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OF THE EXPENSES OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Letter dated 10 May 1983 from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly

At present eight Member States are in arrears within the terms of Article 19 of the Charter, which provides as follows:

"A Member of the United Nations which is in arrears in the payment of its financial contributions to the Organization shall have no vote in the General Assembly if the amount of its arrears equals or exceeds the amount of the contributions due from it for the preceding two full years. The General Assembly may, nevertheless, permit such a Member to vote if it is satisfied that the failure to pay is due to conditions beyond the control of the Member."

The minimum payments required in order to reduce the arrears of assessed contributions of these Member States below the gross amounts due for the preceding two full years (1981 and 1982) are the following:

Central African Republic	\$	10,638
Chad		49,990
Comoros		28,297
El Salvador		39,883
Grenada		27,140
Guinea-Bissau		30,386
Mauritania		29,538
South Africa	14.	,773,229

(Signed) Javier PEREZ DE CUELLAR Secretary-General