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Special Fund established by the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment

Note by the Secretary-General

The present note is submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 68/156, in which the Assembly encouraged contributions to the Special Fund established by the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and requested the Secretary-General to submit to the Assembly at its seventieth session a report on the operations of the Fund.

Pursuant to that request, the attention of the General Assembly is drawn to the note by the Secretary-General, submitted to the Human Rights Council, on the Special Fund ([A/HRC/28/24](#)).

* [A/70/150](#).

