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**Working Group on a Draft Budget for the  
First Financial Period of the Court**

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**Draft decision of the Assembly of States Parties relating to the  
provision of funds for the Court**

**Proposal by the Coordinator**

*The Assembly of States Parties*

*Recalling* paragraph 4 of the document entitled “Establishment of the International Criminal Court: note by the Secretariat concerning the responsibilities entrusted to the Secretary-General under draft resolution A/C.6/56/L.21”, in particular, the reference to assistance in determining the scale of assessments of the first-year budget of the Court,

*Recognizing* the necessity to transmit to States their assessments as soon as possible following the adoption of the budget by the Assembly of States Parties,

*Requests* the Secretary-General of the United Nations, as an exception to regulation 5.5 of the Financial Regulations of the Court, to inform States Parties of their commitments in respect of their assessed contributions for the first financial period of the Court and advances to the Working Capital Fund.