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Conditions of service and compensation for officials other than Secretariat officials

Members of the Joint Inspection Unit

Note by the Secretary-General

1. In document A/C.5/45/75, the Secretary-General proposed that the new level of remuneration for inspectors of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU) be established at the top step of the Director (D-2) level of the salary scale for staff in the Professional and higher categories. The consequent amendment to article 14 of the statute of the Unit would require approval by the General Assembly and consequent acceptance thereof by the organizations of the United Nations system.
2. The General Assembly, by its decision 45/456 of 3 May 1991, decided to defer consideration of the report of the Secretary-General to its forty-sixth session.
3. Should the General Assembly approve the proposal of the Secretary-General, with effect from 1 January 1992, based on revised 1991 rates, the financial implications related to the difference in net remuneration between step IV and step VI of the Director (D-2) level would amount to \$51,600 a year for 1992 and 1993. No additional appropriation would be required since the salaries of the JIU inspectors are budgeted on the basis of standard costs for the D-2 level. As stated in paragraph 6 of document A/C.5/45/75, such additional requirements would be reported to the General Assembly in the context of the final performance report on the programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993.
