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Addendum

1. In my report to the Security Council (S/22627), I indicated in paragraph 20 that my observations on the financing of enlarging and prolonging the mandate of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (UNAVEM) would be circulated as an addendum to the report.
2. Given the nature of the added tasks for which UNAVEM would be responsible, it would be essential to provide it with the necessary resources required for its new organization and deployment as stated in paragraph 15 of my report. In this regard, the logistic support to UNAVEM must include a reliable communications system and adequate air and ground transportation facilities. The total cost of UNAVEM for the 18-month period, June 1991-November 1992, including one-time major procurements of portable shelters, vehicles and communications equipment, is estimated to be approximately \$132.3 million, consisting of \$60.6 million for the first 7-month period and \$71.7 million for the remaining 11 months. These are preliminary estimates, which might be subject to revision as further details are clarified.
3. It would be my recommendation to the General Assembly, should the Security Council decide to enlarge and prolong the mandate of UNAVEM, that its cost should continue to be considered an expense of the Organization to be borne by Member States in accordance with Article 17, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations. I would further recommend to the Assembly that the assessments to be levied on Member States be credited to the existing UNAVEM special account.
