

2. Decisions adopted on the reports of the Fifth Committee

58/564. Questions deferred for future consideration

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At its 83rd plenary meeting, on 8 April 2004, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee,²⁷ decided to defer until its fifty-ninth session consideration of the following agenda items and related documents:

Item 119: Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on strengthening the investigation functions in the United Nations²⁸

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the recommendations of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the Investment Management Service of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund²⁹

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations system common services at Geneva³⁰

Item 127: Human resources management

Report of the Secretary-General on the composition of the Secretariat³¹

Report of the Secretary-General on the list of staff of the United Nations Secretariat³²

Report of the Secretary-General on amendments to the Staff Rules³³

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on possible discrimination due to nationality, race, sex, religion and language in recruitment, promotion and placement³⁴

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the comments of the Joint Inspection Unit on the report of the Office of

Internal Oversight Services on possible discrimination due to nationality, race, sex, religion and language in recruitment, promotion and placement³⁵

Item 130: Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 2002 to 30 June 2003³⁶

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of the functioning of the Headquarters Committee on Contracts³⁷

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the review of the structure and operations of United Nations information centres³⁸

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At its 91st plenary meeting, on 18 June 2004, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee,³⁹ decided to defer until its fifty-ninth session consideration of the following agenda items and related documents:

Item 121: Programme budget for the biennium 2004–2005

Report of the Secretary-General on the status of possible funding arrangements for the capital master plan⁴⁰

Item 134: Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations

Report of the Secretary-General on the updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions as at 30 June 2003⁴¹

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the updated financial position of closed peacekeeping missions⁴²

²⁶ Consequently, decision 58/564, in section B.6 of the *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-eighth Session, Supplement No. 49 (A/58/49)*, vol. II, becomes decision 58/564 A.

²⁷ A/58/571/Add.2, para.7.

²⁸ A/58/708.

²⁹ A/58/725.

³⁰ A/58/439.

³¹ A/58/666.

³² A/C.5/58/L.13.

³³ A/58/283.

³⁴ A/56/956.

³⁵ A/56/956/Add.1.

³⁶ A/58/364.

³⁷ A/58/294.

³⁸ A/57/747 and Corr.1.

³⁹ A/58/571/Add.3, para. 6.

⁴⁰ A/58/729.

⁴¹ A/58/778.

⁴² A/58/799.

IV. Decisions

Report of the Secretary-General on the Peacekeeping Reserve Fund⁴³

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the Peacekeeping Reserve Fund⁴⁴

Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the procurement of goods and services through letters of assist.⁴⁵

58/566. Capital master plan

At its 83rd plenary meeting, on 8 April 2004, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee.⁴⁶

(a) Decided to postpone consideration of the issue of financing the capital master plan to the second part of its resumed fifty-eighth session, and requested the Secretary-General to update section IV, entitled “Sources of funding, financing options and commercial borrowing”, of his report on the capital master plan dated 28 June 2000⁴⁷ and to update his report on the status of possible funding arrangements for the capital master plan;⁴⁰

(b) Requested the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly during the second part of its resumed fifty-eighth session all the outstanding reports requested in its resolution 57/292 of 20 December 2002.

58/567. Participation of United Nations Volunteers in peacekeeping operations

At its 83rd plenary meeting, on 8 April 2004, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee,⁴⁸ decided to defer until its fifty-ninth session consideration of the report of the Secretary-General on the participation of United Nations Volunteers in peacekeeping operations⁴⁹ and the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions thereon.⁵⁰

58/568. Special measures for protection from sexual exploitation and sexual abuse

At its 91st plenary meeting, on 18 June 2004, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee,⁵¹ took note of the report of the Secretary-General on special measures for protection from sexual exploitation and sexual abuse.⁵²

⁴³ A/58/724.

⁴⁴ See A/58/732.

⁴⁵ A/57/718.

⁴⁶ A/58/573/Add.1, para.11.

⁴⁷ A/55/117.

⁴⁸ A/58/582/Add.1, para. 9.

⁴⁹ A/55/697.

⁵⁰ A/55/874, paras. 41–45.

⁵¹ A/58/821, para. 10.

⁵² A/58/777.