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Agenda items 18 and 103IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE
TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES

PROGRAMME BUDGET FOR THE BIENNIUM 1982-1983

Administrative and financial implications of draft resolution IX
and draft consensus I recommended by the Fourth Committee
(A/37/621, paras. 27 and 28)Report of the Fifth CommitteeRapporteur: Mr. M. Adel EL SAFTY (Egypt)

1. At its 41st meeting, on 22 November 1982, the Fifth Committee, pursuant to rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, considered the statement by the Secretary-General (A/C.5/37/46) on the administrative and financial implications of draft resolution IX and draft consensus I on the question of Western Sahara recommended by the Fourth Committee in paragraphs 27 and 28 of its report (A/37/621). The recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions were presented orally by its Chairman.
2. Statements and comments made in the course of the Committee's consideration of this item are reflected in the relevant summary record (A/C.5/37/SR.41).

DECISION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

3. The Fifth Committee decided, without objection, to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution IX and draft consensus I recommended by the Fourth Committee in paragraphs 27 and 28 of its report (A/37/621), the Secretary-General should be authorized to incur the necessary related expenditures, with the prior concurrence of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, under the terms of General Assembly resolution 36/241 on unforeseen and extraordinary expenses for the biennium 1982-1983. Accordingly, no additional appropriations would be required at this stage.