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Agenda item 31 (b)

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Financial implications of draft resolution III recommended by the
Second Committee in document A/4287

Letter dated 19 November from the Chairman of the Fifth Committee
addressed to the President of the General Assembly

At its 745th and 746th meetings held on 17 and 18 November 1959, the Fifth Committee considered, in connexion with the first reading of the 1960 estimates for section 19 of the budget - Public administration - the provision to be made in the 1960 budget under chapter II of section 19 for the provision of operational, executive and administrative personnel under General Assembly resolution 1256 (XIII) of 14 November 1958. When it considered this question, the Committee was also apprised of the relevant draft resolution (A/4287, draft resolution III) adopted by the Second Committee at its 611th meeting under agenda item 31(b).

The Committee decided, by 26 votes to 19, with 20 abstentions, to include under chapter II of section 19 for 1960, subject to the adoption of the draft resolution proposed by the Second Committee, a provision of \$300,000. It also, by 36 votes to none, with 28 abstentions, approved in first reading, and subject to the adoption of the Second Committee draft resolution, a total provision under section 19 for 1960 in the amount of \$600,000, comprising \$300,000 under chapter I and \$300,000 under chapter II.

It was understood that I would notify you of this action so that the General Assembly could be informed thereof in connexion with its consideration of the draft resolution proposed by the Second Committee. The report of the Fifth Committee on the budget estimates for 1960 will reflect the discussion in the Fifth Committee on this matter.

(Signed) Jiri NOSEK
Chairman of the Fifth Committee
