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NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

Statement of programme budget implications of the recommendations
contained in paragraph 6 of the report of the Committee on
Non-Governmental Organizations*

Statement submitted by the Secretary-General in accordance with
rule 31 of the rules of procedure of the Economic and Social
Council

1. In paragraph 6 of the report of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations on its session held from 9 to 19 February 1981 (E/1981/29 and Corr.1), it is recommended that the Economic and Social Council should consider at its second regular session of 1981 the report of the Committee on meetings to be held prior to that session.
2. The Committee normally holds one meeting at the beginning of the session of the Council in order to consider and make recommendations on requests by non-governmental organizations to be heard by the Council on items on the Council's agenda. The above-mentioned proposal, however, could result in the need for the Committee to meet for an additional day, which would constitute a departure from the established calendar of meetings. Should the Council approve an additional day of meetings for the Committee, financial implications would arise in respect of conference-servicing costs estimated at \$11,600. Details of the requirements are as follows:

* E/1981/29 and Corr.1.

United States dollars

I.	Pre-session documentation (4,000 words) (Languages: E, F, S)	5,114
II.	Meeting servicing (Languages of interpretation: E, F, R, S)	2,769
III.	In-session documentation (1,320 words) (Languages: E, F, S)	1,773
IV.	Post-session documentation (800 words) (Languages: C, E, F, R, S)	1,942
TOTAL:		<u>11,600</u> <u>1/</u>
