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

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Babooram RAMBISOON (Trinidad and Tobago)

1. At its 1426th meeting, held on 4 October 1971, the Fifth Committee considered a note by the Secretary-General (A/8351), paragraph 6 of which concerned the vacancy which had occurred in the membership of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as a result of the resignation of Mr. Salim A. Saleem with effect from 10 July 1971.

2. The members of the Fifth Committee were invited to suggest the names of persons who might be recommended to the General Assembly for appointment to the Advisory Committee in accordance with the provisions of rules 156 and 157 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly. The Government of Iraq nominated Mr. Mohamed Alwan for election to the Advisory Committee for the unexpired portion of Mr. Saleem's term of office, that is, until 31 December 1971 (A/C.5/1369).

3. The Fifth Committee voted by secret ballot to decide on its recommendation. The result of the voting was as follows:

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| <u>Number of ballot papers:</u> | 78 |
| <u>Invalid ballots:</u> | 2 |
| <u>Number of valid ballots:</u> | 76 |
| <u>Abstentions:</u> | 2 |

Number of members voting: 74

Required majority: 38

Number of votes obtained:

Mr. Mohamed Alwan 73

One other person received one vote.

4. Mr. Mohamed Alwan (Iraq), having received the required majority, was declared recommended for appointment as a member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions to serve until 31 December 1971.

RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

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

Appointment to fill a vacancy in the membership of the Advisory Committee
on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

The General Assembly,

Appoints the following person as a member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a period ending on 31 December 1971:

Mr. Mohamed Alwan.
