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PROGRAMME BUDGET FOR THE BIENNIUM 1996-1997

Construction of additional conference facilities at Addis Ababa

<u>Draft decision submitted by the Vice-Chairman</u>

The General Assembly, having considered the reports of the Secretary-General 1 and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 2

- (a) Authorizes the Secretary-General to take all necessary steps to settle all outstanding claims on the construction of additional conference facilities at Addis Ababa taking into account the interests of the Organization;
- (b) Also authorizes the Secretary-General to make final payments on the construction project at Addis Ababa from the construction-in-progress account;
- (c) Requests the Secretary-General to issue a full report on the construction at Addis Ababa to the General Assembly at its fifty-second session, including, <u>inter alia</u>, relevant information concerning any internal or external audits conducted with regard to the construction project.

 $^{^{1}}$ A/C.5/50/17, A/C.5/51/37 and Add.1.

² A/51/7/Add.9.