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Financing of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali

Report of the Fifth Committee

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I. Introduction

1. At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 17 September 2021, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its seventy-sixth session the item entitled “Financing of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali” and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. The Fifth Committee considered the item at its 16th and 21st meetings, on 9 May and 29 June 2022. Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee’s consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary records.¹

3. For its consideration of the item, the Committee had before it the following documents:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General on the budget performance of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali for the period from 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021 ([A/76/564](#));

(b) Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali for the period from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023 ([A/76/721](#));

(c) Related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions ([A/76/760/Add.9](#));

(d) Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the outcome evaluation of the contribution of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali to the rule of law and the fight against impunity in Mali ([A/76/698](#)).

¹ [A/C.5/76/SR.16](#) and [A/C.5/76/SR.21](#).



II. Consideration of draft resolution [A/C.5/76/L.45](#)

4. At its 21st meeting, on 29 June, the Committee had before it a draft resolution entitled “Financing of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali” ([A/C.5/76/L.45](#)), submitted by the Chair of the Committee on the basis of informal consultations coordinated by the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania.

5. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft resolution [A/C.5/76/L.45](#) without a vote (see para. 6).

III. Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

6. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft resolution:

Financing of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali

The General Assembly,

Having considered the reports of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali¹ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,²

Having also considered the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the outcome evaluation of the contribution of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali to the rule of law and the fight against impunity in Mali,³

Recalling Security Council resolution [2100 \(2013\)](#) of 25 April 2013, by which the Council established the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali as from 25 April 2013 and decided that authority would be transferred from the African-led International Support Mission in Mali to the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali on 1 July 2013 for an initial period of 12 months, and the subsequent resolutions by which the Council extended the mandate of the Mission, the latest of which was resolution [2584 \(2021\)](#) of 29 June 2021, by which the Council extended the mandate of the Mission until 30 June 2022,

Recalling also its resolution [67/286](#) of 28 June 2013 on the financing of the Mission and its subsequent resolutions thereon, the latest of which was resolution [75/302](#) of 30 June 2021,

Reaffirming the general principles underlying the financing of United Nations peacekeeping operations, as stated in its resolutions [1874 \(S-IV\)](#) of 27 June 1963, [3101 \(XXVIII\)](#) of 11 December 1973 and [55/235](#) of 23 December 2000,

Noting with appreciation that voluntary contributions have been made to the Mission,

Mindful of the fact that it is essential to provide the Mission with the financial resources necessary to enable it to fulfil its responsibilities under the relevant resolutions of the Security Council,

1. *Requests* the Secretary-General to entrust the Head of Mission with the task of formulating future budget proposals in full accordance with the provisions of its resolutions [59/296](#) of 22 June 2005, [60/266](#) of 30 June 2006, [61/276](#) of 29 June 2007, [64/269](#) of 24 June 2010, [65/289](#) of 30 June 2011, [66/264](#) of 21 June 2012, [69/307](#) of 25 June 2015, [70/286](#) of 17 June 2016 and [76/___](#) of ___, as well as other relevant resolutions;

2. *Takes note* of the status of contributions to the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali as at 30 April 2022,

¹ [A/76/564](#) and [A/76/721](#).

² [A/76/760/Add.9](#).

³ [A/76/698](#).

including the contributions outstanding in the amount of 412.0 million United States dollars, representing some 4.4 per cent of the total assessed contributions, notes with concern that only 82 Member States have paid their assessed contributions in full, and urges all other Member States, in particular those in arrears, to ensure payment of their outstanding assessed contributions;

3. *Expresses its appreciation* to those Member States that have paid their assessed contributions in full, and urges all other Member States to make every possible effort to ensure payment of their assessed contributions to the Mission in full;

4. *Expresses concern* at the financial situation with regard to peacekeeping activities, in particular as regards the reimbursements to troop contributors that bear additional burdens owing to overdue payments by Member States of their assessments;

5. *Emphasizes* that all future and existing peacekeeping missions shall be given equal and non-discriminatory treatment in respect of financial and administrative arrangements;

6. *Also emphasizes* that all peacekeeping missions shall be provided with adequate resources for the effective and efficient discharge of their respective mandates;

7. *Requests* the Secretary-General to ensure that proposed peacekeeping budgets are based on the relevant legislative mandates;

8. *Endorses* the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, subject to the provisions of the present resolution, and requests the Secretary-General to ensure their full implementation;

9. *Takes note* of paragraphs 27 and 28 of the report of the Advisory Committee;

10. *Decides* to establish the following as national posts: one Health and Safety Officer (P-3) in Gao, one Coordination Officer (P-4), one Conduct and Discipline Officer (P-3), one Supply Officer (Field Service), one Supply Assistant (Field Service) in Mopti, one Movement Control Assistant (Field Service) in Mopti, one Child Protection Officer (P-3) in Gao, and one Supply Assistant (Field Service) in Bamako;

11. *Also decides* to abolish two posts that have been vacant for 24 months or longer: one Senior Political Affairs Officer (P-5), and one Receiving and Inspection Assistant (General Service);

12. *Requests* the Secretary-General to ensure the full implementation of the relevant provisions of its resolutions [59/296](#), [60/266](#), [61/276](#), [64/269](#), [65/289](#), [66/264](#), [69/307](#), [70/286](#) and [76/___](#);

13. *Also requests* the Secretary-General to take all action necessary to ensure that the Mission is administered with a maximum of efficiency and economy;

Budget performance report for the period from 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021

14. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General on the budget performance of the Mission for the period from 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021;⁴

⁴ [A/76/564](#).

Budget estimates for the period from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023

15. *Decides* to appropriate to the special account for the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali the amount of 1,344,105,600 dollars for the period from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023, inclusive of 1,245,045,100 dollars for the maintenance of the Mission, 76,060,000 dollars for the support account for peacekeeping operations, 13,693,900 dollars for the United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy, and 9,306,600 dollars for the Regional Service Centre in Entebbe, Uganda;

Financing of the appropriation for the period from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023

16. *Decides* to apportion among Member States the amount of 1,344,105,600 dollars for the period from 1 July 2022 to 30 June 2023, at a monthly rate of 112,008,800 dollars, in accordance with the levels updated in its resolution [76/239](#) of 24 December 2021, taking into account the scale of assessments for 2022 and 2023, as set out in its resolution [76/238](#) of 24 December 2021, subject to a decision of the Security Council to extend the mandate of the Mission;

17. *Also decides* that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution [973 \(X\)](#) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph 16 above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of 29,314,000 dollars, comprising the estimated staff assessment income of 20,549,400 dollars approved for the Mission, the prorated share of 6,136,000 dollars of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the support account, the prorated share of 1,591,200 dollars of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the United Nations Logistics Base and the prorated share of 1,037,400 dollars of the estimated staff assessment income approved for the Regional Service Centre;

18. *Further decides* that, for Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against the apportionment, as provided for in paragraph 16 above, their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other revenue in the amount of 128,798,000 dollars in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2021, in accordance with the levels updated in its resolution [73/272](#) of 22 December 2018, taking into account the scale of assessments for 2021, as set out in its resolution [73/271](#) of 22 December 2018;

19. *Decides* that, for Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the Mission, there shall be set off against their outstanding obligations their respective share of the unencumbered balance and other revenue in the amount of 128,798,000 dollars in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2021, in accordance with the scheme set out in paragraph 18 above;

20. *Also decides* that, the increase of 1,110,800 dollars in the estimated staff assessment income in respect of the financial period ended 30 June 2021 shall be added to the credits in the amount of 128,798,000 dollars referred to in paragraphs 18 and 19 above;

21. *Encourages* the Secretary-General to continue to take additional measures to ensure the safety and security of all personnel participating in the Mission under the auspices of the United Nations, bearing in mind paragraphs 5 and 6 of Security Council resolution [1502 \(2003\)](#) of 26 August 2003;

22. *Invites* voluntary contributions to the Mission in cash and in the form of services and supplies acceptable to the Secretary-General, to be administered, as appropriate, in accordance with the procedure and practices established by the General Assembly;

23. *Decides* to include in the provisional agenda of its seventy-seventh session the item entitled “Financing of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali”.
