



UNITED NATIONS
GENERAL
ASSEMBLY



Distr.
LIMITED

A/C.5/33/L.40
12 December 1978
ENGLISH
ORIGINAL: RUSSIAN

Thirty-third session
FIFTH COMMITTEE
Agenda item 100

PROGRAMME BUDGET FOR THE BIENNIUM 1978-1979

Presentation of the United Nations budget

Determination of activities that have been completed or
are obsolete, of marginal usefulness or ineffective

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics: draft resolution

The General Assembly,

Recalling once again its resolution 3534 (XXX) of 17 December 1975, in which it requested the Secretary-General, inter alia, to include in the performance reports on the United Nations programme budgets relevant information on the staff and resources released as a result of the completion, reduction, reorganization, merging, elimination or otherwise of United Nations programmes, projects or activities,

Recalling also its resolution 31/93 of 14 December 1976, in which it stressed the responsibility of the Secretary-General to draw to the attention of the competent intergovernmental bodies activities that are obsolete, of marginal usefulness or ineffective, indicating the resources which could be released so that the bodies concerned may take the necessary action,

Recalling further its resolution 32/201 of 21 December 1977, in which it urged the Secretary-General to ensure the implementation of the provisions of General Assembly resolutions 3534 (XXX) and 31/93 in the preparation of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 1980-1981 and the performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 1978-1979,

Having considered the draft medium-term plan for the period 1980-1983 and the report of the Secretary-General contained in document A/C.5/33/13,

1. Notes with deep concern that the Secretary-General is not taking practical steps to implement resolution 32/201;
2. Urges the Secretary-General to implement General Assembly resolution 32/201.