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REPORT BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON HIS EFFECTS TO GIVE EFFECT TO SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS 210 OF 6 SEPTEMBER, 211 OF 20 SEPTEMBER and 215 CF 5 NOVEMBER 1965

Addendum

- 1. By its resolution 211 of 20 September 1965, the Security Council demanded that a cease-fire in India and Pakistan should take effect on Wednesday, 22 September 1965, at 0700 hours GNT, and requested the Secretary-General to provide the necessary assistance to ensure its supervision and the withdrawal of armed personnel.
- 2. The way in which I have carried out this task, assigned by the Council, has been reported to the Council in a succession of reports (S/6699 and Add.1 to 10).
- 5. In the first of these reports (S/6699 of 21 September 1965), in giving a general outline of the measures I proposed to take, I estimated that the total cost of the task of observation of the cease-fire beyond the established Kashmir Cease-Fire Line, that is, along the border between India and West Pakistan, would be approximately \$1,645,000 for a three-month period. I also informed the Council that I had already taken measures substantially to increase the strength and equipment of the existing UNECGIP relating to the Kashmir Cease-Fire Line. In a later report (S/6699/Add.6) I estimated the cost of the strengthening of UNECGIP in personnel and equipment at approximately \$2 million for a period of one year.
- 4. In a still later report (S/6699/Add.10) relating to the appointment of my Representative on withdrawal arrangements in pursuance of Security Council resolution 215 of 5 November 1965, I informed the Council of the means I had employed to date to finance the observation of the cease-fire.
- 5. On 22 December 1965 the first three-month period of the cease-fire demanded by the Security Council on 20 September will have elapsed. As will be noted from

the reports I have submitted to the Council on the observance of the cease-fire (S/6710 and Adds.1-12), while some degree of quiet has been established along the cease-fire line, incidents continue, and tension between the parties persists at numerous points.

- 6. The two parties directly involved, India and Pakistan, have informed me of their desire that the United Nations continue its observer function after 22 December 1965. The questions of the continuance of this function beyond that date and of how this activity is to be financed therefore require urgent consideration.
- 7. It is my intention, in the circumstances, to continue the United Nations activities relating to the cease-fire and withdrawal provisions of the Security Council resolutions in the area as a whole after 22 December, on the assumption, naturally, that the finance necessary to their support will become available. This would mean the continuation of UNIPCM for a second period of three months as from 22 December 1965; the maintenance of the added strength for UNICGIP possibly through 1966; and the prolongation of the withdrawal mission of General Marambio to the end of January 1966.
- 8. The estimated costs of UNIFCM-for 1965 remain at the figure of \$1,427,000, as previously reported (\$/6699/Add.9), and the estimated cost for its continuation for another three months beyond 22 December is \$819,000. This latter estimate provides for the following additional requirements strongly requested by the Chief Officer of the Mission which the Secretary-General deems necessary for full and effective discharge of the Security Council's mandate: 2 Otter aircraft, equipment for certain field stations, and 7 field service personnel.
- 9. The cost for the strengthening of UNMCGIP is now estimated for 1965 at \$830,000 and for the calendar year 1966 at 4,740,000. The estimate for 1966 is based on the same observer strength and general logistical support as had been envisaged in 5/6699Add.9.
- 10. It is proposed that, in accordance with the normal budgetary arrangements as they have customarily applied to UNMCGIP, the additional requirements for its strengthening, as these have now been established, should be provided for as revised estimates under Sections 16 and 17 of the budget for the financial years 1965 and 1966, respectively. On the assumption that necessary appropriation

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action with respect to UNMCGIP will be taken by the General Assembly during its present session, it would be possible for the Secretary-General, as an interim measure, to continue to finance the commitments in respect of UNIPCH and the withdrawal mission of General Marambio, under the provisions of the annual General Assembly resolution relating to unforeseen and extraordinary expenses.

