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APPOINTMENTS TO FILL VACANCIES IN THE MEMBERSHIP OF  
SUBSIDIARY BODIES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

BOARD OF AUDITORS

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Mohamed EL BARADEI (United Arab Republic)

1. At its 1369th meeting, held on 23 October 1970, the Fifth Committee considered a note by the Secretary-General (A/7933) concerning the vacancy in the membership of the Board of Auditors which will occur as a result of the expiration of the term of office of one of its members on 30 June 1971.
2. The members of the Fifth Committee were invited to make suggestions in regard to the country whose Auditor-General (or officer holding the equivalent title) might be recommended to the General Assembly for appointment as a member of the Board of Auditors. The Government of Canada proposed the Auditor-General of Canada for re-election as a member of the Board of Auditors (see A/C.5/1312).
3. To decide on its recommendation to the General Assembly, the Committee voted by secret ballot. The result of the ballot was as follows:

<u>Number of ballot papers:</u>	70
<u>Invalid ballots:</u>	3
<u>Number of valid ballots:</u>	67
<u>Abstentions:</u>	2
<u>Number of members voting:</u>	65
<u>Required majority:</u>	33
<u>Number of votes obtained:</u>	

The Auditor-General of Canada 63

Two other persons received one vote each.

4. The Auditor-General of Canada, having received the required majority, was declared recommended for appointment as a member of the Board of Auditors, for a three-year term beginning on 1 July 1971.

RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

5. The Fifth Committee therefore recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft resolution:

Appointment to fill a vacancy in the membership  
of the Board of Auditors

The General Assembly,

Appoints the Auditor-General of Canada as a member of the Board of Auditors for a three-year term beginning on 1 July 1971.

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