug. 2009-30 June 2010; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$10,893,667; decides that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Operation, there shall be set off against their apportionment their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income in the total amount of \$19,500,000 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; decides that the decrease of \$156,100 in the estimated staff assessment income in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008 shall be set off against the credits from the amount of \$19,500,000. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

### UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO-FINANCING (Agenda item 136)

### **Reports**

- A/63/563 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 21 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/746/Add.16 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Issued: 1 June 2009.

A/63/806 Budget for the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 6 Apr. 2009.

### UN ORGANIZATION MISSION IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO-FINANCING (Agenda item 136) (continued)

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/63/L.55 Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations.

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

A/63/898 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.51 (3 June 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/898 (originally A/C.5/63/L.50) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/291.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/291 Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

Decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo US\$1,405,912,000 for 1 July 2009-30 June 2010, inclusive of \$1,346,584,600 for the maintenance of the Mission, \$49,374,900 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$9,952,500 for the United Nations Logistics Base; decides to apportion among Member States \$702,956,000 for 1 July-31 Dec. 2009; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$16,179,450; decides to apportion among Member States \$702,956,000 for 1 Jan.-30 June 2010 at a monthly rate of \$117,159,333; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$16,179,450; decides that for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their apportionment, their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income \$69.974.500 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; decides that for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income in \$69,974,500 in the period ended 30 June 2008; decides that the decrease of \$330,100 in the estimated staff assessment income in the period ended 30 June 2008 shall be set off against the credits from \$69,974,500. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

### UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS-FINANCING (Agenda item 135)

See also: CYPRUS QUESTION

### **Reports**

- A/63/536 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 10 Nov. 2008.
- A/63/693 Budget for the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 26 Jan. 2009.
- A/63/746/Add.9 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 15 May 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.5/63/L.54 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/63/897 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.46 (20 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

### A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/897 (originally A/C.5/63/L.54 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/290.

### UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS– FINANCING (Agenda item 135) (continued) Resolutions

**A/RES/63/290** 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\$56,794,900 for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010, inclusive of \$54,412,700 for the maintenance of the Force, \$1,982,600 for the support account for peacekeeping operations and \$399,600 for the UN Logistics Base; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$32,220,527 at a monthly rate of \$2,685,044; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$2,517,500; decides that for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Force, there shall be set off against their apportionment their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income in the amount of \$704,903 for the financial period ended 30 June 2008; decides that the increase in the estimated staff assessment income of \$214,000 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008 shall be added to the credits from the amount of \$704,903; decides that one third of other income in the amount of \$436.090 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008 shall be returned to the Government of Cyprus; decides that the prorated share of other income in the amount of \$169,307 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008 shall be returned to the Government of Greece; decides to continue to maintain as separate the account established for the Force for the period prior to 16 June 1993. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

## UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116b)

See also: PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS-FINANCING

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009).

At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/637/Add.1 (originally A/C.5/63/L.46) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/246 B.

### 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-ACCOUNTS UNRWA-ACTIVITIES

## UN RESOLUTIONS-IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 109)

### General documents

- **A/63/319** Letter, 18 Aug. 2008, from China. Refers to letter from Nauru and other member States (A/63/194) to include an item entitled "Need to examine the fundamental rights of the 23 million people of the Republic of China (Taiwan) to participate meaningfully in the activities of the United Nations specialized agencies" in the agenda of the General Assembly and states the firm opposition of the Government of China.
- **A/63/488** Letter, 14 Oct. 2008, from China. Refers to the issues of Taiwan's representation in the UN and peace in the Taiwan Straits raised by some Member States in the general debate of the 63rd session of the General Assembly and states that Taiwan is an inseparable part of China's territory.
- A/63/552 (S/2008/718) Letter, 17 Nov. 2008, from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Transmits aidememoire of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs with regard to the application filed with the International Court of Justice on the dispute concerning the implementation of article 11, para.1 of the Interim Accord of 13 Sept. 1995.
- A/63/576 (S/2008/746) Letter, 27 Nov. 2008, from Greece. Refers to letter dated 17 Nov. 2008 from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (A/63/552-S/2008/718) transmitting an aide-memoire relating to its application filed with the International Court of Justice against Greece concerning the implementation of article 11, paragraph 1, of the Interim Accord of 13 September 1995 (S/1995/794, annex I) and states that Greece is committed to the continuation of the process of negotiations with the aim of reaching a mutually acceptable solution over the name issue.
- **A/63/590** (S/2008/763) Letter, 3 Dec. 2008, from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Transmits letter from the President regarding the application filed by the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia with the International Court of Justice on the dispute concerning the implementation of article 11, para.1 of the Interim Accord of 13 Sept. 1995.

## UN RESOLUTIONS-IMPLEMENTATION (Agenda item 109) (continued)

- A/63/712 (S/2009/82) Letter, 6 Feb. 2009, from Greece.
   Reports alleged violations of security Council resolutions 817 (1993) and 845 (1993) and the Interim Accord by the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and confirms Greece's commitment to the objective of reaching a mutually agreed solution to the name issue.
- **A/63/772** (S/2009/150) Letter, 14 Mar. 2009, from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Refutes allegations contained in letter from Greece (A/63/712) concerning alleged violations of Security Council resolutions 817 (1993) and 845 (1993) and the Interim Accord.
- **A/63/869** (S/2009/285) Letter, 2 June 2009, from Greece. Refers to the letter from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (A/63/772-S/2009/150), and transmits the alleged violations of the Interim Accord on the part of the latter.
- **A/63/934** (S/2009/381) Letter, 23 July 2009, from the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. Refers to letter of 3 June 2009 from Greece and refutes allegations concerning violations of Security Council resolutions 817 (1993) and 845 (1993) and the 1995 Interim Accord.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.32 (27 Oct. 2008). At the 32nd meeting, Assembly decided to defer consideration of this item to the 64th session and to include it in the provisional agenda of the 64th session: decision 63/507.

### UN SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE ON THE EFFECTS OF ATOMIC RADIATION

See: RADIATION EFFECTS

## UN STABILIZATION MISSION IN HAITI-FINANCING (Agenda item 141)

### **Reports**

**A/63/549** Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 17 Nov. 2008.

- A/63/549/Corr.1 Performance report on the budget of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 19 Jan. 2009. - Corrects text.
- A/63/709 Budget for the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti for the period 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 6 Feb. 2009.

## UN STABILIZATION MISSION IN HAITI-FINANCING (Agenda item 141) (continued)

A/63/746/Add.10 Financial performance report for the period from 1 July 2007 to 30 June 2008 and proposed budget for the period from 1 July 2009 to 30 June 2010 of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti : report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. Issued: 19 May 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.5/63/L.58 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/63/901 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.48 (26 May 2009).

A/C.5/63/SR.55 (25 June 2009).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.93 (30 June 2009). At the 93rd meeting, draft resolution in A/63/901 (originally A/C.5/63/L.58) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/294.

### Resolutions

A/RES/63/294 Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti.

Decides to allocate up to US\$3 million for guickimpact projects for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010; decides to appropriate to the Special Account for the UN Stabilization Mission in Haiti the amount of \$638,706,400 for the period from 1 July 2009-30 June 2010; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$186.289.366 for the period from 1 July-15 Oct. 2009; decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$4,914,321; decides to apportion among Member States the amount of \$452,417,034 for the period from 16 Oct. 2009-30 June 2010: decides that there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of \$11,934,779; decides that for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their apportionment their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income in the total amount of \$19,025,400 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; decides that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other income in the total amount of \$19,025,400 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008; decides that the increase in the estimated staff assessment income of \$44,300 in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2008 shall be added to the credits from the amount of \$19,025,400. (Adopted without vote, 93rd plenary meeting, 30 June 2009)

### UN STAFF PENSION COMMITTEE-MEMBERS (Agenda item 105f)

### General documents

**A/63/105** Appointment of members and alternate members of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/63/8 Appointment of members and alternate members of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee : note / by the Secretary-General.

A/C.5/63/8/Corr.1 Appointment of members and alternate members of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee : note : corrigendum / by the Secretary-General. Corrects text.

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

A/63/532 Report of the 5th Committee.

A/C.5/63/SR.16 (7 Nov. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.56 (20 Nov. 2008).

At the 56th meeting, the following persons were appointed as members of the UN Staff Pension Committee for a 4-year term of office beginning on 1 Jan 2009: Gerhard Kîuntzle (Germany), Andrei Vitalievitch Kovalenko (Russian Federation), Lovemore Mazemo (Zimbabwe), Muhammad Muhith (Bangladesh), Philip Richard Okanda Owade (Kenya), Valeria María González Posse (Argentina), Thomas Repasch (United States) and Jun Yamada (Japan): decision 63/411.

### UN STANDING ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON SECURITY QUESTIONS IN CENTRAL AFRICA

See: CONFIDENCE -BUILDING MEASURES-REGIONAL PROGRAMMES-CENTRAL AFRICA

### **UN SYSTEM-DECOLONIZATION**

See: DECOLONIZATION-UN SYSTEM

### **UN SYSTEM-PERSONNEL QUESTIONS**

See: PERSONNEL QUESTIONS-UN SYSTEM

### UN SYSTEM-STRENGTHENING (Agenda item 112)

See also: UN-CHARTER

### **Reports**

- A/63/125 Implementation of General Assembly resolution 61/257 on strengthening the capacity of the Organization to advance the disarmament agenda : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 14 July 2008.
- **A/63/881** (S/2009/304) Report of the Secretary-General on peacebuilding in the immediate aftermath of conflict. Issued: 11 June 2009.

### **UN SYSTEM-STRENGTHENING (Agenda item 112)** (continued)

### **General documents**

- A/63/858 Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.
- A/63/970 (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.51 (17 Nov. 2008).

### **UN VOLUNTARY FUND FOR INDIGENOUS** POPULATIONS

See: INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

### **UN VOLUNTARY TRUST FUND ON** CONTEMPORARY FORMS OF SLAVERY

See: HUMAN RIGHTS-TREATIES-IMPLEMENTATION

### UN-HABITAT - ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116m)

### Reports

A/63/5/Add.8 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5H) United Nations Human Settlements Programme : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008.

### UNAMET

See: UN MISSION IN EAST TIMOR-FINANCING

### **UNAMID**

See: AFRICAN UNION-UN HYBRID OPERATION IN DARFUR-FINANCING

### UNAMSIL

See: UN MISSION IN SIERRA LEONE-FINANCING

### UNCTAD. SECRETARY-GENERAL (Agenda item 105j)

### **General documents**

A/63/891 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 105j) (continued)

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.94 (6 July 2009). At the 94th meeting, the Assembly decided confirm the extension of the appointment of Supachai Panitchpakdi as Secretary-General of UNCTAD for another term of office of 4 years, beginning on 1 Sept. 2009 and ending on 31 Aug. 2013: decision 63/424.

### UNDOF

See: UN DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE-FINANCING

### UNDP-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116f)

### Reports

A/63/5/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5A) United Nations Development Programme : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008.

Issued: 21 Oct. 2008. - Inserts a table.

### UNDP. ADMINISTRATOR (Agenda item 105i)

### General documents

A/63/109 Confirmation of the appointment of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme : note / by the Secretary-General.

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.78 (31 Mar. 2009). At the 78th meeting, the Assembly confirmed the appointment of Helen Clark (New Zealand) as Administrator of UNDP for a four-year term of office beginning on 20 Apr. 2009: decision 63/419.

### UNEP-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116k)

### Reports

A/63/5/Add.6 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5F) Fund of the United Nations Environment Programme : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008.

### UNEP. GOVERNING COUNCIL-REPORTS (Agenda item 49g)

### Reports

A/63/25 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 25) United Nations Environment Programme : report of the Governing Council. 10th special session (20-22 February 2008). Issued: 2008

A/63/5/Add.1/Corr.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5A) United Nations Development Programme : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors : corrigendum.

## UNEP. GOVERNING COUNCIL–REPORTS (Agenda item 49g) (continued)

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

**A/C.2/63/L.18** Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its 10th special session : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [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.2/63/L.54 (A/63/414/Add.7).

A/C.2/63/L.54 Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its 10th special session : draft resolution / submitted by the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.18.

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

A/63/414 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/63/414/Add.7 Report of the 2nd Committee.

A/C.2/63/SR.17	(27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.18 (27 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.19 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.20 (28 Oct. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.24 (4 Nov. 2008).

A/C.2/63/SR.31 (11 Dec. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.72 (19 Dec. 2008).

At the 72nd meeting, draft resolution (originally A/C.2/63/L.54) in A/63/414/Add.7 was adopted without vote: resolution 63/220.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/220 Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its 10th special session.

Takes note of the report of the Governing Council of the UN Environment Programme on its 10th special session and the decisions contained therein; emphasizes the need for the UN Environment Programme to further contribute to sustainable development programmes, the implementation of Agenda 21 and the Johannesburg Plan of Implementation; takes note of the proposal of the Executive Director of the UN Environment Programme to address "Global crisis: national chaos?" as one of the themes for the ministerial consultations, to be held at the 25th session of the Governing Council; invites Governments that are in a position to do so to increase their contributions to the Environment Fund. (Adopted without vote, 72nd plenary meeting, 19 Dec. 2008)

### UNFICYP

See: UN PEACEKEEPING FORCE IN CYPRUS-FINANCING

### UNFPA-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116I) Reports

A/63/5/Add.7 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5G) United Nations Population Fund : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008.

### UNHCR-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116j)

### **Reports**

A/63/5/Add.5 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5E) Voluntary funds administered by the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees : financial report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors.

Issued: 2008.

### UNHCR-ACTIVITIES

See: REFUGEES

### UNICEF-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116g) Reports

- A/63/5/Add.2 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5B) United Nations Children's Fund : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31
   December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008.
- A/63/5/Add.2/Corr.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5B) United Nations Children's Fund : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors : corrigendum.

Issued: 6 Oct. 2008. - Corrects text.

### UNIFIL

See: UN INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON-FINANCING

### UNITAR-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116i)

### **Reports**

**A/63/5/Add.4** (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 5D) United Nations Institute for Training and Research : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors.

Issued: 2008.

### UNITED STATES

See: UN-HOST COUNTRY RELATIONS

## UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

### **Reports**

A/63/23 (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008. Issued: 2008.

### Hearings requested

A/C.4/63/4 Letter, 7 Aug. 2008, from Edward L. Browne. Requests a hearing on the question of the United States Virgin Islands.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.4/63/L.6 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 : amendment to draft resolution VI, contained in document A/63/23, chap. XII / United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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

**A/63/408** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11 (17 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.11(Resumption1) (20 Oct. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution IV in A/63/408 entitled "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" (originally A/C.4/63/L.6) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/108 A and [B-XI].

### UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued) Resolutions

### A/RES/63/108[B-XI] United States Virgin Islands. Welcomes the establishment of the Constitutional Convention in 2007, and requests the administering Power to assist the territorial Government in achieving its political, economic and social goals, in particular the successful conclusion of the ongoing internal Constitutional Convention exercise; requests the administering Power to assist the Territory by facilitating its work concerning a public education programme, consistent with Article 73 b of the Charter of the UN and, in that regard, calls upon the relevant UN organizations to provide assistance to the Territory, if requested; reiterates its call for the inclusion of the Territory in regional programmes of UNDP, consistent with the participation of other Non-Self-Governing Territories; appreciates the efforts made to continue the work of the Inter-Virgin Islands Council between the elected Governments of the United States Virgin Islands and the British Virgin Islands to advance cooperation between the two neighbouring Territories. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### **UNITED STATES-CUBA**

See: CUBA-UNITED STATES

### UNIVERSITY FOR PEACE–OBSERVER STATUS (Agenda item 153)

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.6/63/L.2 Observer status for the University for Peace in the General Assembly : draft resolution / Chile, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Peru, Philippines, Saint Lucia and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

### Discussion in the Legal Committee (6th Committee)

A/63/455 Report of the 6th Committee.

A/C.6/63/SR.11 (21 Oct. 2008).

A/C.6/63/SR.25 (5 Nov. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008). At the 67th meeting, draft resolution in A/63/455 (originally A/C.6/63/L.2) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/132.

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/132** Observer status for the University for Peace in the General Assembly.

Decides to invite the University for Peace 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, 67th plenary meeting, 11 Dec. 2008)

### UNMEE

See: UN MISSION IN ETHIOPIA AND ERITREA-FINANCING

### UNMIK

See: UN INTERIM ADMINISTRATION MISSION IN KOSOVO-FINANCING

### UNMIL

See: UN MISSION IN LIBERIA-FINANCING

### UNMIS

See: UN MISSION IN THE SUDAN-FINANCING

### UNMIT

See: UN INTEGRATED MISSION IN TIMOR-LESTE-FINANCING

### UNOCI

See: UN OPERATION IN COTE D'IVOIRE-FINANCING

### UNOMIG

See: UN OBSERVER MISSION IN GEORGIA-FINANCING

### UNRWA-ACCOUNTS (Agenda item 116h)

See also: REFUGEES

UNRWA-ACTIVITIES

### Reports

 A/63/5/Add.3 (GAOR, 63rd 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 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. Issued: 2008.

### UNRWA–ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 29)

See also: REFUGEES

UNRWA-ACCOUNTS

### Reports

 A/63/13 (GAOR, 63rd 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 January-31 December 2007. Issued: 2008.

A/63/269 Palestine refugees' properties and their revenues : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 12 Aug. 2008.

**A/63/315** Persons displaced as a result of the June 1967 and subsequent hostilities : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Aug. 2008.

A/63/317 Report of the United Nations Conciliation Commission for Palestine : note / by the Secretary-General.

Issued: 20 Aug. 2008. - Transmits the 62nd report of the UN Conciliation Commission for Palestine, covering the period 1 Sept. 2007-31 Aug. 2008.

A/63/375 Report of the Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East. Issued: 24 Sept. 2008.

### UNRWA-ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 29) (continued)

A/63/855 (S/2009/250) Letter, 4 May 2009, from the Secretary-General. Transmits summary of the report of the UN Headquarters Board of Inquiry into certain incidents in the Gaza Strip between 27 Dec. 2008 and 19 Jan. 2009.

### General documents

**A/63/678** Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the escalation of the Israeli military activity in the Gaza Strip.

**A/63/679** (S/2009/36) Letter, 13 Jan. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in his capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, statement by the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement on the non-compliance by Israel with Security Council resolution 1860 (2009) and the escalation of military aggression against the Gaza Strip.

**A/63/705** (S/2009/73) Letter, 4 Feb. 2009, from Egypt. Refers to letter dated 22 Jan. 2009 and transmits letter from the President of the Egyptian Red Crescent Society regarding Egypt's efforts to alleviate the humanitarian situation in the Gaza Strip.

**A/63/748** (S/2009/123) Letter, 3 Mar. 2009, from Egypt addressed to the Secretary-General. Transmits Conclusions by the Chair of the International Conference in Support of the Palestinian Economy for the Reconstruction of Gaza, held in Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt, 2 Mar. 2009.

**A/63/858** Letter, 8 May 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, outcome documents of the Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Havana, Cuba, 27-30 Apr. 2009.

**A/63/969** (S/2009/517) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Declaration on Palestine, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

**A/63/970** (S/2009/518) Letter, 24 July 2009, from Egypt. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Sharm El Sheikh Summit Declaration, adopted by the 15th Summit of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 11 to 16 July 2009.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/63/L.78 Commemoration of the 60th anniversary of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East : draft decision / Egypt and Norway.

### UNRWA-ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 29) (continued)

A/C.4/63/L.11 Assistance to Palestine refugees : draft resolution / Algeria, Austria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belgium, Comoros, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Kuwait, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Oman, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Romania, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Slovenia, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cuba, Guinea, Indonesia, Liechtenstein, Mali, Nigeria, Slovakia, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/400).

A/C.4/63/L.12 Persons displaced as a result of the June 1967 and subsequent hostilities : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine:.

Additional sponsors: Cuba, Djibouti, Guinea, Indonesia, Mali, Nigeria and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/400).

A/C.4/63/L.13 Operations of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East : draft resolution / Algeria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mauritania, Morocco, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, South Africa, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine:.

Additional sponsors: Cuba, Djibouti, Guinea, Indonesia, Nigeria and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/400).

A/C.4/63/L.14 Palestine refugees' properties and their revenues : draft resolution / Algeria, Austria, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belgium, Brunei Darussalam, Comoros, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Kuwait, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Malta, Mauritania, Morocco, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Oman, Qatar, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Slovenia, Somalia, South Africa, Spain, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen and Palestine.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cuba, Djibouti, Guinea, Indonesia, Mali, Nigeria, Slovakia, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) (A/63/400).

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

A/63/400 Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.19 (29 Oct. 2008).

### UNRWA-ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 29) (continued)

A/C.4/63/SR.20 (30 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.23 (6 Nov. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.24 (7 Nov. 2008).

### Discussion in plenary

### A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/400 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.4/63/L.11), adopted (173-1-6): resolution 63/91; draft resolution II (originally A/C.4/63/L.12), adopted (172-6-2): resolution 63/92; draft resolution III (originally A/C.4/63/L.13), adopted (172-6-1): resolution 63/93; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.4/63/L.14), adopted (173-6-2): resolution 63/94.

A/63/PV.103 (11 Aug. 2009).

At the 103rd meeting, draft decision A/63/L.78 was adopted without vote and the Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 29: decision 63/558.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/91 Assistance to Palestine refugees. Calls upon all donors to continue to make the most generous efforts possible to meet the anticipated needs of the UN Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East, including with regard to increased expenditures arising from the continuing deterioration of the socio economic and humanitarian situation in the region, particularly in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, and those mentioned in recent emergency appeals; decides to commemorate the work of the UN Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East on the occasion of the 60th anniversary of its establishment at a high-level meeting to be convened on 1 Oct. 2009, during the 64th session of the General Assembly, and encourages the participation of Member States at the ministerial level; decides also to invite Finland and Ireland, in accordance with the criterion set forth in General Assembly decision 60/522 of 8 Dec. 2005, to become members of the Advisory Commission of the UN Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East. (Adopted 173-1-6, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### **A/RES/63/92** 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, in the meanwhile, 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; 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. (Adopted 172-6-2, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### UNRWA-ACTIVITIES (Agenda item 29) (continued)

A/RES/63/93 Operations of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East. Reaffirms that the functioning of the UN Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East remains essential in all fields of operation; commends the continuing efforts of the Commissioner-General to increase the budgetary transparency and efficiency of the Agency; requests the Secretary-General to support the institutional strengthening of the Agency through the provision of sufficient financial resources from the regular budget of the UN; urges the Government of Israel to speedily compensate the Agency for damage to its property and facilities resulting from actions by the Israeli side and to expeditiously reimburse the Agency for all transit charges incurred and other financial losses sustained by the Agency as a result of delays and restrictions on movement and access imposed by Israel; calls upon Israel particularly to cease obstructing the movement and access of the staff, vehicles and supplies of the Agency and to cease the levying of extra fees and charges, which affect the Agency's operations detrimentally; requests the Commissioner-General to proceed with the issuance of identification cards for Palestine refugees and their descendants in the Occupied Palestinian Territory; urges all States, specialized agencies and non-governmental organizations to continue and to increase their contributions to the Agency so as to ease the ongoing financial constraints. (Adopted 172-6-1, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/94 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; calls upon all the parties concerned to provide the Secretary-General with any pertinent information in their possession concerning Arab property, assets and property rights in Israel that would assist him 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 173-6-2, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

## VIENNA DECLARAT ION AND PROGRAMME OF ACTION (1993)

See: HUMAN RIGHTS–PROGRAMMES OF ACTION (1993)

### WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION-

TERRORISM (Agenda item 89r)

### See also: TERRORISM

### Reports

A/63/153 Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction : report of the Secretary-General.

Issued: 21 July 2008.

### Draft resolutions/decisions

A/C.1/63/L.34 Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction : draft resolution / Afghanistan, Albania, Armenia, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bhutan, Bulgaria, Cambodia, Chile, Croatia, Czech Republic, El Salvador, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, India, Ireland, Italy, Kuwait, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mauritius, Monaco, Myanmar, Nepal, Netherlands, Norway, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, Samoa, Serbia, Singapore, Slovakia, Spain, Sri Lanka, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Togo, Turkey and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Additional sponsors: Argentina, Australia, Azerbaijan, Botswana, Colombia, Cyprus, Denmark, Fiji, Jamaica, Kyrgyzstan, Nicaragua, Slovenia, the United States and Zambia (A/63/389).

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

A/63/389 Report of the 1st Committee.

A/C.1/63/PV.10 (16 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.16 (23 Oct. 2008).

A/C.1/63/PV.20 (29 Oct. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.61 (2 Dec. 2008).

At the 61st meeting, draft resolution XX in A/63/389 (originally A/C.1/63/L.34) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/60.

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/60** Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction.

Calls upon all Member States to support international efforts to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction and their means of delivery; appeals to all Member States to consider early accession to and ratification of the International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism; 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; 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. (Adopted without vote, 61st plenary meeting, 2 Dec. 2008)

### WESTERN SAHARA

See: UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN WESTERN SAHARA-FINANCING

### WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 37)

See also: UN MISSION FOR THE REFERENDUM IN WESTERN SAHARA-FINANCING

### Reports

A/63/23 (GAOR, 63rd 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 2008.

Issued: 2008.

A/63/131 Question of Western Sahara : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 15 July 2008.

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### General documents

**A/63/871** (S/2009/198) Letter, 13 Apr. 2009, from Namibia. Transmits letter from the representative of the Frente Polisario addressed to the President of the Security Council on the question of the natural resources of Western Sahara.

### Hearings requested

A/C.4/63/5 Letter, 1 July 2008, from Charles Wilson, Executive Director, U.S.-Western Sahara Foundation. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.1 Letter, 2 July 2008, from Nancy Huff, President, Teach the Children International, USA. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.2 Letter, 26 Aug. 2008, from Helen Hardin, Chief of Staff, Representative Zach Wamp. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.3 Letter, 26 Aug. 2008, from Janet Lenz, director of Sahawari Programs, Christ the Rock Community Church. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.4 Letter, 3 Sept. 2008, from Marge Lottis, Victory Christian Center. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.5 Letter, 7 Sept. 2008, from Vanessa Ramos, President, American Association of Jurists. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.6 Letter, 8 Sept. 2008, from Agaila Abba Hemeida, Sahawari student in the United States of America. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.7 Letter, 9 Sept. 2008, from Vincent Chapaux, Université Libre de Bruxelles. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.8 Letter, 30 Sept. 2008, from Hilt Teuwen, Oxfam Solidarité. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

## WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued)

- **A/C.4/63/5/Add.9** Letter, 12 Sept. 2008, from Mikael Simble, Norwegian Support Committee for Western Sahara. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.10 Letter, 16 Sept. 2008, from Senia Bachir-Abderahman of the Saharawi Youth Union. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.11 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Francisco José Alonso Rodríguez, President, Liga Pro Derechos Humanos. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.12 Letter, 16 Sept. 2008, from Monseigneur Jean Abboud. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.13 Letter, 16 Sept. 2008, from Delphine Bourgeois, President of Med Euro Cap. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.14 Letter, 16 Sept. 2008, from Miguel Ortiz Asin, President of the Forum Canario-Saharaui. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.15 Letter, 17 Sept. 2008, from Phillippe
 H. Elghouayel, President, Together Foundation.
 Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

A/C.4/63/5/Add.16 Letter, 16 Sept. 2008, from Cherif Sidi Tejdert, Association Mauritanienne. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

- A/C.4/63/5/Add.17 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from Felipe Briones Vives, Secretary, Asociación Internacional de Juristas por el Sáhara Occidental. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.18 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from Txomin Aurrecoechea, Coordinator, Instituciones Solidarias con el Pueblo Saharaui a nivel de Estado Español. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

 A/C.4/63/5/Add.19 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from Antonio López Ortiz, Secretary, Federación Estatal de Instituciones Solidarias con el Pueblo Saharaui.
 Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

- A/C.4/63/5/Add.20 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from María López Belloso, investigator of the Instituto Hegoa. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.21 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from Aranzazu Chacon Ormazabal, Abogada y Responsible de proyectos de la Asociación de Vitoria-Gasteiz. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.22 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from Alberto Ruiz de Azua Solozabal, President, Euskal Fondoa. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.23 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from Juan Soroeta Liceras, Professor of International Public Law. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

## WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued)

- A/C.4/63/5/Add.24 Letter, 15 Sept. 2008, from José Manuel de la Fuente Serrano, Abogado y Director del Observatorio de Derechos Humanos del Ilustre Colegio de Abogados de Badajoz. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.25 Letter, 17 Sept. 2008, from Washington Varela Salazar, Alcalde de Tena, Ecuador. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.26 Letter, 17 Sept. 2008, from Alberto Cid. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.27 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from France Weyl, Association des Amis de la République Arabe Sahraouie Démocratique. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.28 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Lorenzo Olarte Cullen. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.29 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Roberto Goiriz Ojeda. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.30 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Tanya Warburg, Director of Freedom for All. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.31 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from José M. Romero Gonzalez. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- **A/C.4/63/5/Add.32** Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Horacio Yanes. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.33 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Ahmed Boukhari, Representative of the Polisario Front. Requests a hearing on the guestion of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.34 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from Luciano Ardesi, President, Italian Association of Friendship and Solidarity with the Saharawi People. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.35 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from Mildred Thulin, former MP of Sweden. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.36 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from Sydney S. Assor, Chairman, Surrey Three Faiths Forum. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.37 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from Alouat Hamoudi, Western Saharan student. Requests a hearing on the guestion of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.38 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from Anja Oksalampi, Executive Secretary of Yaakaare-REDHRIC. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.39 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from Saâdani Maoulainine, Association de protection des droits de l'homme (Maroc). Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

## WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued)

- **A/C.4/63/5/Add.40** Letter, 17 Sept. 2008, from Jane Bahaijoub, Chairman of Family Protection. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.41 Letter, 16 Sept. 2008, from Carmelo Vidalín, Mayor of Durazno, Uruguay. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.42 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from Aymeric Chauprade, Professor at Sorbonne University. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.43 Letter, 22 Sept. 2008, from Ennaba El Moussaoui, Association Sahraouie pour l'Unité et la Réconciliation. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.44 Letter, 18 Sept. 2008, from El Mami Boussif, President, Council of the region of Rio de Oro. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.45 Letter, 22 Sept. 2008, from Pedro Pinto Leite, Secretary-General of the International Platform of Jurists for East Timor. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.46 Letter, 22 Sept. 2008, from El aafia Hammaidi of the Association de défense des femmes sahraouies. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.47 Letter, 19 Sept. 2008, from Jorge Reinaldo A. Vanossi, Professor of Law and former Justice Minister of Argentina. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.48 Letter, 22 Sept. 2008, from Gilonne d'Origny. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.49 Letter, 23 Sept. 2008, from Anna Maria Stame Cervone, President, Christian Democratic Women International. Requests a hearing on the guestion of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.50 Letter, 22 Sept. 2008, from Cynthis Basinet. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.51 Letter, 23 Sept. 2008, from Marc Louis Ropivia, Professor, Omar Bongo University in Libreville. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.52 Letter, 21 Sept. 2008, from Erik Jensen. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.53 Letter, 23 Sept. 2008, from Diallo Babacar, Director General, Centre d'Etudes Diplomatiques et Strategie [sic], Dakar. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.54 Letter, 23 Sept. 2008, from Eric Cameron, President of World Action for Refugees (Norway). Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

## WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued)

- A/C.4/63/5/Add.55 Letter, 25 Sept. 2008, from Marselha Gonçalves Margerin, Robert F. Kennedy Memorial Centre for Human Rights. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.56 Letter, 25 Sept. 2008, from Jason I. Poblete, Esq., of the Defence Forum Foundation. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.57 Letter, 26 Sept. 2008, from José Luis Jiménez, Journalist. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.58 Letter, 26 Sept. 2008, from Dieter Ficke, Managing Partner of DF Logistics. Requests a hearing on the guestion of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.59 Letter, 26 Sept. 2008, from Nicola Quatrano, President, Associazione Osservatorio Internazionale. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.60 Letter, 27 Sept. 2008, from Javier P. Morillas Gómez, Communications Adviser, Observatorio de Empleo. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.61 Letter, 30 Sept. 2008, from Francesco Bastagli. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.
- A/C.4/63/5/Add.62 Letter, 1 Oct. 2008, from Will Sommer. Requests a hearing on the question of Western Sahara.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.4/63/L.5 Question of Western Sahara : draft resolution / Algeria, Angola, Belize, Bolivia, Cuba, Dominica, Ecuador, Grenada, Jamaica, Lesotho, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Rwanda, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, South Africa, Suriname, Timor-Leste, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Vanuatu, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Vanatu withdrew from sponsoring the draft resolution A/63/408).. - The document replaced by A/C.4/63/L.7

**A/C.4/63/L.7** Question of Western Sahara : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman.

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

**A/63/408** Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (4th Committee).

A/C.4/63/SR.2 (6 Oct. 2008).

- A/C.4/63/SR.3 (7 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.4 (8 Oct. 2008).
- A/C.4/63/SR.5 (9 Oct. 2008).

A/C.4/63/SR.6 (10 Oct. 2008).

## WESTERN SAHARA QUESTION (Agenda item 37) (continued)

### Discussion in plenary

A/63/PV.64 (5 Dec. 2008).

At the 64th meeting, draft resolution I in A/63/408 entitled "Question of Western Sahara" (originally

### A/C.4/63/L.7) was adopted without vote: resolution 63/105.

### **Resolutions**

A/RES/63/105 Question of Western Sahara.

Welcomes the commitment of the parties to continue to show political will and work in an atmosphere propitious for dialogue; calls upon the parties to cooperate with the International Committee of the Red Cross, and calls upon them to abide by their obligations under international humanitarian law; 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 consider the situation in Western Sahara and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its 64th session. (Adopted without vote, 64th plenary meeting, 5 Dec. 2008)

### WOMEN-UN. SECRETARIAT

See: UN-HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

### WOMEN IN ARMED CONFLICTS (Agenda item 76)

See also: HUMAN RIGHTS-REPORTS HUMAN RIGHTS IN ARMED CONFLICTS

### WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 56a)

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

### **Reports**

 A/63/38 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 38) Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, 40th session (14 January-1 February 2008), 41st session (30 June-18 July 2008). Issued: 2008.

**A/63/205** Activities of the United Nations Development Fund for Women : note / by the Secretary-General. Issued: 1 Aug. 2008. - Transmits report on the activities of the UN Development Fund for Women for the period 2004-2007.

A/63/214 Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 4 Aug. 2008.

A/63/214/Corr.1 Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum. Issued: 3 Nov. 2008. - Corrects text.

A/63/215 Trafficking in women and girls : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 4 Aug. 2008.

## WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 56a) (continued)

- A/63/216 Eliminating rape and other forms of sexual violence in all their manifestations, including in conflict and related situations : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 4 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/216/Corr.1 Eliminating rape and other forms of sexual violence in all their manifestations, including in conflict and related situations : report of the Secretary-General : corrigendum.

Issued: 27 Oct. 2008. - Corrects text.

- A/63/222 Supporting efforts to end obstetric fistula : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 6 Aug. 2008.
- A/63/364 Improvement of the status of women in the United Nations System : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 18 Sept. 2008.

### **General documents**

- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
- **A/63/755** Letter, 9 Mar. 2009, from Qatar. Transmits recommendations of the Colloquium on the impact of violence against women on the family, organized by the Doha International Institute for Family Studies and Development, held in Doha from 19 to 20 Nov. 2008.
- **A/63/790** Letter, 27 Mar. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits the text of the declaration of the Extraordinary Meeting of the Heads of State and Government of the Central American Integration System, held in Managua, 25 Mar. 2009.
- **A/63/835** Letter, 24 Apr. 2009, from Nicaragua. Transmits, in the capacity as President Pro Tempore of the Central American Integration System (SICA), the Declaration of the Heads of State and Government of the SICA adopted at the Summit of the Americas, held in Trinidad and Tobago, 17-18 Apr. 2009.

### **Draft resolutions/decisions**

A/C.3/63/L.12 Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women : draft resolution / Belgium and Netherlands.

Additional sponsors: Bhutan, Brazil, the Congo, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Mozambique, Nigeria, Panama, Slovakia, Switzerland and the United Republic of Tanzania (A/63/425).

## WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 56a) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.12/Rev.1 Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women : revised draft resolution / Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Benin, Bhutan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Canada, Chile, Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Honduras, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Monaco, Mozambique, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).

Additional sponsors: Afghanistan, Algeria, Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Azerbaijan, the Bahamas, Burkina Faso, Cote d'Ivoire, Eritrea, Grenada, Guyana, Indonesia, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Malawi, Mauritius, Montenegro, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Norway, the Philippines, Poland, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, South Africa, Swaziland, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Togo, Ukraine and Zambia (A/63/425).

**A/C.3/63/L.13** Trafficking in women and girls : draft resolution / Philippines.

A/C.3/63/L.13/Rev.1 Trafficking in women and girls : revised draft resolution / Argentina, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Chile, Côte d'Ivoire, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Ghana, Haiti, Honduras, Indonesia, Kyrgyzstan, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Mongolia, Nigeria, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines and Senegal.

Additional sponsors: Angola, Australia, the Bahamas, Bangladesh, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burundi, Cape Verde, Chad, the Congo, Cyprus, Denmark, Estonia, France, the Gambia, Greece, Grenada, Hungary, Iceland, Iraq, Ireland, Jamaica, Latvia, Lebanon, Lesotho, Lithuania, Mali, Monaco, Montenegro, Morocco, the Netherlands, Nicaragua, Norway, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Lucia, San Marino, Sierra Leone, Sri Lanka, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Togo, Turkey, Ukraine, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Zambia (A/63/425).

A/C.3/63/L.14 Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

A/C.3/63/L.14/Rev.1 Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women : revised draft resolution / Antigua and Barbuda [on behalf of the Group of 77 and China].

Additional sponsors: Austria and Mexico (A/63/425).

## WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 56a) (continued)

A/C.3/63/L.15 Supporting efforts to end obstetric fistula : draft resolution / Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Belgium, Botswana, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Chile, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Iceland, Indonesia, Israel, Jamaica, Kenya, Luxembourg, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Morocco, Mozambique, Niger, Nigeria, Paraguay, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Seychelles, South Africa, Sudan, Swaziland, Switzerland, Tunisia, Uganda and United Republic of Tanzania.

Additional sponsors: Benin, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Haiti, Lesotho, Monaco, Panama, the Republic of Moldova and Sri Lanka (A/63/425).

A/C.3/63/L.15/Rev.1 Supporting efforts to end obstetric fistula : revised draft resolution / Afghanistan, Andorra, Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belgium, Benin, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Cape Verde, Chile, Comoros, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Dominican Republic, Egypt, El Salvador, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Germany, Greece, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Latvia, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malawi, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mexico, Mongolia, Monaco, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Seychelles, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Togo, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay, Uzbekistan, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Additional sponsors: Albania, Algeria, Australia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Denmark, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Papua New Guinea, the Philippines, Thailand and Timor-Leste (A/63/425).

**A/C.3/63/L.73** 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 : draft resolution / submitted by the Chairman on the basis of informal consultations.

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

A/63/425 Report of the 3rd Committee. A/C.3/63/SR.8 (13 Oct. 2008). A/C.3/63/SR.9 (13 Oct. 2008).

## WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 56a) (continued)

A/C.3/63/SR.10	(14 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.11	(14 Oct. 2008).
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A/C.3/63/SR.19	(21 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.23	(23 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.31	(30 Oct. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.38	(6 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.43	(20 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.45	(21 Nov. 2008).
A/C.3/63/SR.46	(24 Nov. 2008).

### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

At the 70th meeting, action on draft resolutions in A/63/425 was as follows: draft resolution I (originally A/C.3/63/L.12/Rev. 1), as orally revised, adopted without vote: resolution 63/155; draft resolution II (originally A/C.3/63/L.13/Rev. 1), adopted without vote: resolution 63/156; draft resolution III (originally A/C.3/63/L.14/Rev. 1), adopted without vote: resolution 63/157; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.3/63/L.15/Rev. 1), adopted without vote: resolution 63/157; draft resolution IV (originally A/C.3/63/L.15/Rev. 1), adopted without vote: resolution 63/158; draft resolution V (originally A/C.3/63/L.158; draft resolution V (originally A/C.3/63/L.73), adopted without vote: resolution 63/159.

### **Resolutions**

**A/RES/63/155** Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women.

Requests the Secretary-General to submit:(a) to the General Assembly a report with information provided by the United Nations bodies, funds and programmes and the specialized agencies on their follow-up activities to implement General Assembly resolutions 61/143, 62/133 and the present resolution (b) to the General Assembly a report with information provided by States on their follow-up activities to implement the present resolution; requests the Secretary-General to present an oral report to the Commission on the Status of Women at its 53rd sess. on recent follow-up activities to implement the consideration of this question at its 64th sess. under the item entitled "Advancement of women". (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

## WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 56a) (continued)

A/RES/63/156 Trafficking in women and girls. Encourages Governments to enhance informationsharing and data-collection capacity as a way of promoting cooperation to combat the trafficking problem; encourages Governments, relevant intergovernmental bodies and international organizations to ensure that military, peacekeeping and humanitarian personnel deployed in conflict, post-conflict and other emergency situations are provided training on conduct that does not promote, facilitate or exploit trafficking in women and girls; requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its 65h sess. a report that compiles successful interventions and strategies, as well as the gaps, in addressing the gender dimensions of the problem of trafficking in persons, and provides recommendations on the strengthening of gender- and age-sensitive approaches within the various aspects of efforts to address trafficking in persons. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

A/RES/63/157 Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women.

Requests the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women to coordinate further its activities and to develop its programme of work in collaboration with other relevant United Nations entities; requests the Institute to collaborate with the United Nations system, national machinery, non governmental organizations and the private sector in promoting international cooperation; requests the Institute to participate in and contribute to discussions on issues related to international migration and development; requests the Institute to continue to assist countries in promoting and supporting the political participation and economic and social advancement of women through training programmes; requests the Secretary General to continue to provide administrative assistance and support to the Institute; requests the Secretary General to include information on the implementation of the present resolution in his report to be submitted to the Economic and Social Council at its substantive session of 2009 and to submit his report to the General Assembly at its 64th session. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

## WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT (Agenda item 56a) (continued)

A/RES/63/158 Supporting efforts to end obstetric fistula. Stresses the need to address the social issues that contribute to the problem of obstetric fistula, such as early marriage of the girl child, early pregnancy, lack of access to sexual and reproductive health, lack of or inadequate education of women and girls, poverty and low status of women and girls; also stresses that States have the obligation to promote and protect all human rights and fundamental freedoms of women and girls, that they must exercise due diligence in order to prevent, investigate and punish the perpetrators of violence against women and girls and to provide protection to the victims, and that failure to do so violates and impairs or nullifies the enjoyment of their human rights and fundamental freedoms; urges States to enact and strictly enforce laws to ensure that marriage is entered into only with the free and full consent of the intending spouses and, in addition, to enact and strictly enforce laws concerning the minimum legal age of consent and the minimum age for marriage, and to raise the minimum age for marriage where necessary; urges the international community to address the shortages of doctors, midwives, nurses and other health workers trained in lifesaving obstetric care, and of space and supplies, which limit the capacity of most of the fistula centres; urges multilateral donors, and invites international financial institutions, within their respective mandates, and regional development banks to review and implement policies to support national efforts to ensure that a higher proportion of resources reaches young women and girls, in particular in rural and remote areas. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

**A/RES/63/159** 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.

Reaffirms the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action adopted at the 4th World Conference on Women. the outcome of the 23rd special session of the General Assembly, and the declaration adopted on the occasion of the 10 year review and appraisal of the implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action at the 49th session of the Commission on the Status of Women, and also reaffirms its commitment to their full, effective and accelerated implementation; 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 all bodies that deal with programme and budgetary matters, including the Committee for Programme and Coordination, to ensure that programmes, plans and budgets visibly mainstream gender perspectives; requests the Secretary General to review and redouble his efforts to make progress towards achieving the goal of 50/50 gender balance at all levels in the Secretariat and throughout the UN system. (Adopted without vote, 70th plenary meeting, 18 Dec. 2008)

# WOMEN'S ADVANCEMENT-CONFERENCE (4TH : 1995 : BEIJING)-FOLLOW-UP (Agenda item 56b) Reports

A/63/217 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: 4 Aug. 2008.

#### General documents

- **A/63/704** Letter, 2 Feb. 2009, from Cuba. Transmits, in the capacity as Chair of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, the Guatemala Declaration and Programme of Action adopted by the 2nd Ministerial Meeting of the Non-Aligned Movement on the Advancement of Women towards the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, held in Guatemala from 21 to 24 Jan. 2009.
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#### Discussion in the Social, Humanitarian and Cultural Committee (3rd Committee)

A/C.3/63/SR.8 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.9 (13 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.10 (14 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.11 (14 Oct. 2008).

A/C.3/63/SR.12 (15 Oct. 2008).

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.70 (18 Dec. 2008).

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# WORLD ASSEMBLY ON AGEING (2ND : 2002 : MADRID)

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See: RACIAL DISCRIMINATION RACIAL DISCRIMINATION-ELIMINATION

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See: SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT-CONFERENCE (1995 : COPENHAGEN)-FOLLOW-UP

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See: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE-YEMEN

# ZONE OF PEACE-SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN REGION (Agenda item 14)

## **Reports**

#### **Discussion in plenary**

A/63/PV.67 (11 Dec. 2008).

**A/63/525** Zone of peace and cooperation of the South Atlantic : report of the Secretary-General. Issued: 7 Nov. 2008.

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A/63/6(Prog.24) A/63/6(Prog.25) A/63/6(Prog.26) A/63/6(Prog.27) A/63/7-8 Symbols not used A/63/9 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 9) A/63/10 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 10) A/63/11 + Corr.1 (F) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 11) A/63/12 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 12) A/63/12/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 12A) A/63/13 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 13) A/63/14 Symbol not used A/63/15(Partl) (To be issued as GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no.15) A/63/15(PartII) (To be issued as GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no.15) A/63/15(PartIII) (To be issued as GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no.15) A/63/15(PartIV) (To be issued as GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no.15) A/63/16 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 16) A/63/17 + Corr.1-2(F) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 17) A/63/18/Corr.1 A/63/18 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 18) A/63/19 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 19) A/63/20 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 20) A/63/21 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 21) A/63/22 Symbol not used A/63/23 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 23) A/63/23/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 23) A/63/24 Symbol not used A/63/25 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 25) A/63/26 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 26) A/63/27 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 27) A/63/28-29 Symbols not used A/63/30 +Corr.1 (F) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 30) A/63/31 Symbol not used A/63/32 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 32) A/63/32/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 32A) A/63/33 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 33) A/63/34 + Corr.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 34) A/63/35 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 35) A/63/36 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 36) A/63/37 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 37) A/63/38 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no 38) A/63/39 Symbol not used

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A/63/40(Vol.I) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 40) A/63/40(Vol.II) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 40) (A, C, E, F, S) A/63/41 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 41) A/63/42 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 42) A/63/43 Symbol not used A/63/44 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. No. 44) A/63/45 Symbol not used A/63/46 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 46) A/63/47 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 47) A/63/48 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 48) A/63/49(Vol.I) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 49) A/63/49(Vol.II) (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 49) A/63/49(Vol.III) (To be issued as GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 49) A/63/50 A/63/51-52 Symbols not used A/63/53 (GAÓR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 53) A/63/53/Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 53A) A/63/54 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 54) A/63/55 + Add.1 (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 55) A/63/56-60 Symbols not used A/63/61 A/63/62 (S/2008/123) A/63/63 + Add.1 A/63/64 A/63/65 A/63/66 A/63/67 A/63/68 A/63/69 (S/2008/270) A/63/70 A/63/71 (E/2008/46) A/63/72 (E/2008/48) A/63/73 (S/2008/297) A/63/74 (E/2008/13) A/63/75 (E/2008/52) A/63/76 (E/2008/54) A/63/77 (E/2008/61) A/63/78 (S/2008/194) A/63/79 + Corr.1 A/63/80 (E/2008/67) A/63/81 (E/2008/71) A/63/82 (S/2008/360) A/63/83 (E/2008/77) A/63/84 (E/2008/80) A/63/85 (E/2008/83) A/63/86 A/63/87 A/63/88 A/63/89 A/63/90 A/63/91 A/63/92 (S/2008/417) A/63/93 +Add.1 A/63/94 A/63/95 A/63/96 A/63/97 + Add.1-2 A/63/98 A/63/99

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A/63/101 A/63/102 + Add.1 A/63/103 A/63/104 A/63/105 A/63/106 Symbol not used A/63/107 A/63/108 A/63/109 A/63/110 Symbol not issued A/63/111 A/63/112 + Add.1 A/63/113 A/63/114 + Add.1 A/63/115(Partl) + Add.1 A/63/115(PartII) A/63/116 + Add.1 A/63/117 + Add.1 A/63/118 + Corr.1 + Add.1 A/63/119 + Corr.1 + Add.1 A/63/120 + Add.1-3 A/63/121 A/63/121/Add.1 + Corr.1 A/63/122 A/63/123 A/63/124 A/63/125 A/63/126 A/63/127 A/63/128 A/63/129 A/63/130 A/63/131 A/63/132 A/63/133 A/63/134 A/63/135 A/63/136 + Add.1 A/63/137 A/63/138 A/63/139 A/63/140 + Add.1 A/63/141 A/63/142 A/63/143 A/63/144-149 Symbols not used A/63/150 + Corr.1 A/63/151 + Corr.1 + Add.1 A/63/152 + Add.1 A/63/153 A/63/154 A/63/155 A/63/156 A/63/157 A/63/158 + Add.1 A/63/159 A/63/160 A/63/161 A/63/162

#### **General series**

A/63/163 A/63/164 A/63/165 A/63/166 A/63/167 + Add.1 A/63/168 A/63/169 A/63/170 + Add.1 A/63/171 + Add.1 A/63/172 A/63/173 + Add.1 A/63/174 + Corr.1 A/63/175 A/63/176 A/63/177 A/63/178 A/63/179 A/63/180 A/63/181 A/63/182 A/63/183 A/63/184 A/63/185 A/63/186 (S/2008/502) A/63/187 + Add.1-2 (S/2008/503 + Add.1-2) A/63/188 (S/2008/504) A/63/189 A/63/190 A/63/191 A/63/192 A/63/193 A/63/194 + Add.1 A/63/195 A/63/196 A/63/197-199 Symbols not used A/63/200 A/63/201 A/63/202 A/63/203 A/63/204 A/63/205 A/63/206 A/63/207 A/63/208 A/63/209 (S/2008/514) A/63/210 (S/2008/515) A/63/211 A/63/212 A/63/213 A/63/214 + Corr.1 A/63/215 A/63/216 + Corr.1 A/63/217 A/63/218 + Corr.1 (S/2008/522 + Corr.1) A/63/219 A/63/220 A/63/221 A/63/222 A/63/223 A/63/224

#### **General series**

A/63/225 A/63/226 A/63/227 A/63/228 + Corr.1 (S/2008/531 + Corr.1) A/63/229 A/63/230 A/63/231 A/63/232 A/63/233 A/63/234 A/63/235 A/63/236 A/63/237 + Rev.1 A/63/238 A/63/239-249 Symbols not used A/63/250 + Corr.1 + Add.1-4 A/63/251 + Add.1-5 A/63/252 + Add.1-5 A/63/253 A/63/254 A/63/255 A/63/256 A/63/257 A/63/258 A/63/259 A/63/260 + Add.1 A/63/261 A/63/262 A/63/263 A/63/264 + Corr.1 A/63/265 + Corr.1 A/63/266 A/63/267 A/63/268 A/63/269 A/63/270 A/63/271 A/63/272 A/63/273 A/63/274 A/63/275 A/63/276 A/63/277 A/63/278 A/63/279 A/63/280 A/63/281 (S/2008/431) A/63/282 A/63/283 A/63/284 A/63/285 A/63/286 A/63/287 A/63/288 A/63/289 A/63/290 A/63/291 A/63/292 A/63/293 + Corr.1 A/63/294

#### **General series**

A/63/295 A/63/296 A/63/297 A/63/298 A/63/299 A/63/300 A/63/301 A/63/302(PartI) + Add.1-2 A/63/302(Partll) A/63/303 A/63/304 A/63/305 + Corr.1 A/63/306 A/63/307 A/63/308 A/63/309 A/63/310 + Add.1-3 A/63/311 A/63/312 + Add.1 A/63/313 A/63/314 A/63/315 A/63/316 A/63/317 A/63/318 A/63/319 A/63/320 A/63/321 A/63/322 A/63/323 A/63/324 A/63/325 A/63/326 A/63/327 + Add.1 A/63/328 A/63/329 + Add.1 A/63/330 A/63/331 A/63/332 A/63/333 A/63/334 A/63/335 A/63/336 A/63/337 A/63/338 A/63/339 A/63/340 A/63/341 A/63/342 A/63/343 A/63/344 A/63/345 A/63/346 + Corr.1 A/63/346/Add.1 + Corr.1 (E), Corr.2 A/63/346/Add.2 A/63/346/Add.3 + Corr.1 (R, S) A/63/346/Add.4-7 A/63/347 A/63/348 A/63/349

#### **General series**

A/63/350 A/63/351 A/63/352 + Add. 1 A/63/353 A/63/354 A/63/355 A/63/356 A/63/357 (S/2008/607) A/63/358 (S/2008/608) A/63/359 + Corr.1 (E) A/63/360 A/63/361 A/63/362 A/63/363 A/63/364 A/63/365 A/63/366 A/63/367 A/63/368 (S/2008/612) A/63/369 A/63/370 (S/2008/614) A/63/371 A/63/372 (S/2008/617) A/63/373 (S/2008/619) A/63/374 (S/2008/620) A/63/375 A/63/376 A/63/377 A/63/378 A/63/379 A/63/380 (S/2008/627) A/63/381 A/63/382 A/63/383 A/63/384 A/63/385 A/63/386 A/63/387 A/63/388 A/63/389 A/63/390 A/63/391 A/63/392 A/63/393 A/63/394 A/63/395 A/63/396 A/63/397 A/63/398 A/63/399 A/63/400 A/63/401 A/63/402 + Add.1 A/63/403 A/63/404 A/63/405 A/63/406 A/63/407 A/63/408 A/63/409

#### **General series**

A/63/410 A/63/411 A/63/412 + Add.1-4 A/63/413(PartI) + Corr.1 A/63/413(PartII) A/63/414 + Corr.1 + Add.1-7 A/63/415 A/63/416 + Add.1-5 A/63/417 + Add.1-2 A/63/418 + Add.1-2 A/63/419 A/63/420 A/63/421-422 Symbols not used A/63/423 A/63/424 A/63/425 A/63/426 A/63/427 A/63/428 A/63/429 A/63/430 + Add.1 A/63/430/Add.2 + Corr.1 A/63/430/Add.3 + Corr.1 A/63/430/Add.4-5 A/63/431 A/63/432 A/63/433 A/63/434 A/63/435 + Add.1 A/63/436 A/63/437 A/63/438 A/63/439 A/63/440 A/63/441 A/63/442 A/63/443 A/63/444 A/63/445 A/63/446 A/63/447 A/63/448 A/63/449 A/63/450 A/63/451 A/63/452 A/63/453 A/63/454 A/63/455 A/63/456 A/63/457 A/63/458 (S/2008/621) A/63/459 A/63/460 A/63/461 A/63/462 A/63/463 Symbol not used A/63/464 A/63/465

#### **General series**

A/63/466 A/63/467 (S/2008/636) A/63/468 A/63/469 Symbol not used A/63/470 A/63/471 A/63/472 + Add.1 A/63/473 A/63/474 A/63/475 A/63/476 Symbol not used A/63/477 A/63/478 + Corr.1 A/63/479 A/63/480 (S/2008/650) A/63/481 (S/2008/651) A/63/482 A/63/483 A/63/484 A/63/485 A/63/486 A/63/487 + Corr.1-2 A/63/488 A/63/489 + Add.1 A/63/490 A/63/491 A/63/492 A/63/493 A/63/494 A/63/495 A/63/496 A/63/497 (S/2008/668) A/63/498 A/63/499 A/63/500 A/63/501 A/63/502 (S/2008/669) A/63/503 A/63/504 A/63/505 A/63/506 A/63/507 (S/2008/675) A/63/508 (S/2008/674) A/63/509 A/63/510 A/63/511 A/63/512 (S/2008/677) A/63/513 A/63/514 + Add.1 A/63/515 A/63/516 (S/2008/683) A/63/517 A/63/518 A/63/519 A/63/520 A/63/521 A/63/522 (S/2008/691) A/63/523 A/63/524 A/63/525

#### **General series**

A/63/526 + Corr.1 A/63/527 A/63/528 A/63/529+ Add.1 A/63/530 A/63/531 A/63/532 A/63/533 (S/2008/698) A/63/534 (S/2008/699) A/63/535 A/63/536 A/63/537 A/63/538 (E/2009/4) A/63/539 A/63/540 A/63/541 + Add.1 A/63/542 A/63/543 + Corr.1 (S/2008/704 + Corr.1) A/63/544 A/63/545 A/63/546 + Corr.1 A/63/547 (S/2008/707) A/63/548 A/63/549 + Corr.1(E) A/63/550 A/63/551 A/63/552 (S/2008/718) A/63/553 A/63/554 (S/2008/719) A/63/555 A/63/556 A/63/557 (S/2008/721) A/63/558 A/63/559 A/63/560 A/63/561 (S/2008/727) A/63/562 A/63/563 A/63/564 A/63/565 A/63/566 (S/2008/731) A/63/567 A/63/568 A/63/569 A/63/570 A/63/571 (S/2008/735) A/63/572 (S/2008/736) A/63/573 A/63/574 (S/2008/741) A/63/575 (S/2008/742) A/63/576 (S/2008/746) A/63/577 (S/2008/747) A/63/578 (S/2008/749) A/63/579 (S/2008/750) A/63/580 A/63/581 A/63/582 A/63/583 A/63/584 A/63/585 (S/2008/759)

#### **General series**

A/63/586 (S/2008/758) A/63/587 A/63/588 + Corr.1 A/63/589 A/63/590 (S/2008/763) A/63/591 A/63/592 A/63/593 A/63/594 A/63/595 A/63/596 A/63/597 (S/2008/762) A/63/598 (E/2009/7) A/63/599 (S/2008/788) A/63/600 A/63/601 A/63/602 A/63/603 (S/2008/775) A/63/604 A/63/605 A/63/606 + Corr.1 A/63/607 A/63/608 A/63/609 A/63/610 A/63/611 A/63/612 A/63/613 A/63/614 A/63/615 + Add.1 A/63/616 A/63/617 A/63/618 A/63/619 A/63/620 A/63/621 A/63/622 A/63/623 A/63/624 A/63/625 A/63/626 A/63/627 A/63/628 A/63/629 A/63/630 A/63/631 A/63/632 A/63/633 A/63/634 A/63/635 A/63/636 A/63/637 + Add.1 A/63/638 + Add.1 A/63/639 + Add.1 A/63/640 A/63/641 A/63/642 A/63/643 A/63/644 A/63/645

#### **General series**

A/63/646 + Add.1-2 A/63/647 + Add.1 A/63/648 + Add.1-3 A/63/648/Add.4 + Corr.1 (A) A/63/648/Add.5-6 A/63/649 + Add.1-2 A/63/650 A/63/651 A/63/652 A/63/653 A/63/654 A/63/655 A/63/656 A/63/657 A/63/658 A/63/659 A/63/660 (S/2008/811) A/63/661 (S/2008/810) A/63/662 (S/2008/812) A/63/663 A/63/664 (S/2008/823) A/63/665 A/63/666 (S/2008/813) A/63/667 A/63/668 + Add.1 A/63/669 A/63/670 A/63/671 A/63/672 (S/2009/7) A/63/673 (S/2009/13) A/63/674 A/63/675 + Corr.1 A/63/676 A/63/677 A/63/678 A/63/679 (S/2009/36) A/63/680 A/63/681 A/63/682 (S/2009/41) A/63/683 (S/2009/42) A/63/684 A/63/685 (S/2009/43) A/63/686 + Corr. 1 (A) , Corr. 2 A/63/687 (S/2009/45) A/63/688 (S/2009/48) A/63/689 + Corr.1 A/63/690 A/63/691 (S/2009/50) A/63/692 (S/2009/51) A/63/693 A/63/694 A/63/695 (S/2009/53) A/63/696 A/63/697 A/63/698 + Add.1 A/63/699 A/63/700 + Add.1 A/63/701 + Add.1 A/63/702 + Corr.1 A/63/703

#### **General series**

A/63/704 A/63/705 (S/2009/73) A/63/706 (S/2009/74) A/63/707 (S/2009/75) A/63/708 (S/2009/76) A/63/709 A/63/710 + Add.1 A/63/711 (S/2009/81) A/63/712 (S/2009/82) A/63/713 A/63/714 A/63/715 A/63/716 A/63/717 A/63/718 (S/2009/95) A/63/719 A/63/720 A/63/721 (S/2009/97) A/63/722 A/63/723 A/63/724 A/63/725 + Add.1-6 A/63/726 A/63/727 A/63/728 A/63/729 A/63/730 (S/2009/103) A/63/731 A/63/732 (E/2009/8) A/63/733 A/63/734 A/63/735 A/63/736 A/63/737 A/63/738 (S/2009/110) A/63/739 (S/2009/114) A/63/740 A/63/741 A/63/742 (S/2009/115) A/63/743 A/63/744 A/63/745 A/63/746 + Add.1-17 A/63/747 A/63/748 (S/2009/123) A/63/749 (S/2009/126) A/63/750 (S/2009/127) A/63/751 (S/2009/135) A/63/752 A/63/753 Symbol not used A/63/754 A/63/755 A/63/756 A/63/757 A/63/758 A/63/759 A/63/760 A/63/761 A/63/762 (S/2009/141) A/63/763 (S/2009/142)

#### **General series**

A/63/764 A/63/765 A/63/766 A/63/767 + Corr.1 A/63/768 A/63/769 A/63/770 A/63/771 A/63/772 (S/2009/150) A/63/773 A/63/774 A/63/775 A/63/776 (S/2009/155) A/63/777 A/63/778 A/63/779 A/63/780 A/63/781 (S/2009/156) A/63/782 A/63/783 (S/2009/157) A/63/784 A/63/785 + Corr.1 (S/2009/158 + Corr.1) A/63/786 A/63/787 + Add.1 A/63/788 + Add.1 A/63/789 + Add.1 A/63/790 A/63/791 A/63/792 A/63/793 A/63/794 A/63/795 A/63/796 A/63/797 A/63/798 (S/2009/167) A/63/799 (S/2009/168) A/63/800 A/63/801 A/63/802 (S/2008/850) A/63/803 + Corr.1 (A,Ć,E,R,S) A/63/804 + Corr.1 (E) + Add.1 A/63/805 (S/2009/177) A/63/806 A/63/807 A/63/808 (S/2009/183) A/63/809 (S/2009/184) A/63/810 (S/2009/185) A/63/811 (S/2009/179) A/63/812 A/63/813 (S/2009/187) A/63/814 (S/2009/192) A/63/815 (S/2009/191) A/63/816 A/63/817 A/63/818 A/63/819 (S/2009/204) A/63/820 (S/2009/208) A/63/821 A/63/822

#### **General series**

A/63/823 A/63/824 + Corr.1 A/63/825 A/63/826 A/63/827 (S/2009/215) A/63/828 (S/2009/216) A/63/829 A/63/830 A/63/831 A/63/832 (S/2009/220) A/63/833 A/63/834 A/63/835 A/63/836 A/63/837 A/63/838 A/63/839 A/63/840 A/63/841 A/63/842 A/63/843 A/63/844 (S/2009/237) A/63/845 A/63/846 A/63/847 A/63/848 A/63/849 (S/2009/238) A/63/850 (S/2009/239) A/63/851 A/63/852 A/63/853 A/63/854 A/63/855 (S/2009/250) A/63/856 A/63/857 A/63/858 A/63/859 A/63/860 (S/2009/264) A/63/861 (S/2009/265) A/63/862 (S/2009/268) A/63/863 A/63/864 A/63/865 (S/2009/273) A/63/866 (S/2009/274) A/63/867 A/63/868 A/63/869 (S/2009/285) A/63/870 (S/2009/287) A/63/871 (S/2009/198) A/63/872 A/63/873 A/63/874 A/63/875 (S/2009/291) A/63/876 (S/2009/293) A/63/877 (S/2009/292) A/63/878 (S/2009/294) A/63/879 A/63/880 A/63/881 (S/2009/304) A/63/882 (S/2009/307)

#### **General series**

A/63/883 (S/2009/306) A/63/884 (S/2009/305) A/63/885 (S/2009/308) A/63/886 A/63/887 (S/2009/313) A/63/888 (S/2009/321) A/63/889 (S/2009/322) A/63/890 A/63/891 A/63/892 (S/2009/323) A/63/893 A/63/894 A/63/895 A/63/896 A/63/897 A/63/898 A/63/899 A/63/900 A/63/901 A/63/902 A/63/903 A/63/904 A/63/905 A/63/906 A/63/907 A/63/908 (S/2009/326) A/63/909 Symbol not used A/63/910 A/63/911 A/63/912 A/63/913 A/63/914 A/63/915 + Add.1 A/63/916 (S/2009/342) A/63/917 (S/2009/343) A/63/918 (S/2009/341) A/63/919 A/63/920 A/63/921 (S/2009/348) A/63/922 (S/2009/349) A/63/923 A/63/924 A/63/925 A/63/926 A/63/927 (S/2009/358) A/63/928 A/63/929 A/63/930 A/63/931 (S/2009/372) A/63/932 (S/2009/371) A/63/933 (S/2009/379) A/63/934 (S/2009/381) A/63/935 A/63/936 (S/2009/409) A/63/937 A/63/938 (S/2009/413) A/63/939 (S/2009/417) A/63/940 A/63/941 A/63/942

#### **General series**

A/63/943 (S/2009/414) A/63/944 (S/2009/415) A/63/945 A/63/946 A/63/947 A/63/948 (S/2009/428) A/63/949 (S/2009/429) A/63/950 A/63/951 A/63/952 (S/2009/433) A/63/953 A/63/954 A/63/955 (S/2009/441) A/63/956 A/63/957 A/63/958 A/63/959 A/63/960 A/63/961 (S/2009/452) A/63/962 (S/2009/451) A/63/963 (S/2009/457) A/63/964 (S/2009/458) A/63/965 A/63/966 A/63/967 (S/2009/515) A/63/968 (S/2009/516) A/63/969 (S/2009/517) A/63/970 (S/2009/518)

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A/INF/63/1 A/INF/63/2 A/INF/63/3 + Add.1 A/INF/63/4 + Rev.1-2 A/INF/63/5 A/INF/63/6

#### Limited series

A/63/L.1 A/63/L.2 A/63/L.3 A/63/L.4 A/63/L.5 + Add.1 A/63/L.6 + Add.1 A/63/L.7 + Add.1 A/63/L.8 A/63/L.8/Rev.1 + Add.1 A/63/L.9 + Add.1 A/63/L.10 + Add.1 A/63/L.11 A/63/L.12 + Add.1 A/63/L.13 + Add.1 A/63/L.14 + Add.1 A/63/L.15 + Add.1 A/63/L.16 + Add.1 A/63/L.17 + Add.1

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#### DISARMAMENT AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY COMMITTEE (FIRST COMMITTEE)

#### **General series**

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#### Limited series

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#### **General series**

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#### Limited series

#### Information series

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#### Limited series

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#### ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL COMMITTEE (SECOND COMMITTEE)

#### **General series**

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#### Information series

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#### Limited series

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#### Limited series

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#### Limited series

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#### SOCIAL, HUMANITARIAN AND CULTURAL COMMITTEE (THIRD COMMITTEE)

#### **General series**

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#### Information series

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#### Limited series

A/C.3/63/L.1 + Add.1 A/C.3/63/L.2 A/C.3/63/L.3 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.4 A/C.3/63/L.5 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.6 A/C.3/63/L.7 A/C.3/63/L.8 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.9 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.10 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.11 A/C.3/63/L.12 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.13 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.14 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.15 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.16 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.17 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.18 + Rev.1 A/C.3/63/L.19 + Rev.1

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A/C.5/63/8 + Corr.1 A/C.5/63/9	A/C.5/63/L.33 A/C.5/63/L.34
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A/C.5/63/11	A/C.5/63/L.35
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A/C.5/63/14	A/C.5/63/L.39
A/C.5/63/15	A/C.5/63/L.40
A/C.5/63/16	A/C.5/63/L.41
A/C.5/63/17	A/C.5/63/L.42
A/C.5/63/18	A/C.5/63/L.43
A/C.5/63/19	A/C.5/63/L.44
A/C.5/63/20	A/C.5/63/L.45
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#### LEGAL COMMITTEE (SIXTH COMMITTEE)

#### **General series**

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#### Limited series

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No. 3	A/63/3/Rev.1 Report of the Economic and Social Council for 2008 New York : UN, 2009. v, 149 p. : tables (GAOR, 63rd sess., Suppl. no. 3).
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United Nations Population Fund : financial report and audited financial statements for the biennium ended 31 December 2007 and report of the Board of Auditors. - New York : UN, 2008.

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17	Cooperation between the United Nations and the League of Arab States	42 / 10 Nov. 08	114n	without vote
18	The situation in Afghanistan	42 / 10 Nov. 08	17	without vote
19	The situation in Central America : progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development	43 / 10 Nov. 08	20	without vote
20	Special economic assistance for Yemen	45 / 11 Nov. 08	65b	without vote
21	Report of the International Criminal Court	45 / 11 Nov. 08	69	without vote
22	Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace	50 / 13 Nov. 08	45	without vote
23	Promoting development through the reduction and prevention of armed violence	51 / 17 Nov. 08	107	without vote
24	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Inter-Parliamentary Union	53 / 18 Nov. 08	114	without vote
25	Commemoration of the 60th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights	57 / 24 Nov. 08	64	without vote
26	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People	60 / 26 Nov. 08	16	107-8-57
27	Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	60 / 26 Nov. 08	16	106-8-57
28	Special information programme on the question of Palestine of the Department of Public Information of the Secretariat	60 / 26 Nov. 08	16	162-8-4

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29	Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine	60 / 26 Nov. 08	16	164-7-3
30	Jerusalem	60 / 26 Nov. 08	15	163-6-6
31	The Syrian Golan	60 / 26 Nov. 08	15	116-6-52
32	Protection of global climate for present and future generations	60 / 26 Nov. 08	49d	without vote
33	Global health and foreign policy	60 / 26 Nov. 08	44	without vote
34	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Caribbean Community	60 / 26 Nov. 08	114e	without vote
35	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations	60 / 26 Nov. 08	114c	without vote
36	Prohibition of the development and manufacture of new types of weapons of mass destruction and new systems of such weapons : report of the Conference on Disarmament	61 / 2 Dec. 08	82	175-1-1
37	Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security	61 / 2 Dec. 08	85	178-1-0
38	Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East	61 / 2 Dec. 08	86	without vote
39	Conclusion of effective international arrangements to assure non- nuclear-weapon States against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons	61 / 2 Dec. 08	87	122-1-58
40	Prevention of an arms race in outer space	61 / 2 Dec. 08	88	177-1-1
41	Decreasing the operational readiness of nuclear weapons systems	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89, 89v, 89q	141-3-34
42	Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89	163-0-18
43	Regional disarmament	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89t	without vote
44	Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89x	175-1-2
45	Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89y	without vote
46	Nuclear disarmament	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89v	117-45-19
47	Reducing nuclear danger	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89q	118-50-14
48	Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89k	without vote
49	Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89u	127-30-23
50	Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non- proliferation	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89m	126-5-50
51	Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89n	without vote
52	Relationship between disarmament and development	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89aa	without vote
53	Measures to uphold the authority of the 1925 Geneva Protocol	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89	174-0-4
54	Effects of the use of armaments and ammunitions containing depleted uranium	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89p	141-4-34
55	Missiles	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89b	120-10-50
56	Mongolia's international security and nuclear-weapon-free status	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89h	without vote
57	Information on confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89g	without vote
58	Towards a nuclear-weapon-free world : accelerating the implementation of nuclear disarmament commitments	61 / 2 Dec. 08	891	166-5-7
59	Compliance with non-proliferation, arms limitation and disarmament agreements and commitments	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89	158-0-18
60	Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89r	without vote
61	Problems arising from the accumulation of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89c	without vote

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62	Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89e	182-0-0
63	Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Central Asia	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89i	141-3-36
64	The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89, 89b	159-1-18
65	Nuclear-weapon-free southern hemisphere and adjacent areas	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89s	171-3-7
66	Assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and light	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89j	without vote
	weapons and collecting them		2	
67	Preventing and combating illicit brokering activities	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89, 89j	without vote
68	Transparency and confidence-building measures in outer space activities	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89w	180-1-1
69	Transparency in armaments	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89f	160-0-22
70	United Nations study on disarmament and non-proliferation education	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89d	without vote
71	Convention on Cluster Munitions	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89	without vote
72	The illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89z	181-1-0
73	Renewed determination towards the total elimination of nuclear weapons	61 / 2 Dec. 08	89	173-4-6
74	United Nations Regional Centre for Peace, Disarmament and	61 / 2 Dec. 08	90c	without vote
	Development in Latin America and the Caribbean			
75	Convention on the Prohibition of the Use of Nuclear Weapons	61 / 2 Dec. 08	90e	121-50-10
76	United Nations regional centres for peace and disarmament	61 / 2 Dec. 08	90d	without vote
77	United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia	61 / 2 Dec. 08	90f	without vote
	and the Pacific			
78	Regional confidence-building measures : activities of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in	61 / 2 Dec. 08	90g	without vote
70	Central Africa	61 / 2 Dec. 09	00-	with out wate
79	United Nations disarmament fellowship, training and advisory	61 / 2 Dec. 08	90a	without vote
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80	United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa	61 / 2 Dec. 08	90h	without vote
81	United Nations Disarmament Information Programme	61 / 2 Dec. 08	90b	without vote
82	Report of the Conference on Disarmament	61 / 2 Dec. 08	91b	without vote
83	Report of the Disarmament Commission	61 / 2 Dec. 08	91a	without vote
84	The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East	61 / 2 Dec. 08	92	169-5-6
85	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	61 / 2 Dec. 08	93	without vote
86	Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean	61 / 2 Dec. 08	94	without vote
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87	Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty	61 / 2 Dec. 08	95	175-1-3
88	Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and	61 / 2 Dec. 08	96	without vote
00	Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction	0172 000.00		without vote
89	Effects of atomic radiation	64 / 5 Dec. 08	27	without vote
90	International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space	64 / 5 Dec. 08	28	without vote
91	Assistance to Palestine refugees	64 / 5 Dec. 08	29	173-1-6
92	Persons displaced as a result of the June 1967 and subsequent hostilities	64 / 5 Dec. 08	29	172-6-2
93	Operations of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East	64 / 5 Dec. 08	29	172-6-1
94	Palestine refugees' properties and their revenues	64 / 5 Dec. 08	29	173-6-2
95	Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	64 / 5 Dec. 08	30	94-8-73
	affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories			
96	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	64 / 5 Dec. 08	30	173-6-1
07	other occupied Arab territories	GA / E Dag OD	20	171 6 0
97	Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the occupied Syrian Golan	64 / 5 Dec. 08	30	171-6-2

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98	Israeli practices affecting the human rights of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem	64 / 5 Dec. 08	30	165-8-4
99	The occupied Syrian Golan	64 / 5 Dec. 08	30	171-1-7
100[A]	Information in the service of humanity	64 / 5 Dec. 08	32	without vote
100A-B	Questions relating to information	64 / 5 Dec. 08	32	without vote
100[B]	United Nations public information policies and activities	64 / 5 Dec. 08	32	without vote
101	Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations	64 / 5 Dec. 08	33	177-0-4
102	Economic and other activities which affect the interests of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories	64 / 5 Dec. 08	34	179-2-2
103	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	64 / 5 Dec. 08	35	125-0-55
104	Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories	64 / 5 Dec. 08	36	without vote
105	Question of Western Sahara	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
106	Question of New Caledonia	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
107	Question of Tokelau	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[A]	General	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108A <i>-</i> 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	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B]	Individual territories	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-I]	American Samoa	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-II]	Anguilla	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-III]	Bermuda	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-IV]	British Virgin Islands	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-V]	Cayman Islands	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-VI]	Guam	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-VII]	Montserrat	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-VIII]	Pitcairn	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-IX]	Saint Helena	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-X]	Turks and Caicos Islands	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
108[B-XI]	United States Virgin Islands	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	without vote
109	Dissemination of information on decolonization	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	177-3-1
110	Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples	64 / 5 Dec. 08	37	177-3-1
111	Oceans and the law of the sea	64 / 5 Dec. 08	70a	155-1-4
112	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	64 / 5 Dec. 08	70b	without vote
113	International Decade for a Culture of Peace and Non-Violence for the Children of the World, 2001-2010	64 / 5 Dec. 08	45	without vote
114	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference	64 / 5 Dec. 08	114r	without vote
115	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons	64 / 5 Dec. 08	114o	without vote
116	Sixtieth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights	65 / 10 Dec. 08	64	without vote
117	Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights	66 / 10 Dec. 08	58	without vote
118	Nationality of natural persons in relation to the succession of States	67 / 11 Dec. 08	72	without vote
119	Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission	67 / 11 Dec. 08	73	without vote

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120	Reports of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its resumed 40th and its 41st sessions	67 / 11 Dec. 08	74	without vote
121	Legislative Guide on Secured Transactions of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law	67 / 11 Dec. 08	74	without vote
122	United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Carriage of Goods Wholly or Partly by Sea	67 / 11 Dec. 08	74	without vote
123	Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its 60th session	67 / 11 Dec. 08	75	without vote
124	The law of transboundary aquifers	67 / 11 Dec. 08	75	without vote
125	Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the Protection of Victims of Armed Conflicts	67 / 11 Dec. 08	76	without vote
126	Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives	67 / 11 Dec. 08	77	without vote
127	Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization	67 / 11 Dec. 08	78	without vote
128	The rule of law at the national and international levels	67 / 11 Dec. 08	79	without vote
129	Measures to eliminate international terrorism	67 / 11 Dec. 08	99	without vote
130	Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country	67 / 11 Dec. 08	150	without vote
131	Observer status for the South Centre in the General Assembly	67 / 11 Dec. 08	151	without vote
132	Observer status for the University for Peace in the General Assembly	67 / 11 Dec. 08	153	without vote
133	Observer status for the International Fund for Saving the Aral Sea in the General Assembly	67 / 11 Dec. 08	156	without vote
134	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	67 / 11 Dec. 08	11	without vote
135	Sport as a means to promote education, health, development and peace	68 / 11 Dec. 08	42	without vote
136	Humanitarian assistance and reconstruction of Liberia	68 / 11 Dec. 08	65b	without vote
137	Strengthening emergency relief, rehabilitation, reconstruction and prevention in the aftermath of the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster	68 / 11 Dec. 08	65a	without vote
138	Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel	68 / 11 Dec. 08	65	without vote
139	Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations	68 / 11 Dec. 08	65a	without vote
140	Assistance to the Palestinian people	68 / 11 Dec. 08	65c	without vote
141	International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development	68 / 11 Dec. 08	65a	without vote
142	Legal empowerment of the poor and eradication of poverty	68 / 11 Dec. 08	107	without vote
143	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Community of Portuguese-speaking Countries	68 / 11 Dec. 08	114f	without vote
144	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization	69 / 15 Dec. 08	114i	without vote
145	Election by the General Assembly of 7 members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission : term of office	70 / 18 Dec. 08	104b	without vote
146	Enlargement of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	70 / 18 Dec. 08	39	without vote
147	New international humanitarian order	70 / 18 Dec. 08	39	without vote
148	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	70 / 18 Dec. 08	39	without vote
149	Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa	70 / 18 Dec. 08	39	without vote
150	Realizing the Millennium Development Goals for persons with disabilities through the implementation of the World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons and the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	70 / 18 Dec. 08	55e	without vote
151	Follow-up to the 2nd World Assembly on Ageing	70 / 18 Dec. 08	55c	without vote
152	Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the 24th special session of the General	70 / 18 Dec. 08	55a	without vote

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153	Follow-up to the implementation of the International Year of Volunteers	70 / 18 Dec. 08	55b	without vote
154	United Nations Literacy Decade : Education for All	70 / 18 Dec. 08	55d	without vote
155	Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women	70 / 18 Dec. 08	56a	without vote
156	Trafficking in women and girls	70 / 18 Dec. 08	56a	without vote
157	Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women	70 / 18 Dec. 08	56a	without vote
158	Supporting efforts to end obstetric fistula	70 / 18 Dec. 08	56a	without vote
159	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	70 / 18 Dec. 08	56a	without vote
160	Report of the Human Rights Council	70 / 18 Dec. 08	58	121-7-58
161	Indigenous issues	70 / 18 Dec. 08	61a	without vote
162	Inadmissibility of certain practices that contribute to fuelling contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance	70 / 18 Dec. 08	62a	129-2-54
163	Universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination	70 / 18 Dec. 08	63	without vote
164	Use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination	70 / 18 Dec. 08	63	125-52-5
165	The right of the Palestinian people to self-determination	70 / 18 Dec. 08	63	173-5-7
166	Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64a	without vote
167	Equitable geographical distribution in the membership of the human rights treaty bodies	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64a, 64b	128-55-2
168	Moratorium on the use of the death penalty	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	106-46-34
169	The role of the Ombudsman, mediator and other national human rights institutions in the promotion and protection of human rights	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
170	Regional arrangements for the promotion and protection of human rights	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
171	Combating defamation of religions	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	86-53-42
172	National institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
173	International Year of Human Rights Learning	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
174	Effective promotion of the Declaration on the Rights of Persons Belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
175	Human rights and extreme poverty	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
176	Globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of all human rights	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	129-54-4
177	Subregional Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Central Africa	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
178 179	The right to development	70 / 18 Dec. 08 70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b 64b	182-4-2 132-54-0
180	Human rights and unilateral coercive measures Enhancement of international cooperation in the field of human rights	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
181	Elimination of all forms of intolerance and of discrimination based on	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
182	religion or belief	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	127-0-58
183	Extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions Missing persons	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
184	Protection of migrants	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
185	Protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
186	countering terrorism International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	without vote
	Enforced Disappearance			
187	The right to food	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	184-1-0
188	Respect for the right to universal freedom of travel and the vital importance of family reunification	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	121-4-60
189	Promotion of a democratic and equitable international order	70 / 18 Dec. 08	64b	124-55-7

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190	Situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea	71 / 18 Dec. 08	64c	94-22-63
191	Situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran	71 / 18 Dec. 08	64c	69-54-57
192	Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and the	71 / 18 Dec. 08	64e	without vote
	Optional Protocol thereto			
193	Preparations for the 12th United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice	71 / 18 Dec. 08	97	without vote
194	Improving the coordination of efforts against trafficking in persons	71 / 18 Dec. 08	97	without vote
195	Strengthening the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity	71 / 18 Dec. 08	97	without vote
196	United Nations African Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders	71 / 18 Dec. 08	97	without vote
197	International cooperation against the world drug problem	71 / 18 Dec. 08	98	without vote
198	Supporting the United Nations International School in enhancing international education and promoting multicultural interaction	71 / 18 Dec. 08	45	without vote
199	International Labour Organization Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization	72 / 19 Dec. 08	44	without vote
200	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Pacific Islands Forum	72 / 19 Dec. 08	114s	without vote
201	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	72 / 19 Dec. 08	38	164-8-5
202	Information and communication technologies for development	72 / 19 Dec. 08	46	without vote
203	International trade and development	72 / 19 Dec. 08	47a	without vote
204	Report of the 12th session of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development	72 / 19 Dec. 08	47a	without vote
205	International financial system and development	72 / 19 Dec. 08	47b	without vote
206	External debt and development : towards a durable solution to the debt problems of developing countries	72 / 19 Dec. 08	47c	without vote
207	Commodities	72 / 19 Dec. 08	47d	without vote
208	Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus	72 / 19 Dec. 08	48	without vote
209	International Year of Chemistry	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49	without vote
210	Reliable and stable transit of energy and its role in ensuring sustainable development and international cooperation	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49	without vote
211	Oil slick on Lebanese shores	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49	165-7-2
212	Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49a	without vote
213	Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49b	without vote
214	Towards the sustainable development of the Caribbean Sea for present and future generations	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49b	without vote
215	International cooperation to reduce the impact of the El Niño phenomenon	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49c	without vote
216	International Strategy for Disaster Reduction	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49c	without vote
217	Natural disasters and vulnerability	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49c	without vote
218	Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49e	without vote
219	Convention on Biological Diversity	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49f	without vote
220	Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its 10th special session	72 / 19 Dec. 08	49g	without vote
221	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)	72 / 19 Dec. 08	50	without vote

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222	Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence	72 / 19 Dec. 08	51a	without vote
223	Development cooperation with middle-income countries	72 / 19 Dec. 08	51a	without vote
224	Towards a New International Economic Order	72 / 19 Dec. 08	51a	123-1-52
225	International migration and development	72 / 19 Dec. 08	51b	without vote
226	Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of	72 / 19 Dec. 08	51d	without vote
220	illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption	727 19 Dec. 00	510	without vote
227	Implementation of the Brussels Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010	72 / 19 Dec. 08	52a	without vote
228	Groups of countries in special situations : specific actions related to the particular needs and problems of landlocked developing countries : outcome of the International Ministerial Conference of	72 / 19 Dec. 08	52b	without vote
	Landlocked and Transit Developing Countries and Donor Countries and International Financial and Development Institutions on Transit Transport Cooperation			
229	Role of microcredit and microfinance in the eradication of poverty	72 / 19 Dec. 08	53a	without vote
230	Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008- 2017)	72 / 19 Dec. 08	53a	without vote
231	Industrial development cooperation	72 / 19 Dec. 08	53b	without vote
232	Operational activities for development	72 / 19 Dec. 08	54	without vote
233	High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation	72 / 19 Dec. 08	54	without vote
234	2001-2010: Decade to Roll Back Malaria in Developing Countries, Particularly in Africa	73 / 22 Dec. 08	43	without vote
235	Agriculture development and food security	73 / 22 Dec. 08	107	without vote
236	Cooperation between the United Nations and the International Organization of la Francophonie	73 / 22 Dec. 08	114k	without vote
237	Recognition of sickle-cell an aemia as a public health problem	73 / 22 Dec. 08	155	without vote
238	Credentials of representatives to the 63rd session of the General Assembly	74 / 23 Dec. 08	3b	without vote
239	Doha Declaration on Financing for Development : outcome document of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus	74 / 24 Dec. 08	48	without vote
240	Towards an arms trade treaty : establishing common international standards for the import, export and transfer of conventional arms	74 / 24 Dec. 08	89f	133-1-19
241	Rights of the child	74 / 24 Dec. 08	60a	159-1-0
242	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 / 23 Dec. 08	62b	109-13-35
243	International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination	74 / 23 Dec. 08	62a	without vote
244	Committee on the Rights of the Child	74 / 23 Dec. 08	64b, 60a	without vote
245	Situation of human rights in Myanmar	74 / 24 Dec. 08	64c	80-25-45
246A	Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors	74 / 24 Dec. 08	116	without vote
246B	Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors	93 / 30 June 09	116	without vote
247	Programme planning	74 / 23 Dec. 08	119	without vote
248	Pattern of conferences	74 / 24 Dec. 08	121	without vote
249	Unpaid assessed contributions of the former Yugoslavia	74 / 24 Dec. 08	122	without vote
250	Human resources management	74 / 24 Dec. 08	123	without vote
251	United Nations common system : report of the International Civil	74 / 24 Dec. 08	125	without vote
	Service Commission		-	

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252 253 254	United Nations Pension System Administration of justice at the United Nations 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	74 / 24 Dec. 08 74 / 24 Dec. 08 74 / 24 Dec. 08	126 129 130	without vote without vote without vote
255	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	74 / 24 Dec. 08	131	without vote
256	Comprehensive proposal on appropriate incentives to retain staff of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia	74 / 24 Dec. 08	130, 131	without vote
257A	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea	74 / 24 Dec. 08	139	without vote
257B	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea	93 / 30 June 09	139	without vote
258A	Financing of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur	74 / 24 Dec. 08	148	without vote
258B	Financing of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur	93 / 30 June 09	148	without vote
259	Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials : members of the International Court of Justice and judges and ad litem judges of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda	74 / 24 Dec. 08	118	without vote
260	Development-related activities	74 / 24 Dec. 08	118	without vote
261	Strengthening of the Department of Political Affairs	74 / 24 Dec. 08	118	without vote
262	Information and communications technology, enterprise resource planning, and security, disaster recovery and business continuity	74 / 24 Dec. 08	118	without vote
263	Questions relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008- 2009	74 / 24 Dec. 08	118	without vote
264[A]	Revised budget appropriations for the biennium 2008-2009	74 / 24 Dec. 08	118	without vote
264A-C	Programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009	74 / 24 Dec. 08	118	without vote
264[B]	Revised income estimates for the biennium 2008-2009	74 / 24 Dec. 08	118	without vote
264[C]	Financing of appropriations for the year 2009	74 / 24 Dec. 08	118	without vote
265	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on its activities	74 / 24 Dec. 08	128 117	without vote
266	Proposed programme budget outline for the biennium 2010-2011	74 / 24 Dec. 08	117	without vote
267	New Partnership for Africa's Development : progress in implementation and international support	78 / 31 Mar. 09	57a	without vote
268	Special subjects relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2008-2009	79 / 7 Apr. 09	118	without vote
269	Information and communications technology, disaster recovery and business continuity for the United Nations : arrangements for the secondary data centre at Headquarters	79 / 7 Apr. 09	118	without vote
270	Capital master plan	79 / 7 Apr. 09	118	without vote
271	Amendments to the Staff Regulations	79 / 7 Apr. 09	123	without vote
272	Report of the Joint Inspection Unit for 2008 and programme of work for 2009	79 / 7 Apr. 09	124	without vote
273A	Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan	79 / 7 Apr. 09	146	without vote
273B	Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan	93 / 30 June 09	146	without vote
274A	Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad	79 / 7 Apr. 09	149	without vote
274B	Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad	93 / 30 June 09	149	without vote
275A	Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009)	79 / 7 Apr. 09	157	without vote

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275B	Financing of activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009)	93 / 30 June 09	157	without vote
276	Accountability framework, enterprise risk management and internal control framework, and results-based management framework	79 / 7 Apr. 09	117	without vote
277	Organization of a United Nations conference at the highest level on the world financial and economic crisis and its impact on development	79 / 7 Apr. 09	48	without vote
278	International Mother Earth Day	80 / 22 Apr. 09	49d	without vote
279	International cooperation and coordination for the human and ecological rehabilitation and economic development of the Semipalatinsk region of Kazakhstan	81 / 24 Apr. 09	65b	without vote
280	Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects	82 / 8 May 09	31	without vote
281	Climate change and its possible security implications	85 / 3 June 09	107	without vote
282	The Peacebuilding Fund	90 / 17 June 09	101	without vote
283	Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council	93 / 30 June 09	118	without vote
284	Timely submission of documents	93 / 30 June 09	121	without vote
285	Rates of reimbursement to troop-contributing countries	93 / 30 June 09	132	without vote
286	Financing of the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy	93 / 30 June 09	132	without vote
287	Support account for peacekeeping operations	93 / 30 June 09	132	without vote
288	Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi	93 / 30 June 09	133	without vote
289	Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire	93 / 30 June 09	134	without vote
290	Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus	93 / 30 June 09	135	without vote
291	Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo	93 / 30 June 09	136	without vote
292	Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste	93 / 30 June 09	138	without vote
293	Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia	93 / 30 June 09	140	without vote
294	Financing of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti	93 / 30 June 09	141	without vote
295	Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo	93 / 30 June 09	142	without vote
296	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Liberia	93 / 30 June 09	143	without vote
297	Financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force	93 / 30 June 09	144a	without vote
298	Financing of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon	93 / 30 June 09	144b	134-2-0
299	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone	93 / 30 June 09	145	without vote
300	Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara	93 / 30 June 09	147	without vote
301	Situation in Honduras : democracy breakdown	93 / 30 June 09	20	without vote
302	2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly	95 / 9 July 09	44, 107	without vote
303	Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and its Impact on Development	95 / 9 July 09	48	without vote
304	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	97 / 23 July 09	57b	without vote
305	Establishment of an Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group of the General Assembly to Follow up on the Issues Contained in the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and its Impact on Development	102 / 31 July 09	48	without vote
306	Multilingualism	104 / 9 Sept. 09	113	without vote
307	Status of internally displaced persons and refugees from Abkhazia, Georgia and the Tskhinvali region/South Ossetia, Georgia	104 / 9 Sept. 09	13	48-19-78
308	The responsibility to protect	105 / 14 Sept. 09	44, 107	without vote
309	Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly	105 / 14 Sept. 09	110	without vote
310	Cooperation between the United Nations and the African Union	105 / 14 Sept. 09	114a	without vote
311	System-wide coherence	105 / 14 Sept. 09	107	without vote

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<b>A</b> .	Elections and appointments		<u>(A/03/PV.)</u>	
63/401	Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee	3a	1 / 16 Sept. 08	Plenary
63/402	Judges of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed on the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991	154	23 / 9 Oct. 08 56 / 20 Nov. 08	Plenary
63/403	Election of five non-permanent members of the Security Council	103a	28 / 17 Oct. 08	Plenary
63/404	Election of eighteen members of the Economic and Social Council	103b	30 / 22 Oct. 08	Plenary
63/405	Appointment of members of the Committee on Conferences			Plenary
A		105g 105g	32 / 27 Oct. 08 75 / 20 Feb. 09	Plenary
B 63/406	Election of five members of the International Court of Justice	103c	39 / 6 Nov. 08	Plenary
63/407	Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions	105a 56 / 20 Nov. 08	40 / 6 Nov. 08 56 / 20 Nov. 08	V
63/408	Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions			V
А		105b	56 / 20 Nov. 08	V
В		105b	84 / 26 May 09	
63/409	Confirmation of the appointment of members of the Investments Committee	105c	56 / 20 Nov. 08	V
63/410	Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission	105e	56 / 20 Nov. 08	V
63/411	Appointment of members and alternate members of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee	105f	56 / 20 Nov. 08	V
63/412	Appointment of members of the Committee on Information	32	64 / 5 Dec. 08	IV
63/413	Appointment of members 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	37	64 / 5 Dec. 08	IV
63/414	Election of twenty members of the Committee for Programme and			Plenary
А	Coordination	104a	73 / 22 Dec. 08	
В		104a	87 / 10 Jun. 09	
63/415	Election of seven members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission	104b	73 / 22 Dec. 08	Plenary
63/416	Appointment of a member of the Joint Inspection Unit	105h	75 / 20 Feb. 09	Plenary
63/417	Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal			Plenary
А	Decision	105k	76 / 2 Mar. 09	
В		105k	78 / 31 Mar. 09	Plenary

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63/418	Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal	1051	77 / 2 Mar. 09	Plenary
63/419	Confirmation of the appointment of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme	105i	78 / 31 Mar. 09	Plenary
63/420	Election of eighteen members of the Human Rights Council	104c	83 / 12 May 09	Plenary
63/421	Election of the President of the General Assembly at its sixty-fourth session	4	86 / 10 Jun. 09	Plenary
63/422	Election of the Chairmen of the Main Committees of the General Assembly at its sixty-fourth session	5	87 / 10 Jun. 09	Plenary
63/423	Election of the Vice-Presidents of the General Assembly at its sixty-fourth session	6	87 / 10 Jun. 09	Plenary
63/424	Confirmation of the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development	105j	94 / 6 Jul. 09	Plenary
63/425	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	159	104 / 9 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/426	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	160	104 / 9 Sept. 09	Plenary
В.	Other decisions			
63/501	Meetings of subsidiary organs during the main part of the Sixty-third session	7	1 / 16 Sept. 08	Plenary
63/502	Organization of the sixty-third session	7	2 / 19 Sept. 08 61 / 2 Dec. 08 69 / 15 Dec. 08 73 / 15 Dec. 08	Plenary
63/503 A	Adoption of the agenda and allocation of agenda items	7	2 / 19 Sept. 08 20 / 6 Oct. 08 34 / 30 Oct. 08 74 / 23 Dec. 08	Plenary
В		7	75 / 20 Feb. 09 80 / 22 Apr. 09 81 / 24 Apr. 09 84 / 26 May 09 91 / 29 Jun. 09 100 / 28 Jul. 09 103 / 11 Aug. 09 105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/504	Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization	100	21 / 6 Oct. 08	Plenary
63/505	Report 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	67	24 / 13 Oct. 08	Plenary

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63/506	Report 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	68	24 / 13 Oct. 08	Plenary
63/507	Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations	109	32 / 27 Oct. 08	Plenary
63/508	Report of the International Court of Justice	66	34 / 30 Oct. 08	Plenary
63/509	Arrangements and organization of work of the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008)	48	53 / 18 Nov. 08	II
63/510	Provisional rules of procedure for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008)	48	53 / 18 Nov. 08	II
63/511	Provisional agenda for the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008)	48	53 / 18 Nov. 08	II
63/512	Accreditation of intergovernmental organizations to the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008)	48	53 / 18 Nov. 08	II
63/513	Accreditation of non-governmental organizations to the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus (Doha, 29 November-2 December 2008)	48	53 / 18 Nov. 08	II
63/514	Notification by the Secretary-General under Article 12, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations	102	53 / 18 Nov. 08	Plenary
63/515	Report of the Security Council	9	56 / 20 Nov. 08	Plenary
63/516	Reduction of military budgets	81	61 / 2 Dec. 08	I
63/517	Maintenance of international security — good-neighbourliness, stability and development in South-Eastern Europe	83	61 / 2 Dec. 08	I
63/518	Role of science and technology in the context of international security and disarmament	84	61 / 2 Dec. 08	I
63/519	Convening of the fourth special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament	890	61 / 2 Dec. 08	I
63/520	United Nations conference to identify appropriate ways of eliminating nuclear dangers in the context of nuclear disarmament	89bb	61 / 2 Dec. 08	I
63/521	Proposed programme of work and timetable of the First Committee for 2009	110	61 / 2 Dec. 08	I
63/522	Programme planning (First Committee)	119	61 / 2 Dec. 08	I
63/523	Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects	31	64 / 5 Dec. 08	IV
63/524	Increase in the membership of the Committee on Information	32	64 / 5 Dec. 08	IV
63/525	Question of Gibraltar	37	64 / 5 Dec. 08	IV

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63/526	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	37	64 / 5 Dec. 08	IV
63/527	Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly	110	64 / 5 Dec. 08	IV
63/528	Programme planning (Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee))	119	64 / 5 Dec. 08	IV
63/529	Provisional programme of work	110	67 / 11 Dec. 08	VI
63/530	Programme planning (Sixth Committee)	119	67 / 11 Dec. 08	VI
63/531	Administration of justice at the United Nations	129	67 / 11 Dec. 08	VI
63/532	Documents considered by the General Assembly in connection with the promotion and protection of the rights of children	60a	70 / 18 Dec. 08	111
63/533	Status of the United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations	61	70 / 18 Dec. 08	111
63/534	Reports considered by the General Assembly in connection with the promotion and protection of human rights	64	70 / 18 Dec. 08	111
63/535	Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action	64d	71 / 18 Dec. 08	Ш
63/536	Documents considered by the General Assembly in connection with the question of crime prevention and criminal justice	97	71 / 18 Dec. 08	Ш
63/537	Programme of work of the Third Committee for the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly	110	71 / 18 Dec. 08	Ш
63/538	Programme planning (Third Committee)	119	71 / 18 Dec. 08	Ш
63/539	Macroeconomic policy questions	47	72 / 19 Dec. 08	Ш
63/540	Globalization and interdependence	51	72 / 19 Dec. 08	П
63/541	Culture and development	51c	72 / 19 Dec. 08	П
63/542	Report of the Secretary-General on the integration of the economies in transition into the world economy	51e	72 / 19 Dec. 08	II
63/543	Groups of countries in special situations	52	72 / 19 Dec. 08	Ш
63/544	Eradication of poverty and other development issues	53	72 / 19 Dec. 08	II
63/545	Programme of work of the Second Committee for the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly	110	72 / 19 Dec. 08	II
63/546	Programme planning (Second Committee)	119	72 / 19 Dec. 08	П
63/547	Budgetary and financial situation of the organizations of the United Nations system	127	74 / 24 Dec. 08	V
63/548	United Nations Fund for International Partnerships	118	74 / 24 Dec. 08	V
63/549	Rental of Office Space in the Secretariat by the Group of 77 and China	118	74 / 24 Dec. 08	V

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63/550 A	Questions deferred for future consideration	117	74 / 24 Dec. 08	V
В		117	79 / 7 Apr. 09	V
С		117	93 / 30 Jun. 09	V
63/551	Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kos ovo is in accordance with international law	71, 118	75 / 24 Dec. 08	V
63/552	Agenda items remaining for consideration by the General Assembly at its sixty-third session	7	74 / 24 Dec. 08	Plenary
63/553	General debate of the sixty-fourth regular session of the General Assembly	7	75 / 20 Feb. 09	Plenary
63/554	Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea	139	79 / 7 Apr. 09	V
63/555	Arrangements and organization of work of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development (New York, 1-3 June 2009)	48	82 / 8 May 09	Plenary
63/556	New dates of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development	48	84 / 26 May 09	Plenary
63/557	Closed peacekeeping missions	132	93 / 30 Jun. 09	V
63/558	Commemoration of the sixtieth anniversary of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East	29	103 / 11 Aug. 09	Plenary
63/559	Question of the Comorian island of Mayotte	7	104 / 9 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/560	Implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declaration on HIV/AIDS	41	104 / 9 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/561	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 (agenda item)	159	104 / 9 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/562	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 (agenda item)	160	104 / 9 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/563	Prevention of armed conflict	12	105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/564	High-Level Dialogue of the General Assembly on Financing	48	105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary
	for Development			
63/565	Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters			Plenary
A B		111 111	105 / 14 Sept. 09 105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary

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63/566	Follow-up to the recommendations on administrative management and internal oversight of the Independent Inquiry Committee into the United Nations Oil-for-Food Programme	115	105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/567	Financing of the United Nations Mission in East Timor	137	105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/568	The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction	158	105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/569	The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan	18	105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/570	Request for an advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on whether the unilateral declaration of independence of Kosovo is in accordance with international law	71	105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary
63/571	Report of the Secretary-General on peacebuilding in the immediate aftermath of conflict	107	105 / 14 Sept. 09	Plenary

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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
Ν	voted	NO
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The chart does not indicate corrections subsequently submitted. For this information consult the verbatim records of the plenary meetings.

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New Zealand	Y	Y	Y	N	N	A	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Togo		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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Maldives	N Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y	Sierra Leone A Y Y Y A Y Y A A
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Micronesia (Fed States)	Y N N Y N Y Y A N Y Y N Y	SouthAinda fffffffffffan fff
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Monaco	Y N N Y N Y Y A N Y Y Y A	Silaina NYYYAYYNNYY
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Myanmar	N Y Y Y A Y Y N N Y Y Y	Syrian Arab Republic N Y Y Y A Y Y N N Y Y
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Nauru	YAY YY YYNN	Thailand NYYYYYAYAA YYY
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Netherlands	Y N N Y N Y Y A N Y Y Y A	Timor-Leste Y A A Y Y Y Y A Y Y Y Y
New Zealand	Y NYNYYANYYYA	Togo AYYYYYYYY YYYYY
Nicaragua	Y Y Y Y Y Y Y Y A N Y Y Y	Tonga NAYYYYAY AY
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Nigeria	N Y Y Y A Y Y A A Y Y Y	
Norway	Y N N Y N Y Y A N Y Y Y A	Turkey YYNYNAYANY YYA
Oman	AYYYAYYNNYYY	Turkmenistan YYYYYYYANY
Pakistan	N Y Y Y A Y Y A N Y Y	Tuvalu YAYYAYYY YYA
Palau	ΥΝΝΝΑΥΝΝΥΥΝΝΑ	Uganda NYYYA YYAAYYY
Panama	ΥΑΥΥΥΥΥΥΥΥΥΥ	Ukraine Y N N N N Y Y A N Y Y Y A
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Poland	YNNYNYYANYYYA	Uruguay YAYYYYYYAYY
Portugal	YNNYNYYANYYYA	Uzbekistan YYYYYYYYNNYYY
Qatar	NYYYAYYANYY	Vanuatu YAYYYAAYYAYY
Republic of Korea	A N N Y N Y Y A N Y A Y Y A	Venezuela (Bolivarian YYYYYYYYYY NNYYY
Romania	YNNYNYYANYYYA	Republic of)
Russian Federation	YYYYAYYNNYYY	Viet Nam AYYYYAYYN NYYY
Rwanda	YAYYAYYAAYYY	Yemen NYYYAYYANYY
St. Kitts and Nevis	N YY Y Y A A	Zambia AAYYYAYYAAYYY
St. Lucia	ΝΑΥΥΥΑΥΥΥΥΥΥΥ	Zimbabwe NYYYAYYNNYY
St. Vincent & Grenadines	NYYYAYYAAYYY	
Samoa	YNYYYYANYYYY	
San Marino	Y N N Y N Y Y A N Y Y Y A	

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Afghanistan	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Albania	Ý	Ý	Å	Ý	Ý	Y
Algeria	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Andorra					Y	Y
Angola	Υ	Υ	Υ	А		
Antigua and Barbuda	Υ	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	A
Argentina	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	А
Armenia	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	Υ	Ν
Australia	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Y
Austria	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	Υ	Y
Azerbaijan	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν		Y
Bahamas						A
Bahrain	А	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	A
Bangladesh	Υ	Υ	Y	Ν	Υ	А
Barbados	Y	Υ	Y	А		А
Belarus	А	Y	Y	Ν	Υ	Ν
Belgium	Y	Y	А	Y	Υ	Y
Belize						
Benin		Y	Y		Υ	А
Bhutan						
Bolivia	Y	Y	Y	Α		N
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Botswana	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Brazil	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Brunei Darussalam	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	A Y
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Canada	Ý	Ý	Ň	Ŷ	Ý	Ŷ
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Central African Republic						
Chad						
Chile	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	А
China	Å	Ŷ	Ŷ	Ň	Ý	A
Colombia	Y	Ŷ	Ŷ	A		A
Comoros	-		-			
Congo	Υ	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	А
Costa Rica	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	A
Côte d'Ivoire	Υ	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	
Croatia	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	Υ	Y
Cuba	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Cyprus	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	Υ	А
Czech Republic	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Y
Dem People's Rep of Korea		Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Dem Republic of the Congo			_		_	
Denmark	Υ	Y	Ν	Y	Y	Y
Djibouti	Y	Y	Y		Y	А

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Dominica						Α
Dominican Republic	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	A
Ecuador	Ŷ	Ý	Ý	Å	Ŷ	N
Egypt	Ă	Ý	Ŷ	N	Ŷ	A
El Salvador		•			Ŷ	A
Equatorial Guinea					Ý	
Eritrea	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Estonia	Ý	Ý	Å	Ý	Ý	Y
Ethiopia	Y	Υ	Y	А		Ν
Fiji						А
Finland	Y	Υ	А	Υ	Υ	Y
France	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ	Υ	Y
Gabon		Υ			Υ	А
Gambia	Y	Υ	Υ	А		
Georgia	Y	Υ	А	Υ	Υ	Y
Germany	Y	Υ	А	Y	Υ	Y
Ghana	Y	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	А
Greece	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ	Υ	Y
Grenada	Y	Υ	Υ	А		
Guatemala	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	А
Guinea					Υ	
Guinea-Bissau		Υ	Υ	А		
Guyana					Υ	А
Haiti					Υ	
Honduras	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ		
Hungary	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	Υ	Υ
Iceland	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Y
India	Α	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Indonesia	Υ	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	А
Iran (Islamic Republic)	Α	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Iraq	Α	Υ	Υ	Y	Υ	
Ireland	Y	Y	А	Y	Y	Y
Israel	А	Y	Ν	Y	Ν	А
Italy	Y	Υ	А	Y	Y	Y
Jamaica	Y	Y	Υ	А	Y	А
Japan	Y	Y	А	Y	Y	Y
Jordan	Y	Y	Υ	А	Y	А
Kazakhstan	Y	Y	Υ	Y	Y	А
Kenya	Y	Y	Y	А	Y	А
Kiribati						_
Kuwait	Α	Y	Y	A	Y	Α
Kyrgyzstan	Y	Y	Y	А	Y	А
Lao People's Dem Republic		Y	Y	Ν	Y	N
Latvia	Y	Y	Α	Y	Y	Y
Lebanon	Y	Y	Y	Y		А
Lesotho	Y	Y	Y	А	۰.	
Liberia					Y	
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	A	Y	Y	N	Y	A
Liechtenstein	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

			242		298	
Lithuania	Y	Y	Α	Y	Y	Y
Luxembourg	Ý	Ý	Â	Ý	Ý	Y
Madagascar	Ý	Ý	Ŷ		•	
Malawi	Ý	Ý	Ŷ	А		
Malaysia	Ý	Ý	Ý	Ň	Y	А
Maldives	Ý	Ý	Ý	Y	Ŷ	
Mali	Ŷ	Ý	Ŷ	A	Ŷ	
Malta	Ý	Ý	Å	Y	Ŷ	Y
Marshall Islands	Ý	Ý	N	Ý		-
Mauritania	Ý	Ý	Y	Å	Y	
Mauritius	Ý	Ý	Ý	Y	Ý	А
Mexico	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	А
Micronesia (Fed States)	Y	Υ		Y		
Republic of Moldova	Ý	Ý	А	Ŷ	Y	А
Monaco	Ý	Ý	A	Ý	Ý	Y
Mongolia	Ý	Ý	Y	Ŷ	Ŷ	A
Montenegro	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	Υ	Y
Morocco	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	А
Mozambique	Y	Υ	Y	А		
Myanmar	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Namibia	Υ	Υ	Υ	А		А
Nauru	Υ	Υ		Υ		
Nepal	Υ	Υ	Υ	А		А
Netherlands	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Y
New Zealand	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ
Nicaragua	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Niger	Υ	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	
Nigeria	Υ	Υ	Υ		Υ	А
Norway	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ
Oman	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	A
Pakistan	А	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	A
Palau	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ		
Panama	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	A
Papua New Guinea						A
Paraguay	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	A
Peru	Y	Υ	Y	Υ	Y	A
Philippines	Υ	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	A
Poland	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Y
Portugal	Y	Υ	А	Υ	Y	Y
Qatar	А	Y	Υ	А	Υ	А
Republic of Korea	Y	Y	Α	Y	Y	A
Romania	Y	Y	Ν	Υ	Y	Y
Russian Federation	А	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Rwanda						А
St. Kitts and Nevis						
St. Lucia					Υ	Y
St. Vincent & Grenadines					Y	
Samoa	Y	Y	Y	Y		A
San Marino	Y	Y	А	Y	Y	Y

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Sao Tome and Principe						
Saudi Arabia	A	Y	Y	А	Y	A
Senegal	Y	Y	Y		Y	Α
Serbia	Y	Y	А		Y	А
Seychelles						
Sierra Leone						_
Singapore	Y	Y	Y	Α	Y	A
Slovakia	Y	Y	A	Y	Y	Y
Slovenia	Y	Y	A	-	Y	Y
Solomon Islands	Y	Y	Y	А	Y	
Somalia	v	v	v		v	•
South Africa	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	A
Spain	Y	Y		Y	~	Y
Sri Lanka	Y	Y Y	Y	N	Y	Ν
Sudan	А	Ŷ	Y	Ν		•
Suriname	v	v	v	^		A
Swaziland Sweden	Y Y	Y Y	Y A	A Y	Y	A Y
	r Y			Y		•
Switzerland	Y A	Y Y	Y Y	Y N	Y Y	A N
Syrian Arab Republic	A Y	Y	r Y	A	Y	IN
Tajikistan Thailand	Y	Y	Y	A	Y	А
Thailand The FYR Macedonia	Y	Y	ř A	Y	ř	A Y
Timor-Leste	Y	Y	Y	Y		A
Togo	Ý	Ý	Ý	Ý	Y	A
Tonga	'			'		~
Trinidad and Tobago	Y	Y	Y	А		А
Tunisia	Ŷ	Ý	Ŷ		Y	A
Turkey	Ý	Ý	Ý	Y	•	A
Turkmenistan				•		
Tuvalu						
Uganda	Y	Y	Υ			Y
Ukraine	Ý	Ý	Å	Y	Y	Ý
United Arab Emirates	А	Y	Y	А		А
United Kingdom	Y	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ
United Rep of Tanzania	Y	Υ	Υ	А		А
United States	Ν	Ν	Ν	Y	Ν	Y
Uruguay	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	А
Uzbekistan		Υ	Υ	Ν		А
Vanuatu						Υ
Venezuela (Bolivarian	Α	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Republic of)						
Viet Nam		Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν
Yemen	Α	Υ	Υ	Α	Υ	Α
Zambia	Y	Υ	Υ	А	Υ	Α
Zimbabwe	Y	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν

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