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**Adoption of the report of the Committee on its
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Draft report

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Addendum

Programme questions: evaluation

(Item 3 (b))

Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the triennial review of the implementation of recommendations on the programme evaluation of the United Nations Environment Programme

1. The Committee resumed its consideration of the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the triennial review of the implementation of recommendations on the programme evaluation of the United Nations Environment Programme (E/AC.51/2016/2), the consideration of which had been deferred from the fifty-sixth session of the Committee (see A/71/16).

Discussion

2. The Committee's discussion on the report, during its fifty-sixth session, is set out in its report (A/71/16, sect. II.C).

Conclusions and recommendations

3. **The Committee for Programme and Coordination welcomed the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the triennial review of the implementation of recommendations made by the Committee at its fifty-third session on the programme evaluation of the United Nations Environment Programme.**



4. The Committee noted the conclusion in the report that, out of five recommendations, one had been fully implemented, three had been partially implemented and one had not yet been implemented. The Committee further noted that, subsequent to the issuance of the report, the United Nations Environment Programme had issued operational guidance for regional offices and had thus completed the implementation of the related recommendation.

5. The Committee commended the United Nations Environment Programme for the progress it had made in implementing the Committee's recommendations.

6. The Committee noted the expressed intention of the United Nations Environment Programme to implement the remaining recommendations fully.

7. The Committee expressed its confidence that the United Nations Environment Programme would finalize implementation of the Committee's recommendations as soon as possible in order to become even more effective in assisting Member States especially when establishing, in line with its mandate, clear and transparent criteria for allocating resources to the thematic activities, based on results-based management.
