

**Economic and Social Council**Distr.: General  
14 March 2008

Original: English

[Start]**Commission on Narcotic Drugs****Fifty-first session**

Vienna, 10-14 March 2008

Agenda items 8 and 9

**Strengthening the drug programme of the  
United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime  
and the role of the Commission on Narcotic  
Drugs as its governing body****Administrative and budgetary questions****Resolutions and decisions relating to the drug programme  
of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime adopted  
in the period 2003-2007 in which action by the Office was  
requested****Note by the Secretariat\***

The present note was prepared pursuant to Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/14, entitled "Budget for the biennium 2008-2009 for the Fund of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme". Tables 1-16 provide information on the implementation status and resource requirements of resolutions and decisions relating to the drug programme of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime adopted by the General Assembly, the Economic and Social Council and the Commission on Narcotic Drugs in the period 2003-2007 in which action by the Office was requested.

---

\* The present document was prepared pursuant to Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/14, adopted on 27 November 2007.



Table 1  
**General Assembly resolutions adopted in 2007**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>International cooperation against the world drug problem</b> (General Assembly resolution 62/176)	31	Reaffirms the importance of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and its regional offices in building capacity at the local level in the fight against transnational organized crime and drug trafficking, and urges UNODC to consider regional vulnerabilities, projects and impact in the fight against drug trafficking, in particular in developing countries, when deciding to close and allocate offices, with a view to maintaining an effective level of support to national and regional efforts in combating the world drug problem.	Implemented.	Ongoing reviews are undertaken on the role, functions and impact of regional and country field offices.
	32	Welcomes the work carried out by UNODC and requests UNODC to continue to carry out its mandate in accordance with previous relevant resolutions of the General Assembly, the Economic and Social Council and the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.
	34	Urges UNODC to increase collaboration with intergovernmental, international and regional organizations that have drug control mandates, as appropriate, in order to share best practices and to take advantage of their unique comparative advantage.	Implemented.	In implementing its mandate, UNODC has worked closely with intergovernmental, regional and international organizations, such as the European Police Office, the International Criminal Police Organization (INTERPOL), the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, the Organization of American States, the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation, the Southeast European Cooperative Initiative Center, the Southern African Regional Police Chiefs Cooperation Organization and the World Customs Organization, as well as with other entities and agencies of the United Nations system, including the Department of Peacekeeping Operations and the Department of Political

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	34	Urges UNODC to increase collaboration with intergovernmental, international and regional organizations that have drug control mandates, as appropriate, in order to share best practices and to take advantage of their unique comparative advantage.	Implemented.	In implementing its mandate, UNODC has worked closely with intergovernmental, regional and international organizations, such as the European Police Office, the International Criminal Police Organization (INTERPOL), the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe, the Organization of American States, the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation, the Southeast European Cooperative Initiative Center, the Southern African Regional Police Chiefs Cooperation Organization and the World Customs Organization, as well as with other entities and agencies of the United Nations system, including the Department of Peacekeeping Operations and the Department of Political Affairs of the Secretariat and the International Maritime Organization.
	36	Requests UNODC to carry out, at the request of Member States, training programmes to support the adoption of sound methods and to harmonize indicators used for statistics on drug use, which have already been considered by the Statistical Commission, in order to collect and analyse comparable data on drug abuse.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.  UNODC, through its Global Assessment Programme on Drug Abuse and other projects, provided assistance to Member States to harmonize statistical indicators.
	41	Calls upon the relevant United Nations agencies and entities, and other international organizations, and invites international financial institutions, including regional development banks, to mainstream drug control issues into their programmes, and calls upon UNODC to maintain its leading role by providing relevant information and	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	41	Calls upon the relevant United Nations agencies and entities, and other international organizations, and invites international financial institutions, including regional development banks, to mainstream drug control issues into their programmes, and calls upon UNODC to maintain its leading role by providing relevant information and technical assistance.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.

Table 2  
**Economic and Social Council resolutions adopted in 2007**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>The need for a balance between demand for and supply of opiates used to meet medical and scientific needs</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2007/9)	7	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board to continue its efforts to monitor the implementation of the relevant Economic and Social Council resolutions in full compliance with the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961 <sup>a</sup> and that Convention as amended by the 1972 Protocol. <sup>b</sup>	Implemented.	
	8	Requests the Secretary-General to transmit the text of the present resolution to all Governments for consideration and implementation.	Implemented. (See note verbale of the Secretary-General dated September 2007 (NAR/CL.7/2007).)	
<b>Improvement of drug abuse data collection by Member States in order to enhance data reliability and the comparability of information provided</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2007/10)	1	Stresses the importance of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and other relevant intergovernmental organizations carrying out, at the request of Member States, training programmes to support the adoption of sound methods and the harmonization of indicators used for statistics on drug use, which have already been considered by the Statistical Commission, with a view to the collection and analysis of comparable data on drug abuse.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.  UNODC, through its Global Assessment Programme on Drug Abuse and other projects, provided assistance to Member States to harmonize statistical indicators.

<sup>a</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 520, No. 7515.

<sup>b</sup> *Ibid.*, vol. 976, No. 14152.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Support to the counter-narcotic measures and programmes of Afghanistan</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2007/11)	10	Calls upon UNODC to work alongside donors, in their capacity as partner nations, in particular the lead partner nation to the Government of Afghanistan in counter-narcotics activities, in order to ensure that the multilateral assistance provided to Afghanistan is fully aligned with the priorities set out in its National Drug Control Strategy.	Partly implemented.	The UNODC country office in Afghanistan, in close consultation with the lead partner nations on counter-narcotics and police matters, continued to support the implementation of the eight pillars of the Afghan National Drug Control Strategy. In 2007, there was a steep increase in, in particular, technical assistance in law enforcement training and capacity-building of the Ministry of Counter-Narcotics at the provincial level. However, limited funding was provided for technical assistance for drug demand reduction. In the area of regional and international cooperation, UNODC began implementation of new regional projects and facilitated several meetings on border control held by Iran (Islamic Republic of), Pakistan and other partner nations, within the framework of its triangular border initiative.
<b>Strategy for the period 2008-2011 for the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2007/12)	2	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to incorporate the strategy for the period 2008-2011 in the strategic framework and to present the latter to the relevant intergovernmental bodies, for their consideration and approval.	Implemented.	The draft strategic framework for the period 2010-2011, based on the strategy for the period 2008-2011, is in the process of being adopted.
	3	Stresses that all action aimed at implementing the strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC, especially action involving the participation of relevant civil society entities, shall be undertaken in full consultation with and at the request of the Member States concerned.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	4	Requests the Executive Director to prepare the consolidated budget for the biennium 2008-2009, as well as for the biennium 2010-2011, for UNODC, based, inter alia, on the strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC.	Consolidated budget for the biennium 2008-2009 has been prepared. (See document E/CN.7/2007/17-E/CN.15/2007/18.)	The consolidated budget for the biennium 2010-2011 will be submitted to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its reconvened fifty-second session.
	6	Recommends that a sufficient share of the regular budget of the United Nations be allocated to UNODC to enable it to fulfil its mandates.		This is an ongoing biennial process. Most new mandates are subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources.
	7	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to submit to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its reconvened fiftieth session a report identifying the medium-term strategy activities projected for the period 2008-2009 and the estimated cost of implementing them.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2007/17-E/CN.15/2007/18.)	
	8	Also requests the Executive Director to report, through the programme performance report, to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on progress made in the implementation of the strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC.	Not implemented.	The programme performance report for the period 2008-2009 will be submitted in 2009.  Since the strategic framework for the period 2008-2009 was drafted before the strategy was approved, the programme performance report for that period will not cover the strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC. However, the draft strategic framework for the period 2010-2011 has been aligned with the strategy so that the programme performance report for that period will reflect on the strategy.
	9	Requests UNODC to continue to improve its evaluation mechanisms and project cycle management.	Partly implemented.	Additional extrabudgetary resources are needed.  UNODC has put in place a new evaluation system and has

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	9	Requests UNODC to continue to improve its evaluation mechanisms and project cycle management.	Partly implemented.	Additional extrabudgetary resources are needed.  UNODC has put in place a new evaluation system and has carried out training on project cycle management and evaluation for 120 officials. The second phase of training on project cycle management and evaluation is under way.

Table 3  
**Economic and Social Council decisions adopted in 2007**

<i>Decision</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its fiftieth session and provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-first session of the Commission</b>  (Economic and Social Council decision 2007/242)		To finalize the items to be included in the provisional agenda and the documentation requirements for the fifty-first session.	Implemented.	Work completed at intersessional meetings, reconvened session and through meetings of an intersessional working group of the Commission.

Table 4  
**Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolutions adopted in 2007**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Follow-up to the Second Ministerial Conference on Drug Trafficking Routes from Afghanistan</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/1)	5	Urges Member States and the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and invites interested international organizations to promote the implementation of the Moscow Declaration adopted by the Second Ministerial Conference on Drug Trafficking Routes from Afghanistan <sup>a</sup> and the recommendations of the Conference.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Extrabudgetary resources are available. In January 2007, UNODC initiated the continuation of the Paris Pact initiative emerging from the Paris Statement, <sup>b</sup> an outcome of the Second Ministerial Conference on Drug Trafficking Routes from Afghanistan, held in Moscow from 26 to 28 June 2006. UNODC approved project GLO/J33 entitled "The Paris Pact initiative, phase II – a partnership to counter traffic in and consumption of Afghan opiates". This second phase of the Paris Pact project, involving a partnership of more than 50 countries and international organizations, will last three years, from January 2007 to December 2009. The current estimated budget is \$2.7 million (to be revised shortly). The funding partners are the European Commission, Italy, the Russian Federation, France, Turkey, Sweden, the United States of America, Greece and Austria.

<sup>a</sup> A/61/208-S/2006/598, annex.

<sup>b</sup> See S/2003/641, annex.



<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	8	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its fifty-first session on the measures taken and on progress achieved in the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented.  (See document E/CN.7/2008/10.)	
<b>Provisions regarding travellers under medical treatment with internationally controlled drugs</b>  (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/2)	3	Urges the International Narcotics Control Board to publish, including electronically, information on restrictions in national jurisdictions applicable to travellers under medical treatment with internationally controlled drugs.	Implemented.	Information has been received from 73 Governments and has been collated in a standardized format. It will be published electronically by March 2008; a print version will also be issued.
	4	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board, in its report for 2007, to inform Member States of the state of the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented.  (See the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2007. <sup>c</sup> )	
<b>Responding to the threat posed by the abuse and diversion of ketamine</b>  (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/3)	3	Requests UNODC to share the concerns of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs with the Expert Committee on Drug Dependence of the World Health Organization.	Implemented.  (See note verbale dated 9 October 2007, addressed to the Director-General of the World Health Organization.)	
<b>Improving the quality and performance of drug analysis laboratories</b>  (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/4)	1	Recommends that UNODC should continue supporting the analytical work of laboratories by providing reference samples of controlled substances, by identifying best practices and encouraging the use of guidelines, subject to extrabudgetary resources, by developing manuals on standard methods including relevant research, by offering training opportunities and by promoting and facilitating the exchange of information, material and data.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Additional human and financial resources are required to ensure that core activities can be sustained beyond a two-year period. An amount of \$150,000 is required for the biennium 2008-2009.
	2	Requests UNODC to support the integration of laboratories and scientific support into drug control frameworks and the use of analytical data as a primary source of information worldwide, for example, for systems giving early warning	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Although some activities are being implemented, more

<sup>c</sup> Report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2007 (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.08.XI.1), paras. 234 and 235.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	2	Requests UNODC to support the integration of laboratories and scientific support into drug control frameworks and the use of analytical data as a primary source of information worldwide, for example, for systems giving early warning on new drug trends.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Although some activities are being implemented, more funds are required to carry out targeted activities.
	3	Also requests UNODC to build on its corporate knowledge and, subject to extrabudgetary resources, to conduct in-depth analyses in order to identify competency requirements, training needs and other areas where assistance could be provided.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Lack of resources. An amount of \$250,000 is required for the biennium 2008-2009. Additional resources, in particular human resources, are required to ensure that core activities can be sustained beyond the two-year period.
	4	Further requests UNODC, in cooperation with Member States, to devote attention to drug analysis laboratories, including forensic laboratories and other laboratories, developing project proposals, as appropriate, for capacity-building, providing services to support drug abuse treatment and toxicology, on the priorities recommended and requested in the present resolution.	Partly implemented.	Additional extrabudgetary resources are required for this and other specific projects. Implementation is ongoing. An amount of \$700,000 is required for the biennium 2008-2009 to supplement the budget of the project on comprehensive laboratory and scientific support programme for Africa. The total budget of this four-year project with three phases is \$3,700,000.
<b>Identifying sources of precursors used in illicit drug manufacture</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/5)	1	Invites the International Narcotics Control Board, working with Member States, relevant international bodies and existing initiatives such as Project Cohesion, to continue to identify the main sources of the acetic anhydride supplied to the main regions manufacturing heroin, the methods of diversion employed and the trafficking routes used.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.
	2	Also invites the International Narcotics Control Board, working with Member States, relevant international bodies and existing initiatives such as Project Cohesion, to continue to identify the main sources of the potassium	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	2	Also invites the International Narcotics Control Board, working with Member States, relevant international bodies and existing initiatives such as Project Cohesion, to continue to identify the main sources of the potassium permanganate supplied to the main regions manufacturing cocaine, the methods of diversion employed and the trafficking routes used.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.
	3	Further invites the International Narcotics Control Board, working with Member States, relevant international bodies and existing initiatives such as Project Prism, to continue to identify the main sources of the ephedrine, pseudoephedrine and 1-phenyl-2-propanone supplied to the main regions manufacturing amphetamine and methamphetamine, the methods of diversion employed and the trafficking routes used.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.
<b>Strengthening international support for Haiti in combating the drug problem</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/8)	2	Calls upon Member States and requests UNODC, subject to extrabudgetary resources, to strengthen initiatives and programmes aimed at providing technical support and assistance for the efforts by the Government of Haiti to combat illicit drug trafficking and reduce the demand for illicit drugs.	Implemented.	UNODC undertook a mission to Haiti to assess technical needs. The findings and proposals were presented at a meeting of UNODC donors. A staff member has been recruited to carry out the UNODC programme in cooperation with the Government of Haiti.
	3	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its fifty-second session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Not implemented.	Report due at the time of the fifty-second session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, in 2009.
<b>Use of drug characterization and chemical profiling in support of drug law enforcement intelligence-gathering and operational work, as well as trend analysis</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/9)	5	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to continue to develop the programme of technical assistance relating to drug characterization and chemical profiling and the elaboration of assessments of trends in illicit manufacturing of and trafficking in drugs, subject to extrabudgetary resources, in consultation with interested Member States, particularly developing countries, taking into account their specific needs in that area.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.  An amount of \$150,000 is required for the biennium 2008-2009.  Some activities are ongoing, but more funds are required to conduct specific activities such as technical assistance and trend analysis.
<b>Prevention of diversion of drug precursors and other</b>	9	Calls upon Member States that have not already done so, and where appropriate, to further develop national	Partly implemented.	An expert group meeting for developing guidelines for

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Prevention of diversion of drug precursors and other substances used for the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/10)	9	Calls upon Member States that have not already done so, and where appropriate, to further develop national guidelines and training programmes for operators, in cooperation with the International Narcotics Control Board and UNODC, in order to facilitate and to enhance legal and voluntary cooperation with the industrial sectors concerned, making them aware of their responsibilities and providing practical advice to identify suspicious transactions and orders.	Partly implemented.	An expert group meeting for developing guidelines for Governments in establishing voluntary national codes of practice for the chemical industry was held in Vienna from 20 to 22 February 2008.
<b>International cooperation in preventing the illegal distribution of internationally controlled licit substances via the Internet</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/11)	4	Encourages the International Narcotics Control Board to continue its work with a view to raising awareness of and preventing the misuse of the Internet for the illegal supply, sale and distribution of internationally controlled licit substances.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Additional resources are required to carry out more in-depth analysis of the information received. Awareness-raising activities have been successfully carried out. Guidelines on matters relating to the distribution of controlled substances via the Internet are being finalized.
	7	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to transmit the text of the present resolution to all Member States.	Implemented. (See note verbale dated September 2007 (NAR/CL.8/2007).)	
<b>Measures to meet the goal of establishing by 2009 the progress achieved in implementing the declarations and measures adopted by the General Assembly at its twentieth special session</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/12)	1	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to submit to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its fifty-first session the report to be prepared pursuant to its resolution 42/11, drawing together information gathered through all previous biennial reports questionnaires and the report requested in its resolution 49/1.	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2007/7 and E/CN.7/2008/8.)	Extrabudgetary resources were provided by the European Commission.
	4	Requests UNODC to invite, prior to the fifty-first session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, relevant intergovernmental, international and regional organizations to make available supplementary information in order to facilitate the deliberations of the Commission at that	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2007/7 and E/CN.7/2008/8.)	Extrabudgetary resources were provided by the European Commission. UNODC organized and serviced the related expert

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	4	Requests UNODC to invite, prior to the fifty-first session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, relevant intergovernmental, international and regional organizations to make available supplementary information in order to facilitate the deliberations of the Commission at that session.	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2007/7 and E/CN.7/2008/8.)	Extrabudgetary resources were provided by the European Commission. UNODC organized and serviced the related expert meetings, held in Vienna on 6-8 February and 18-20 September 2007.
<b>Budget outline for the biennium 2008-2009 for the Fund of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/13)	4	Requests the Executive Director to submit to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its reconvened fiftieth session a proposed consolidated budget for the biennium 2008-2009 based on the figures contained in the budget outline.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2007/17-E/CN.15/2007/18.)	
	5	Also requests the Executive Director to prepare the consolidated budget for the biennium 2008-2009, as well as for the biennium 2010-2011, of UNODC based on, inter alia, the strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC, as approved in draft resolution entitled "Strategy for the period 2008-2011 for the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime", to be adopted by the Economic and Social Council.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2007/17-E/CN.15/2007/18.)	The consolidated budget for the biennium 2010-2011 will be submitted to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its reconvened fifty-second session.
	6	Requests the presentation of the consolidated budget for the biennium 2008-2009, taking fully into account the recommendations contained in paragraph 4 of the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions. <sup>d</sup>	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2007/17-E/CN.15/2007/18 and E/CN.7/2007/18-E/CN.15/2007/19.)	
<b>Budget for the biennium 2008-2009 for the Fund of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/14)	8	Requests the Executive Director, taking into account Economic and Social Council resolution 2007/12 and the relevant General Assembly resolutions on programme planning, to submit to the Commission at its fifty-first session a report on the financial difficulties faced by UNODC when implementing its mandates and to provide a list of all resolutions that have not been implemented during the previous five years owing to lack of resources.	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2008/11-E/CN.15/2008/15 and E/CN.7/2008/13.)	

<sup>d</sup> E/CN.7/2007/13-E/CN.15/2007/13.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	9	Also requests the Executive Director to submit annual reports to the Commission on: (a) Ways and means of improving the financial situation of UNODC, including the situation of the field offices; (b) The programmes and initiatives to be implemented by UNODC <sup>e</sup> in the bienniums 2008-2009 and 2010-2011 and how they conform with the strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC, as reflected in the proposed strategic framework of the United Nations for the period 2010-2011.	Partly implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2008/11-E/CN.15/2008/15.)  (See document E/CN.7/2008/12-E/CN.15/2008/16.)	Implementation is ongoing.
	10	Further requests the Executive Director to submit to the Commission at its fifty-first session a detailed account of the exemptions and reductions provided to donors from the 13 per cent programme support costs during the previous three years and the basis for such exemptions and reductions.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2008/14-E/CN.15/2008/19.)	

Table 5  
**General Assembly resolutions adopted in 2006**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>International cooperation against the world drug problem</b> (General Assembly resolution 61/183)	32	Reaffirms the importance of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and its regional offices in building capacity at the local level in the fight against transnational organized crime and drug trafficking, and urges UNODC to consider regional vulnerabilities, projects and impact in the fight against drug trafficking, in particular in developing countries, when deciding to close or allocate offices, with a view to maintaining an effective level of support to national and regional efforts in combating the world drug problem.	Implemented.	Ongoing reviews of the role, functions and impact of regional and country field offices are undertaken.
	33	Welcomes the work carried out by UNODC in implementing its mandate, and requests UNODC to continue: (a) To strengthen a constructive and effective dialogue with Member States and also to ensure continued	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing Intersessional meetings for

<sup>e</sup> Economic and Social Council resolution 2007/12, annex.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(a) To strengthen a constructive and effective dialogue with Member States and also to ensure continued improvement in management, so as to contribute to enhanced and sustainable programme delivery and further encourage the Executive Director to maximize the effectiveness of the drug programme of UNODC, inter alia, through the full implementation of Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolutions, in particular the recommendations contained therein;		Implementation is ongoing Intersessional meetings for permanent missions are held regularly. In addition, regular ad hoc briefings are held for permanent missions on all aspects of the work of UNODC, including management, and since 2007, <i>jours fixes</i> have been held regularly. UNODC also holds regular briefings and consultations on topical issues for all permanent missions and individual regional groups, as well as with the chairmen of the regional groups and chairmen of the governing bodies, in order to facilitate the review of the consolidated budget of UNODC.
		(b) To strengthen cooperation with Member States and with United Nations programmes, funds and relevant agencies, as well as relevant regional organizations and agencies and non-governmental organizations, and to provide, upon request, assistance in implementing the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC, through its global assistance programme carried out in the field and at headquarters, supported Member States and others in implementing the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly.
		(c) To increase its assistance, within the available voluntary resources, to countries that are deploying efforts to reduce illicit crop cultivation by, in particular, adopting alternative development programmes and incorporating them into wider economic and social development programmes, and to explore new and innovative funding mechanisms;	Partly implemented.	UNODC has insufficient funds to make a greater financial commitment to Member States for project execution and advocacy.  UNODC has been actively promoting the inclusion of counter-narcotics/alternative development approaches in broader development assistance through its

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(c) To increase its assistance, within the available voluntary resources, to countries that are deploying efforts to reduce illicit crop cultivation by, in particular, adopting alternative development programmes and incorporating them into wider economic and social development programmes, and to explore new and innovative funding mechanisms;	Partly implemented.	<p>UNODC has insufficient funds to make a greater financial commitment to Member States for project execution and advocacy.</p> <p>UNODC has been actively promoting the inclusion of counter-narcotics/alternative development approaches in broader development assistance through its participation in mechanisms such as the Global Donor Platform for Rural Development and the mainstreaming initiative of the European Commission, in cooperation with UNODC, the Food and Agriculture Organization and the German Agency for Technical Cooperation (GTZ). In addition, UNODC has been exploring new funding possibilities in the area of carbon trading.</p>
		(d) To allocate, while keeping the balance between supply and demand reduction programmes, adequate resources to allow it to fulfil its role in the implementation of the Action Plan <sup>a</sup> for the Implementation of the Declaration on the Guiding Principles of Drug Demand Reduction, <sup>b</sup> and to support countries, upon their request, in further continuing to develop and implement drug demand reduction policies;	Partly implemented.	<p>Resources available to UNODC and Member States were not sufficient to implement all the activities required in the Action Plan. That is made clear by the analysis of the data collected through the biennial reports questionnaire. UNODC resources for demand reduction have remained stable in recent years, at around 13 per cent of its budget. The only area of</p>

<sup>a</sup> General Assembly resolution 54/132, annex.

<sup>b</sup> Resolution S-20/3, annex.



<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(d) To allocate, while keeping the balance between supply and demand reduction programmes, adequate resources to allow it to fulfil its role in the implementation of the Action Plan <sup>a</sup> for the Implementation of the Declaration on the Guiding Principles of Drug Demand Reduction, <sup>b</sup> and to support countries, upon their request, in further continuing to develop and implement drug demand reduction policies;	Partly implemented.	Resources available to UNODC and Member States were not sufficient to implement all the activities required in the Action Plan. That is made clear by the analysis of the data collected through the biennial reports questionnaire. UNODC resources for demand reduction have remained stable in recent years, at around 13 per cent of its budget. The only area of increase has been that of HIV/AIDS.
		(e) To take into account the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly, to include in its report on illicit drug trafficking an updated, objective and comprehensive assessment of worldwide trends in illicit traffic and transit in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, including methods and routes used, and to recommend ways and means of improving the capacity of States along those routes to address all aspects of the drug problem;	Implemented.	Regular budget resources available.  A current assessment of trends, routes, modus operandi and, within the reporting on the convening of subsidiary bodies of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, recommendations to improve capacity and responses of Member States are included in the regular report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.
		(f) To engage, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, with national and regional experts from all geographical regions, as well as experts from relevant international organizations in the field of drug control, on the collection and use of complementary drug-related data and expertise to support the global assessment by Member States of the implementation of the declarations and measures adopted by the General Assembly at its twentieth special session;	Implemented.  (See documents E/CN.7/2007/7 and E/CN.7/2008/8.)	Extrabudgetary resources were provided by the European Commission.
		(g) To publish the <i>World Drug Report</i> , with comprehensive and balanced information about the world drug problem, and to seek additional extrabudgetary resources for its publication in all the	Partly implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources are required to translate the report into all official languages of the United Nations. (An amount of \$45,000 is required

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(g) To publish the <i>World Drug Report</i> , with comprehensive and balanced information about the world drug problem, and to seek additional extrabudgetary resources for its publication in all the official languages;	Partly implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources are required to translate the report into all official languages of the United Nations. (An amount of \$45,000 is required to publish the report in Arabic, Chinese and Russian). The <i>World Drug Report 2007<sup>c</sup></i> was published in English, French and Spanish.
		(h) To provide technical assistance, from available voluntary contributions for that purpose, to those States identified by relevant international bodies as the most affected by the transit of drugs, in particular developing countries in need of such assistance and support;	Implemented.	Both regular budget and extrabudgetary resources were used.  UNODC provides technical assistance to transit States through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes.
		(i) To provide assistance to Member States requesting support in establishing or strengthening scientific and forensic capabilities, and to promote the integration of scientific support to national, regional and international drug control frameworks, legislation and practices;	Partly implemented.	Insufficient regular budget and extrabudgetary resources.  Implementation is ongoing.  Technical assistance activities are ongoing, but capacity-building activities require funding.
		(j) To provide legal advisory services to Member States, upon request, in support of their implementation of the international drug control conventions;	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.  Implementation is ongoing
		(k) To share information with Member States on the work carried out towards the assessment of the implementation of the goals and targets of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly;	Implemented.  (See document E/CN.7/2007/2 and Add.1-6.)	
		(l) To report annually to the General Assembly on the work of the Office in connection with the areas mentioned in the present paragraph.	Implemented.  (See document A/62/117.)	
	37	Calls upon the relevant United Nations agencies and	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.

<sup>c</sup> United Nations publication, Sales No. E.07.XI.5.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	37	Calls upon the relevant United Nations agencies and entities and other international organizations, and invites international financial institutions, including regional development banks, to mainstream drug control issues into their programmes, and calls upon UNODC to maintain its leading role by providing relevant information and technical assistance.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.

Table 6  
**Economic and Social Council decisions adopted in 2007**

<i>Decision</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Baku Accord on Regional Cooperation against Illicit Drugs and Related Matters: a Vision for the Twenty-first Century</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2006/30)	3	Requests the Secretary-General to inform all Member States, relevant specialized agencies and other entities of the United Nations system and other intergovernmental organizations of the Baku Accord on Regional Cooperation against Illicit Drugs and Related Matters.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2006/4.)	Member States were informed through the report E/CN.7/2006/4.
<b>Using alternative development programmes to reduce the cultivation of cannabis plants</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2006/31)	2	Also calls upon Member States, and requests the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), to implement General Assembly resolution 59/160 on the control of cultivation of and trafficking in cannabis.	Partly implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2008/9.)	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.
	4	Calls upon Member States, and invites organizations with experience and relevant expertise in the eradication of illicit crops and in the design and implementation of alternative development programmes, to share that experience and expertise, upon request, with States seeking to develop and implement eradication and alternative development programmes with a view to reducing the cultivation of cannabis plants, especially in Africa, and requests UNODC to facilitate efforts in that regard.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.  UNODC facilitated the invitation of an official from Morocco to attend a workshop on alternative development held in Bangkok in 2007, sponsored by UNODC, the Food and Agriculture Organization and the German Agency for Technical Cooperation (GTZ). However, the Government of Morocco

<i>Decision</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	4	Calls upon Member States, and invites organizations with experience and relevant expertise in the eradication of illicit crops and in the design and implementation of alternative development programmes, to share that experience and expertise, upon request, with States seeking to develop and implement eradication and alternative development programmes with a view to reducing the cultivation of cannabis plants, especially in Africa, and requests UNODC to facilitate efforts in that regard.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.  UNODC facilitated the invitation of an official from Morocco to attend a workshop on alternative development held in Bangkok in 2007, sponsored by UNODC, the Food and Agriculture Organization and the German Agency for Technical Cooperation (GTZ). However, the Government of Morocco did not send a representative to the workshop. The Office is planning a programming mission to Morocco in order to assist the country in its efforts to address cannabis cultivation through alternative development. UNODC also facilitated the exchange of experience on alternative development between Thailand and Indonesia. Indonesia is contemplating alternative development programmes to address cannabis cultivation in Aceh province. Voluntary contributions have not yet been secured to conduct a survey of the extent of cannabis cultivation in Aceh province.
	6	Requests UNODC, when requested by States reporting the large-scale cultivation of cannabis plants, to conduct a study with development partners, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, on the feasibility of implementing alternative development programmes in those countries.	Not implemented.	Extrabudgetary funds have been secured for the first phase of assistance to Morocco.  Programming mission to Morocco has been planned.
	8	Requests UNODC to consider the possibility of developing a global, integrated and balanced strategy for alternative	Not implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.

<i>Decision</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Support for the National Drug Control Strategy of the Government of Afghanistan</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2006/32)	8	Requests UNODC to consider the possibility of developing a global, integrated and balanced strategy for alternative development in consultation with Member States, in coordination with ongoing efforts to establish an overarching strategy, pursuant to paragraphs 9 and 10 of Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/14. <sup>a</sup>	Not implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.  The development of an integrated and balanced global strategy would be dependent, inter alia, on the results of an assessment of the global cannabis situation for which UNODC has prepared a proposal, which would require an estimated \$9.1 million. To date, no interest has been shown by Member States in funding that activity.
	9	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its fifty-first session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2008/9.)	
	9	Invites Member States to provide the necessary resources to UNODC to support the work of the Central Asian Regional Information and Coordination Centre.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Extrabudgetary funding is used.
	10	Calls upon UNODC to strengthen its efforts, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, to ensure that multilateral assistance is provided to Afghanistan in full support of its National Drug Control Strategy.	Partly implemented.	Extrabudgetary funding was provided by Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America, as well as the European Commission and the United Nations Development Programme and the United Nations Trust Fund for Human

<sup>a</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2005, Supplement No. 8 (E/2005/28/Rev.1), part two, chap. I, para. 1.*

<i>Decision</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	10	Calls upon UNODC to strengthen its efforts, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, to ensure that multilateral assistance is provided to Afghanistan in full support of its National Drug Control Strategy.	Partly implemented.	Extrabudgetary funding was provided by Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America, as well as the European Commission and the United Nations Development Programme and the United Nations Trust Fund for Human Security.
<b>Strengthening international cooperation for alternative development, including preventive alternative development, with due regard for environmental protection</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2006/33)	2	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, and all Member States to continue to cooperate effectively on programmes and projects to promote alternative development, including, where appropriate, preventive alternative development.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources. Implementation is contingent on the availability of extrabudgetary resources. UNODC has continued to support the countries most affected by illicit drug crop cultivation in designing and implementing alternative development policies, programmes and projects, with due regard for environmental protection.
	5	Invites Member States, relevant international organizations, financial institutions, regional development banks, funds for the protection of the environment and non-governmental organizations to support and promote financing for programmes and projects in the context of alternative development, including, where appropriate, preventive alternative development, taking into account that, in areas affected by or vulnerable to illicit crop cultivation and illicit drug production, protecting the environment, preventing its degradation and promoting its sustainable recovery should be considered.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources. Implementation is contingent on the availability of extrabudgetary resources. UNODC has continued to support the countries most affected by illicit drug crop cultivation in designing and implementing alternative development policies,

<i>Decision</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>The need for a balance between demand for and supply of opiates used to meet medical and scientific needs</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2006/34)	5	Invites Member States, relevant international organizations, financial institutions, regional development banks, funds for the protection of the environment and non-governmental organizations to support and promote financing for programmes and projects in the context of alternative development, including, where appropriate, preventive alternative development, taking into account that, in areas affected by or vulnerable to illicit crop cultivation and illicit drug production, protecting the environment, preventing its degradation and promoting its sustainable recovery should be considered.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.  Implementation is contingent on the availability of extrabudgetary resources. UNODC has continued to support the countries most affected by illicit drug crop cultivation in designing and implementing alternative development policies, programmes and projects, with due regard for environmental protection.
	6	Requests UNODC, Member States and relevant international organizations to redouble their efforts to obtain new and additional voluntary financial resources, at the bilateral and multilateral levels, in support of programmes and projects related to alternative development, including, where appropriate, preventive alternative development, with due regard for environmental protection.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC made efforts in this area both in the field and at headquarters. For example, in 2007, UNODC became a member of the Global Donor Platform for Rural Development.
	7	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its fiftieth session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2007/8.)	
	7	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board to continue its efforts to monitor the implementation of the relevant Economic and Social Council resolutions in full compliance with the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961 <sup>b</sup> and that Convention as amended by the 1972 Protocol. <sup>c</sup>	Implemented.	

<sup>b</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 520, No. 7515.

<sup>c</sup> *Ibid.*, vol. 976, No. 14152.

<i>Decision</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	8	Requests the Secretary-General to transmit the text of the present resolution to all Governments for consideration and implementation.	Implemented. (See note verbale dated 2 October 2006 (NAR/CL.3/2006).)	

Table 7  
**Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolutions adopted in 2006**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Collection and use of complementary drug-related data and expertise to support the global assessment by Member States of the implementation of the declarations and measures adopted by the General Assembly at its twentieth special session</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 49/1)	2	Calls upon the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, to engage with national and regional experts from all geographical regions, as well as experts from relevant international organizations in the field of drug control, on the collection and use of complementary drug-related data and expertise to support the global assessment by Member States of the implementation of the declarations and measures adopted by the General Assembly at its twentieth special session.	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2007/7 and E/CN.7/2008/8.)	Both limited regular and extrabudgetary resources were used.  In addition to compiling data submitted by Member States for the annual reports questionnaire, UNODC has developed partnerships for data exchange with the Central Asia Regional Information and Coordination Centre, the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction, the European Police Office, the International Criminal Police Organization (INTERPOL), the Southeast European Cooperative Initiative Center and the World Customs Organization.
	3	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, to submit a report on the results of those efforts, together with recommendations on the collection and use of complementary drug-related data and expertise to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs for its consideration with a view to, as appropriate, complementing the information available to Member States and providing them with additional input to make an objective, scientific, balanced	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2007/7 and E/CN.7/2008/8.)	Both regular and extrabudgetary resources were used.  Reports concerning trends in drug trafficking are submitted annually to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and its subsidiary bodies.



<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	3	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, to submit a report on the results of those efforts, together with recommendations on the collection and use of complementary drug-related data and expertise to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs for its consideration with a view to, as appropriate, complementing the information available to Member States and providing them with additional input to make an objective, scientific, balanced and transparent global assessment of the implementation of the declarations and measures adopted by the General Assembly at its twentieth special session.	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2007/7 and E/CN.7/2008/8.)	Both regular and extrabudgetary resources were used. Reports concerning trends in drug trafficking are submitted annually to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and its subsidiary bodies.
	5	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission at its fiftieth session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2007/7 and E/CN.7/2008/8.)	
<b>Recognizing the contribution of civil society in global efforts to address the drug problem in the context of reporting on the goals and targets for 2008 set by the General Assembly at its twentieth special session</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 49/2)	5	Calls upon the Executive Director of UNODC to continue to work, as appropriate, with relevant United Nations entities, international organizations and non-governmental organizations in order to facilitate participation by representatives of non-governmental organizations in the preparations for the tenth anniversary of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly.	Partly implemented.	Extrabudgetary funding required to conduct consultations with non-governmental organizations. Consultations with intergovernmental organizations completed. Extrabudgetary resources were provided by the European Commission.
<b>Strengthening systems for the control of precursor chemicals used in the manufacture of synthetic drugs</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 49/3)	2	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board to provide [...] estimates [of legitimate requirements for 3,4-methylenedioxyphenyl-2-propanone, pseudoephedrine, ephedrine and phenyl-2-propanone and estimated requirements for imports of preparations containing those substances that can be easily used or recovered by readily applicable means] to Member States in such a manner as to ensure that such information is used only for drug control purposes.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.
<b>Responding to the prevalence of HIV/AIDS and other blood-borne diseases among drug users</b> (Commission on Narcotic	4	Request the Executive Director of UNODC to report to it biennially, starting at its fifty-first session, on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2008/7.)	Extrabudgetary resources were used.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Responding to the prevalence of HIV/AIDS and other blood-borne diseases among drug users</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 49/4)	4	Request the Executive Director of UNODC to report to it biennially, starting at its fifty-first session, on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2008/7.)	Extrabudgetary resources were used.
<b>Paris Pact initiative</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 49/5)	4	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC, subject to the availability of extrabudgetary resources, to facilitate the organization and holding of the conference on that matter and to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its fiftieth session.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2007/9.)	Extrabudgetary resources were used.
<b>Promoting a consistent approach to the treatment of saffrole-rich oils</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 49/7)	4	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board to provide a definition of "saffrole-rich oils" for the purpose of controlling such substances in the same manner as saffrole under the United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances of 1988. <sup>a</sup>	Implemented.	See the report on the fiftieth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs. <sup>b</sup>
	5	Urges Member States to ensure that mechanisms are in place to collect information on saffrole-rich oils and to use form D to provide to the International Narcotics Control Board information on licit trade and trafficking in saffrole-rich oils.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.

Table 8  
**General Assembly resolutions adopted in 2005**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>International cooperation against the world drug problem</b> (General Assembly resolution 60/178)	section III, 5	Welcomes the efforts of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) to implement its mandate, and requests UNDOC to continue:  (a) To strengthen dialogue with Member States and also to ensure continued improvement in management, so as to contribute to enhanced and sustainable programme delivery and further encourage the Executive Director to maximize the effectiveness of the drug programme	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.  Intersessional meetings for the permanent missions take place regularly. In addition, regular

<sup>a</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1582, No. 27627.

<sup>b</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2007, Supplement No. 8 and corrigendum (E/2007/28/Rev.1 and Corr.1)*, part one, para. 92.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>International cooperation against the world drug problem</b> (General Assembly resolution 60/178)	section III, 5	Welcomes the efforts of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) to implement its mandate, and requests UNDOC to continue:		
		(a) To strengthen dialogue with Member States and also to ensure continued improvement in management, so as to contribute to enhanced and sustainable programme delivery and further encourage the Executive Director to maximize the effectiveness of the drug programme of UNODC, inter alia, through the full implementation of Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolutions, in particular the recommendations contained therein;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Intersessional meetings for the permanent missions take place regularly. In addition, regular ad hoc briefings are held for permanent missions on all aspects of the work of UNODC, including management. UNODC also holds regular briefings and consultations, for all permanent missions and for individual regional groups and with the chairmen of the regional groups and the chairmen of the governing bodies, on topical issues such as facilitating the review of the consolidated budget of UNODC.
		(b) To strengthen cooperation with Member States and with United Nations programmes, funds and relevant agencies, as well as relevant regional organizations and agencies and non-governmental organizations, and to provide, upon request, assistance in implementing the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC, through its global assistance programmes implemented in the field and from headquarters supported Member States and others in the implementation of the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly. UNODC provides assistance to States through its programme of technical assistance, delivered through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes. Regional meetings of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies and the

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(b) To strengthen cooperation with Member States and with United Nations programmes, funds and relevant agencies, as well as relevant regional organizations and agencies and non-governmental organizations, and to provide, upon request, assistance in implementing the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly;	Partly implemented.	<p>Implementation is ongoing.</p> <p>UNODC, through its global assistance programmes implemented in the field and from headquarters supported Member States and others in the implementation of the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly.</p> <p>UNODC provides assistance to States through its programme of technical assistance, delivered through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes. Regional meetings of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies and the Subcommission on Illicit Drug Traffic and Related Matters in the Near and Middle East directly support cooperation and mutual support.</p>
		(c) To increase its assistance, within the available voluntary resources, to countries that are deploying efforts to reduce illicit crop cultivation by, in particular, adopting alternative development programmes, and to explore new and innovative funding mechanisms;	Partly implemented.	<p>Lack of extrabudgetary resources.</p> <p>Despite concerted and increased efforts in the field and at headquarters to mobilize voluntary resources and explore new and innovative funding mechanisms for alternative development, the level of UNODC alternative development programmes has tended to decrease since 2000 (with an average annual budget of approximately \$12 million).</p>

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(d) To allocate, while keeping the balance between supply and demand reduction programmes, adequate resources to allow it to fulfil its role in the implementation of the Action Plan <sup>a</sup> for the Implementation of the Declaration on the Guiding Principles of Drug Demand Reduction, <sup>b</sup> and support countries, upon their request, to further develop and implement drug demand reduction policies;	Partly implemented.	Resources available to UNDOC and Member States were not sufficient to implement all the activities required in the Action Plan. This is made clear by the analysis of the biennial reports questionnaire data. UNODC resources for demand reduction have remained stable in recent years, at approximately 13 per cent of its budget. The only area of increase has been that of HIV/AIDS.
		(e) To develop action-oriented strategies to assist Member States to implement the Action Plan for the Implementation of the Declaration;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Strategies were developed, but implementation was limited because of lack of funds.
		(f) To strengthen dialogue and cooperation with multilateral development banks and with international financial institutions so that they may undertake lending and programming activities related to drug control in interested and affected countries to implement the outcome of the twentieth special session, and to keep the Commission on Narcotic Drugs informed of further progress made in this area;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC has established cooperation arrangements with multilateral development banks and international financial institutions such as the World Bank and the Inter-American Development Bank, with which joint initiatives have been identified and developed.
		(g) To take into account the outcome of the twentieth special session, to include in its report on the illicit traffic in drugs an updated, objective and comprehensive assessment of worldwide trends in illicit traffic and transit in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, including methods and routes used, and to recommend ways and means of improving the capacity of States along those routes to address all aspects of the drug problem;	Implemented.	Regular budget resources are used.  A current assessment of trends, routes and modus operandi and, through the reporting on the meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, recommendations to improve the capacity and the responses

<sup>a</sup> General Assembly resolution 54/132, annex.

<sup>b</sup> Resolution S-20/3, annex.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(g) To take into account the outcome of the twentieth special session, to include in its report on the illicit traffic in drugs an updated, objective and comprehensive assessment of worldwide trends in illicit traffic and transit in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, including methods and routes used, and to recommend ways and means of improving the capacity of States along those routes to address all aspects of the drug problem;	Implemented.	Regular budget resources are used.  A current assessment of trends, routes and modus operandi and, through the reporting on the meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, recommendations to improve the capacity and the responses of Member States are included in the regular report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.
		(h) To publish the <i>World Drug Report</i> , with comprehensive and balanced information about the world drug problem, and to seek additional extrabudgetary resources for its publication in all the official languages;	Partly implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources are not available to translate the report into all the official languages. (An amount of \$45,000 is required to publish the report in Arabic, Chinese and Russian.) The <i>World Drug Report 2006<sup>c</sup></i> was published in English, French and Spanish.
		(i) To provide technical assistance, from available voluntary contributions for that purpose, to those States identified by relevant international bodies as the most affected by the transit of drugs, in particular developing countries in need of such assistance and support;	Implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources are used. Assistance to transit States is provided through the UNODC programme of technical assistance, delivered through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes.
		(j) To provide assistance, at the request of States and respecting fully their sovereignty and territorial integrity, in monitoring illicit crop cultivation and in detecting on time its emergence or relocation.	Partly implemented.	Continuing extrabudgetary resources continue to be required. Implementation is ongoing. Through the illicit crop monitoring programme, UNODC assists Governments in this regard.

<sup>c</sup> United Nations publication, Sales No. E.06.XI.10.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	6	Welcomes also the follow-up, led by UNODC, to the 2003 Paris Conference on Drug Routes from Central Asia to Europe (the Paris Pact), <sup>d</sup> encourages UNODC and other relevant international institutions to continue their efforts, and encourages UNODC to develop similar strategies in other regions for countries affected by the transit of illicit drugs through their territory.	Partly implemented.	Both regular and extrabudgetary resources are used.  The field office network is working with Member States to develop national and regional strategies, in coordination with, for example, the Central Asian Regional Information and Coordination Centre and the Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf.
	8	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of resources and the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>e</sup> together with international financial institutions and the organizations involved in preventing and suppressing money-laundering and drug trafficking, to facilitate the provision of training and advice through technical cooperation in States, when requested, taking into account, inter alia, the recommendations on money-laundering and the financing of terrorism formulated by the Financial Action Task Force on Money Laundering and its regional groups.	Partly implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources are used. This is an ongoing activity.
<b>Providing support to Afghanistan with a view to ensuring effective implementation of its Counter-Narcotics Implementation Plan</b> (General Assembly resolution 60/179)	6	Requests UNODC to strengthen its efforts to ensure that multilateral support is provided to Afghanistan in line and in coordination with the Counter-Narcotics Implementation Plan.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.

Table 9  
**Economic and Social Council resolutions adopted in 2005**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
-------------------	------------------	-----------------------------------	---------------------------------	----------------

<sup>d</sup> S/2003/641.

<sup>e</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2001, Supplement No. 8 (E/2001/28/Rev.1)*, part two, chap. I, resolution 44/20, annex.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Treatment of pain using opioid analgesics</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2005/25)	2	Invites the International Narcotics Control Board and the World Health Organization to examine the feasibility of a possible assistance mechanism that would facilitate the adequate treatment of pain using opioid analgesics and to inform the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-ninth session of the results of that examination.	Implemented. (See the report on the forty-ninth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs <sup>a</sup> and E/CN.7/2007/CRP.2.)	
	3	Requests the Secretary-General to transmit the text of the present resolution to all Member States for their consideration and implementation and to report on the implementation of the resolution to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-ninth session.	Implemented. (See the note verbale of the Secretary-General dated 31 August 2005 (NAR/CL.6/2005).)	
<b>Demand for and supply of opiates used to meet medical and scientific needs</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2005/26)	6	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board to continue its efforts in monitoring the implementation of the relevant Economic and Social Council resolutions in full compliance with the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961 <sup>b</sup> and that Convention as amended by the 1972 Protocol. <sup>c</sup>	Implemented.	This is an ongoing activity of the Board and is reported on in its annual reports.
	7	Requests the Secretary-General to transmit the text of the present resolution to all Member States for consideration and implementation and to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-ninth session on progress made in the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See the note verbale of the Secretary-General dated August 2005 (NAR/CL.7/2005), the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 <sup>d</sup> and the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 on the Implementation of Article 12 of the United Nations	The reporting obligation created by the resolution coincides with areas covered by the reports of the International Narcotics Control Board submitted to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.

<sup>a</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2006, Supplement No. 8 (E/2006/28).*

<sup>b</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 520, No. 7515.

<sup>c</sup> *Ibid.*, vol. 976, No. 14152.

<sup>d</sup> *Report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005* (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.06.XI.2).



<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	7	Requests the Secretary-General to transmit the text of the present resolution to all Member States for consideration and implementation and to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-ninth session on progress made in the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See the note verbal of the Secretary-General dated August 2005 (NAR/CL.7/2005), the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 <sup>d</sup> and the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 on the Implementation of Article 12 of the United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances of 1988. <sup>e</sup> )	The reporting obligation created by the resolution coincides with areas covered by the reports of the International Narcotics Control Board submitted to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.
<b>International assistance to States affected by the transit of illicit drugs</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2005/27)	2	Welcomes the fact that the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) has led the follow-up to the Paris Pact initiative that emerged from the Paris Statement, <sup>f</sup> which was issued at the end of the Conference on Drug Routes from Central Asia to Europe, held in Paris on 21 and 22 May 2003, and encourages UNODC to develop similar strategies in other regions for countries affected by the transit of illicit drugs through their territory.	Partly implemented.	Both regular and extrabudgetary resources are used.  The field office network works with Member States to develop national and regional strategies in coordination with, for example, with the Central Asian Regional Information and Coordination Centre and the Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf.
	3	Calls upon Member States and UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the guidelines	Implemented.	Both regular and extrabudgetary resources are used.

<sup>e</sup> *Precursors and Chemicals Frequently Used in the Illicit Manufacture of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances: Report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005* (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.06.XI.5).

<sup>f</sup> S/2003/641, annex.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	3	Calls upon Member States and UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds adopted by the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, <sup>g</sup> or from earmarked funds, to further strengthen such initiatives by providing assistance and technical support to States affected by the transit of illicit drugs, in particular developing countries, as well as countries with economies in transition, that are in need of such assistance and support.	Implemented.	Both regular and extrabudgetary resources are used.  UNODC provides technical assistance to transit States through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes.
	6	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-ninth session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2006/6.)	Regular budget resources are used.

<sup>g</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2001, Supplement No. 8 (E/2001/28/Rev.1)*, part two, chap. I, resolution 44/20, annex.

Table 10  
**Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolutions adopted in 2005**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<p><b>Promoting the sharing of information on emerging trends in the abuse of and trafficking in substances not controlled under the international drug control conventions</b></p> <p>(Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/1)</p>	2	Requests the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) to play a role in gathering from Member States information on emerging substances of abuse and in sharing that information with other Member States.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Emerging trends in the abuse of new drug types have been brought forward for discussion by Member States participating in the regional meetings of the subsidiary bodies of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, and their observations, conclusions and recommendations are reflected in the reports of those bodies submitted to the Commission.
<p><b>Strengthening the drug programme of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and the role of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs as its governing body</b></p> <p>(Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/2)</p>	3	Stresses that the country and regional offices of UNODC play an essential role in programme delivery and that their effective functioning depends, inter alia, on their receiving the necessary administrative and managerial support, and requests the Executive Director to ensure that such support is given.	Partly implemented.	Ongoing reviews are undertaken of the role, functions and impact of regional and country field offices. Their effective functioning requires more stable and secure funding and the redeployment of funds to offices with adequate programming levels.
	5	Requests the Executive Director to ensure that evaluation becomes an integral part of the design, monitoring and implementation of all projects of UNODC, and looks forward to greater focus on project impact.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. In 2007, UNODC trained its field staff in project cycle management, which is a first step towards making evaluation an integral part of project design. New evaluation policy and guidelines provide for impact evaluations and ensure that evaluation is an integral part of the project design process.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Securing assured and predictable voluntary funding for the Fund of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/3)	7	Encourages the ongoing review of financial management, expects that it will allow UNODC and Member States to assess the cost, impact and effectiveness of operational activities in an open manner and contribute to the full introduction of result-based budgeting, and looks forward to the continued development of the system, including the implementation of result-based management.	Partly implemented.	Member States can assess the cost, impact and effectiveness of operational activities through the Programme and Financial Information Management System (ProFi). The consolidated budget for the biennium 2008-2009 follows a result-based approach. Result-based management continues to be developed.
	9	Requests the Executive Director to report to it, at its forty-ninth session, on further progress made in implementing management and budgetary reform.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2006/8.)	
	2	Requests the Executive Director to continue his efforts, in cooperation with Member States, to broaden the donor base and to increase voluntary contributions to the Fund of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme, including, in particular, general-purpose funds as well as funds earmarked for the support budget, taking into account that the efficient and effective planning of the operational activities of UNODC is closely linked to the availability of an adequate and stable balance of general-purpose funds.	Partly implemented.	The broadening of the donor base is an ongoing exercise. In the period 2006-2007, there was a significant increase in the overall level of voluntary funding. Also, there was an increase in the share of non-traditional donors, including the private sector. However, general-purpose contributions declined and only recently have started to increase slightly. (In that context, see document E/CN.7/2008/11-E/CN.15/2008/15, and for further details, see UNODC <i>Annual Report 2006</i> and <i>Annual Report 2007</i> .)
	4	Requests UNODC to continue to examine whether its programme activities may be duplicative of programmes carried out by other United Nations entities and to ensure that such duplication is avoided by effective communication in establishing budget priorities.	Implemented.	In the review of the consolidated budget for the biennium 2006-2007, it was noted that there had been no such duplication. For example, UNODC does not duplicate activities of the secretariat of the Joint United Nations

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	4	Requests UNODC to continue to examine whether its programme activities may be duplicative of programmes carried out by other United Nations entities and to ensure that such duplication is avoided by effective communication in establishing budget priorities.	Implemented.	In the review of the consolidated budget for the biennium 2006-2007, it was noted that there had been no such duplication. For example, UNODC does not duplicate activities of the secretariat of the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS), but takes the lead on all HIV/AIDS activities related to drug abuse and in prisons, at the request of the UNAIDS secretariat. Those activities are coordinated with all other co-sponsors of UNAIDS. With the adoption of the strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC and its harmonization with the consolidated budget for 2008-2009, the budget priorities of UNODC are more clearly defined.
	5	Requests the Executive Director to keep Member States informed on the use of general-purpose funds, as set out in the guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> and in particular the core functions/positions that are financed by such funds.	Implemented.	Since 2004, briefing notes on the status of general-purpose funds have been given to all Member States on a regular basis.
	9	Requests the Executive Director to monitor the ratio between the programme and the support budgets to ensure that support costs are not increased to the detriment of expenditure on programmes.	Implemented.	That ratio has been closely monitored, resulting in its improvement from 76:24 in the period 2002-2003 to 77:23 in the period 2004-2005 and to 79:21 in the period 2006-2007 (subject to the finalization of accounts).
	10	Also requests the Executive Director to make proposals to donors, in accordance with the guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, aimed at improving adequately the	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2006/8 and	

<sup>a</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2001, Supplement No. 8 (E/2001/28/Rev.1)*, part two, chap. I, resolution 44/20, annex.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	10	Also requests the Executive Director to make proposals to donors, in accordance with the guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, aimed at improving adequately the ratio between earmarked funds and general-purpose funds.	Implemented. (See documents E/CN.7/2006/8 and E/CN.7/2008/11-E/CN.15/2008/15.)	
	11	Further requests the Executive Director to review the options included in its resolution 46/9 and to consider their viability in the current situation.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.  The resolution has been superseded by Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/14 and Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice resolution 16/6, in which the commissions requested the Executive Director to submit an annual report on the ways and means of improving the financial situation of UNODC, including the situation of the field offices. (See document E/CN.7/2008/11-E/CN.15/2008/15.)
	12	Requests the Executive Director to report to it at its forty-ninth session on further progress made in securing assured and predictable voluntary funding and on his efforts to implement the provisions contained in its resolution 46/9.	Implemented. (See report E/CN.7/2006/8.)	
<b>Women and substance use</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/6)	3	Requests UNODC to ensure that gender issues are given appropriate attention in future reporting on the world situation with regard to drug abuse, having regard to the issues identified in its recent publication and report. <sup>b</sup>	Partly implemented.	Limited resources are available.  UNODC has assisted countries in developing better drug information systems and highlighted the need to collect gender-disaggregated data. However, resources allocated to this aspect of demand reduction have been limited, and the impact has been noted only in some countries.

<sup>b</sup> E/CN.7/2005/3.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Application of research in practice</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/8)	7	Requests UNODC to assist Member States in the elimination of barriers by continuing to disseminate examples of relevant programmes and policies that constitute good practice.	Partly implemented.	UNODC has provided Member States with examples of good practice.
	2	Urges UNODC to promote the transfer of knowledge across international borders by coordination and dissemination efforts.	Partly implemented.	This is an ongoing activity. The scope for increasing dissemination is subject to the availability of extrabudgetary funds.
	4	Urges UNODC to continue to consider the role of multidisciplinary research structures in countering illicit drugs, together with the need for sound multidisciplinary evaluation models, and to promote appropriate models of good practice throughout the world.	Partly implemented.	This is an ongoing activity. The scope for increasing dissemination is subject to the availability of extrabudgetary funds.  UNODC carries out a number of activities concerning the application of research in practice, such as the international network of drug dependence treatment and rehabilitation resource centres (Treatnet), the Global Assessment Programme on Drug Abuse and the illicit crop monitoring programme. UNODC also promotes models of good practice on applying research to practice through its technical cooperation programmes and through the feedback provided by evaluations, in which the work of the Independent Evaluation Unit has made significant contributions.
<b>Strengthening alternative development as an important drug control strategy and establishing alternative development as a cross-cutting issue</b> (Commission on Narcotic	11	Calls upon UNODC to identify means to strengthen its capacity in alternative development, including preventive alternative development, in order to provide leadership and technical guidance to States and relevant institutions, to play a major role in the analytical assessment of drug problems, to act as a coordinating body for activities related to drug control.	Partly implemented.	An additional P-4 post was secured in the regular programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007. However, one additional post is not sufficient, given the size and complexity of the task.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Strengthening alternative development as an important drug control strategy and establishing alternative development as a cross-cutting issue</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/9)	11	Calls upon UNODC to identify means to strengthen its capacity in alternative development, including preventive alternative development, in order to provide leadership and technical guidance to States and relevant institutions, to play a major role in the analytical assessment of drug problems, to act as a coordinating body for activities related to drug control.	Partly implemented.	An additional P-4 post was secured in the regular programme budget for the biennium 2006-2007. However, one additional post is not sufficient, given the size and complexity of the task.
	12	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to devote part of a future session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs to alternative development, to be held before 2008.	Implemented.	Alternative development was the focus of the thematic debate at the forty-ninth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.
	13	Also requests the Executive Director to report to it at its forty-ninth session on the progress made in implementing the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2006/7.)	
<b>Strengthening international cooperation to prevent the illicit manufacture of and trafficking in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances by preventing the diversion and smuggling of precursors and essential equipment in the context of Project Prism, Operation Purple and Operation Topaz</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/11)	5	Urges the International Narcotics Control Board to continue to play its key role in the international initiatives [contained in paragraph 4 of that resolution, concerning tracking of seizures back to the source of diversion] and especially to follow up seizures and cases involving the diversion or smuggling of precursors by facilitating investigation by the competent authorities of the countries concerned, to conduct a risk assessment or evaluation of seizures and cases involving attempted diversions and to incorporate the findings in its annual Report on Precursors and Chemicals Frequently Used in the Illicit Manufacture of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances.	Partly implemented.	This is an ongoing activity.
	9	Requests the Executive Director to report to it at its forty-ninth session on the implementation of the present resolution.	(See the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 <sup>c</sup> and the report of the International Narcotics Control	

<sup>c</sup> Report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.06.XI.2).



<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	9	Requests the Executive Director to report to it at its forty-ninth session on the implementation of the present resolution.	(See the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 <sup>c</sup> and the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 on the Implementation of Article 12 of the United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances of 1988. <sup>d</sup> )	
<b>Expanding the capacity of communities to provide information, treatment, health care and social services to people living with HIV/AIDS and other blood-borne diseases in the context of drug abuse and strengthening monitoring, evaluation and reporting systems</b>  (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/12 )	6	Calls upon UNODC and other entities involved in demand reduction and public awareness campaigns aimed at preventing the transmission of HIV/AIDS in the context of drug abuse prevention, to design and implement their programmes in a sustainable manner.	Partly implemented.	Efforts for HIV prevention and the design of care programmes need to be updated continuously in order to address new trends with respect to the epidemic in a sustainable manner.  In the implementation of its programme, UNODC has made efforts to ensure the commitment of Member States to the sustainability of interventions, but the lack of resources devoted to drug abuse prevention and treatment in some regions poses difficulties.

<sup>d</sup> *Precursors and Chemicals Frequently Used in the Illicit Manufacture of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances: Report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005* (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.06.XI.5).

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	7	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds and consistent with the international drug control treaties, to continue its work, in coordination with the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS and other relevant United Nations entities, to facilitate the collection, collation and dissemination of information on the relationship between HIV/AIDS and drug abuse, including identifying successful community capacity-building and successful practices in reducing prejudice against and stigmatization of those living with HIV/AIDS and other blood-borne diseases, in the context of drug use.	Partly implemented.	Efforts for HIV prevention and the design of care programmes need to be updated continuously in order to address the new trends with respect to the epidemic in a sustainable manner.
	8	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to it at its fiftieth session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2007/11.)	Extrabudgetary resources were used.

Table 11  
**General Assembly resolutions adopted in 2004**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Control of cultivation of and trafficking in cannabis</b> (General Assembly resolution 59/160)	2	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds, to begin a global survey of cannabis, initially with a market survey, before the forty-eighth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.	Partly implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2008/9.)	Lack of extrabudgetary resources. An amount of \$9.1 million is required to conduct a global survey. A market survey was undertaken and reported on in the <i>World Drug Report 2006</i> . <sup>b</sup>
	3	Also requests UNODC to support the creation or strengthening of national and subregional strategies and plans of action for the eradication of cannabis crops, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, or from earmarked funds.	Not implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources. No requests to draft action plans for the eradication of cannabis were received from Member States.
	9	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, at its forty-eighth session, on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2005/2/Add.2.)	
<b>Providing support to the Government of Afghanistan in its efforts to eliminate illicit opium and foster stability and security in the region</b> (General Assembly resolution 59/161)	7	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds, and encourages concerned Member States, international organizations and financial institutions to routinely mainstream counter-narcotics measures as part of their development cooperation strategies, in coordination with the development objectives of the Government of Afghanistan, so that sustainable alternative livelihoods are created in Afghanistan.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.

<sup>a</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2001, Supplement No. 8 (E/2001/28/Rev.1)*, part two, chap. I, resolution 44/20, annex.

<sup>b</sup> United Nations publication, Sales No. E.06.XI.10.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Follow-up on strengthening the systems of control over chemical precursors and preventing their diversion and trafficking</b>  (General Assembly resolution 59/162)	10	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board, pursuant to Economic and Social Council resolution 1995/20 of 24 July 1995, to monitor international trade so that diversion attempts can be identified, preventing chemical precursors from reaching the illicit market.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.
	11	Urges the International Narcotics Control Board to continue to follow up all such cases of diversion by facilitating investigations by national authorities and to make its findings available to Governments through its annual report.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.
	13	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC, within the framework of his biennial reports on the implementation of the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly and taking into account the relevant resolutions adopted on the subject since the special session, to include in his report on the control of precursors, starting with his report to be submitted to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-eighth session, recommendations on how to strengthen the use of the pre-export notification mechanism and ensure timely responses.	Implemented.  (See document E/CN.7/2005/2/Add.5, as well as the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 <sup>c</sup> and the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005 on the Implementation of Article 12 of the United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances of 1988. <sup>d</sup> )	
<b>International cooperation against the world drug problem</b>	section III, 5	Welcomes the efforts of the United Nations Office on Drugs and crime (UNODC) to implement its mandate, and requests UNODC to continue:		

<sup>c</sup> *Report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005* (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.06.XI.2).

<sup>d</sup> *Precursors and Chemicals Frequently Used in the Illicit Manufacture of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances: Report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2005* (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.06.XI.5).

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>International cooperation against the world drug problem</b>  (General Assembly resolution 59/163)	section III, 5	Welcomes the efforts of the United Nations Office on Drugs and crime (UNODC) to implement its mandate, and requests UNODC to continue:		
		(a) To strengthen dialogue with Member States and also to ensure continued improvement in management, so as to contribute to enhanced and sustainable programme delivery and further encourage the Executive Director to maximize the effectiveness of the drug programme of UNODC, inter alia, through the full implementation of Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolutions, in particular the recommendations contained therein;	Partly implemented.	Both regular and extrabudgetary resources are used. Implementation is ongoing.  Intersessional meetings for the permanent missions are held regularly, as well as regular ad hoc briefings for permanent missions, on all aspects of the work of UNODC, including management. UNODC also holds regular briefings and consultations for all permanent missions and for individual regional groups and the chairpersons of the regional groups and the chairpersons of the governing bodies, to address topical issues such as facilitating the review of the consolidated budget of UNODC.
		(b) To strengthen cooperation with Member States and with United Nations programmes, funds and relevant agencies, as well as relevant regional organizations and agencies and non-governmental organizations, and to provide, on request, assistance in implementing the outcome of the twentieth special session;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.  UNODC, through its field and headquarters global assistance programmes, supported Member States and others in the implementation of the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly.  Assistance to States is provided through the UNODC programme of technical assistance, delivered through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes. Regional meetings of heads of national

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(b) To strengthen cooperation with Member States and with United Nations programmes, funds and relevant agencies, as well as relevant regional organizations and agencies and non-governmental organizations, and to provide, on request, assistance in implementing the outcome of the twentieth special session;	Partly implemented.	<p>Implementation is ongoing.</p> <p>UNODC, through its field and headquarters global assistance programmes, supported Member States and others in the implementation of the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly.</p> <p>Assistance to States is provided through the UNODC programme of technical assistance, delivered through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes. Regional meetings of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies and the Subcommittee on Illicit Drug Traffic and Related Matters in the Near and Middle East directly support cooperation and mutual support.</p>
		(c) To increase its assistance, within the available voluntary resources, to countries that are deploying efforts to reduce illicit crop cultivation by, in particular, adopting alternative development programmes, and to explore new and innovative funding mechanisms;	Partly implemented.	<p>Despite concerted and increased efforts in the field and at headquarters to raise voluntary resources and explore new and innovative funding mechanisms for alternative development, the level of UNODC alternative development programmes has tended to decrease since 2000 (with an average budget of \$12 million per year).</p>

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(d) To allocate, while keeping the balance between supply and demand reduction programmes, adequate resources to allow it to fulfil its role in the implementation of the Action Plan <sup>e</sup> for the Implementation of the Declaration on the Guiding Principles of Drug Demand Reduction, <sup>f</sup> and support countries, upon their request, to further develop and implement drug demand reduction policies;	Partly implemented.	Resources available to UNODC and Member States were not sufficient to implement all the activities required by the Action Plan. That is made clear by the analysis of the data collected through the biennial reports questionnaire. UNODC resources for drug demand reduction have remained stable in recent years at about 13 per cent of the budget. The only area of increase has been that of HIV/AIDS.
		(e) To develop action-oriented strategies to assist Member States to implement the Action Plan for the Implementation of the Declaration, and to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-eighth session on the follow-up to the Action Plan;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Strategies were developed, but implementation was limited due to lack of funds.
		(f) To strengthen dialogue and cooperation with multilateral development banks and with international financial institutions so that they may undertake lending and programming activities related to drug control in interested and affected countries to implement the outcome of the twentieth special session, and to keep the Commission on Narcotic Drugs informed of further progress made in this area;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC continued to engage with multilateral development banks and international financial institutions in this regard.
		(g) To take into account the outcome of the twentieth special session, to include in its report on the illicit traffic in drugs an updated, objective and comprehensive assessment of worldwide trends in illicit traffic and transit in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, including methods and routes used, and to recommend ways and means of improving the capacity of States along those routes to address all aspects of the drug problem;	Implemented.	Regular budget resources are used.  A current assessment of trends, routes and modus operandi, and, through the reporting on the meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, recommendations to improve capacity and responses of

<sup>e</sup> General Assembly resolution 54/132, annex.

<sup>f</sup> Resolution S-20/3, annex.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(g) To take into account the outcome of the twentieth special session, to include in its report on the illicit traffic in drugs an updated, objective and comprehensive assessment of worldwide trends in illicit traffic and transit in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, including methods and routes used, and to recommend ways and means of improving the capacity of States along those routes to address all aspects of the drug problem;	Implemented.	Regular budget resources are used.  A current assessment of trends, routes and modus operandi, and, through the reporting on the meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, recommendations to improve capacity and responses of Member States, are included in the regular report to Commission on Narcotic Drugs.
		(h) To publish the <i>World Drug Report</i> , with comprehensive and balanced information about the world drug problem, and to seek additional extrabudgetary resources for its publication in all the official languages;	Partly implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources are not available to translate the report into all the official languages. An amount of \$45,000 is required to publish the report in Arabic, Chinese and Russian languages.  The <i>World Drug Report 2005</i> <sup>g</sup> was published in English, French and Spanish.
		(i) To provide technical assistance, from available voluntary contributions for that purpose, to those States identified by relevant international bodies as the most affected by the transit of drugs, in particular developing countries in need of such assistance and support;	Implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources were used.  Assistance to transit States is provided through the UNODC programme of technical assistance, delivered through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes.

<sup>g</sup> United Nations publication, Sales No. E.05.XI.10.



<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(j) To provide assistance, at the request of States and respecting fully their sovereignty and territorial integrity, and with the support of the United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs and the European Space Agency, among others, in detecting on time the emergence or relocation of illicit crop cultivation.		This activity is ongoing. Through the illicit crop monitoring programme, UNODC assists Governments in this regard.
	section III, 8	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of resources and the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> together with international financial institutions and the organizations involved in preventing and suppressing money-laundering and drug trafficking, to facilitate the provision of training and advice through technical cooperation in States, when requested, taking into account, inter alia, the recommendations on money-laundering and the financing of terrorism formulated by the Financial Action Task Force on Money Laundering and its regional groups.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Extrabudgetary resources are used.

Table 12  
**Economic and Social Council resolutions adopted in 2004**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Drug control and related crime prevention assistance for countries emerging from conflict</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2004/39)	1	Requests the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) to consider specific strategies to assist countries emerging from conflict in their drug control and related crime prevention efforts, in collaboration with the Governments of the affected countries and other relevant United Nations entities involved in the peace process, and to give priority to those countries, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC has supported the development of the national counter-narcotic capacity of the Government of Afghanistan and compliance of the criminal justice system with international standards and international legal instruments. UNODC has acted as an advisor within the framework of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA) and assisted the Government of Afghanistan in the

<sup>a</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2001, Supplement No. 8 (E/2001/28/Rev.1), part two, chap. I, resolution 44/20, annex.*

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Drug control and related crime prevention assistance for countries emerging from conflict</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2004/39)	1	Requests the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) to consider specific strategies to assist countries emerging from conflict in their drug control and related crime prevention efforts, in collaboration with the Governments of the affected countries and other relevant United Nations entities involved in the peace process, and to give priority to those countries, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC has supported the development of the national counter-narcotic capacity of the Government of Afghanistan and compliance of the criminal justice system with international standards and international legal instruments. UNODC has acted as an advisor within the framework of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA) and assisted the Government of Afghanistan in the development of sectorial policies (i.e. the National Drug Control Strategy and the national justice sector strategy) and implementation plans.
	2	Calls upon UNODC to facilitate the mainstreaming of drug control programmes in the development efforts of countries emerging from conflict.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.
	5	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-eighth session on the progress made in the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2005/10.)	
<b>Guidelines for psychosocially assisted pharmacological treatment of persons dependent on opioids</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2004/40)	13	Invites the World Health Organization, in collaboration with UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds, to develop and publish minimum requirements and international guidelines on psychosocially assisted pharmacological treatment of persons dependent on opioids, <sup>b</sup> taking into account regional initiatives in this field, in order to assist the Member States concerned.	Implemented.	The development of the guidelines is fully funded, but resources are still for required for training and dissemination. The World Health Organization and UNODC, together with other partners, have prepared the guidelines, and the final text is in the final stages of preparation, to be

<sup>b</sup> See, for example, M. Gossop, M. Grant and A. Wodak, eds., *The Uses of Methadone in the Treatment and Management of Opioid Dependence* (WHO/MNH/DAT/89.1) (Geneva, World Health Organization, 1989).

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Guidelines for psychosocially assisted pharmacological treatment of persons dependent on opioids</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2004/40)	13	Invites the World Health Organization, in collaboration with UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds, to develop and publish minimum requirements and international guidelines on psychosocially assisted pharmacological treatment of persons dependent on opioids, <sup>b</sup> taking into account regional initiatives in this field, in order to assist the Member States concerned.	Implemented.	The development of the guidelines is fully funded, but resources are still for required for training and dissemination.  The World Health Organization and UNODC, together with other partners, have prepared the guidelines, and the final text is in the final stages of preparation, to be submitted to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at a future session.
<b>Control of the manufacture of, trafficking in and abuse of synthetic drugs</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2004/41)	10	Encourages the relevant international organizations and other entities, in particular UNODC, to continue to recognize the serious global threat posed by synthetic drugs and to pursue appropriate action to ameliorate the situation.	Partly implemented.	This is an ongoing activity.
	11	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-eighth session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2005/2/Add.4.)	
<b>Sale of internationally controlled licit drugs to individuals via the Internet</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2004/42)	8	Requests the Secretary-General to transmit the text of the present resolution to all Member States for consideration.	Implemented. (See the note verbale of the Secretary-General dated 5 November 2004 (NAR/CL.8/2004).)	
Demand for and supply of opiates used to meet medical and scientific needs  (Economic and Social Council resolution 2004/43)	6	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board to continue its efforts in monitoring the implementation of the relevant Economic and Social Council resolutions in full compliance with the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961 <sup>c</sup> and that Convention as amended by the 1972 Protocol. <sup>d</sup>	Implemented. (See the note verbale of the Secretary-General dated 5 November 2004)	

<sup>c</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 520, No. 7515.

<sup>d</sup> *Ibid.*, vol. 976, No. 14152.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
Demand for and supply of opiates used to meet medical and scientific needs  (Economic and Social Council resolution 2004/43)	6	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board to continue its efforts in monitoring the implementation of the relevant Economic and Social Council resolutions in full compliance with the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961 <sup>c</sup> and that Convention as amended by the 1972 Protocol. <sup>d</sup>	Implemented.  (See the note verbale of the Secretary-General dated 5 November 2004 (NAR/CL.7/2004).)	
	7	Requests the Secretary-General to transmit the text of the present resolution to all Governments for consideration and implementation and to report on the implementation of the resolution to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-eighth session.	Implemented.  (See note verbale NAR/CL.7/2004 and the report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2004. <sup>e</sup> )	The reporting information required by this resolution is contained in the annual reports of the International Narcotics Control Board.

Table 13  
**Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolutions adopted in 2004**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Optimizing integrated drug information systems</b>  (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 47/1)	2	Requests the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) to promote the development of integrated drug information systems by utilizing data on both the demand for and the supply of illicit drugs and by strengthening collaboration with the International Narcotics Control Board, the World Health Organization (WHO) and other international bodies, so that information on drug abuse can be collected in a sustainable manner at low cost and will be available to all Member States to facilitate the formulation of sound programmes for the reduction of the demand for and supply of illicit drugs.	Partly implemented.	UNODC has worked with the World Health Organization (WHO) and other international bodies, such as the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction and the Inter-American Drug Abuse Control Commission, in disseminating best practices in this area and in developing key indicators on drug abuse, which are included in ongoing data collection activities among Member States.
	3	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose	Partly implemented.	Funds available for the Global Assessment Programme on Drug Abuse have been

<sup>e</sup> Report of the International Narcotics Control Board for 2004 (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.05.XI.3).

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Prevention of HIV/AIDS among drug users</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 47/2)	3	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds, to strengthen the Global Assessment Programme on Drug Abuse in order to improve, in consultation with Member States, the collection and analysis of comprehensive and internationally comparable data on the extent and patterns of and trends in drug abuse and the negative health consequences related to drug abuse, taking into account existing regional initiatives, including comprehensive programmes to reduce the transmission of all blood-borne diseases, programmes to reduce risky behaviour and programmes to reduce injecting drug abuse, and using epidemiologically sound and cost-effective methods.	Partly implemented.	Funds available for the Global Assessment Programme on Drug Abuse have been decreasing.
	4	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, or from earmarked funds, and regional organizations to continue providing to States, upon request, expert advice on sound epidemiological methods of collecting information on the abuse of, and dependence on, illicit substances and the consequences thereof.	Partly implemented.	Funds available for the Global Assessment Programme on Drug Abuse have been decreasing.
	5	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-eighth session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2005/3.)	
	8	Encourages UNODC, in collaboration with the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, the World Health Organization and other relevant organizations, within their existing mandates, to pursue their efforts in studying the effectiveness of drug-related HIV/AIDS prevention programmes, and report on the progress made to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-eighth session.	Implemented.	Pursuant to the resolution, efforts for joint publications and activities in collaboration with the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS) and WHO are under way, and the following publications were produced using extrabudgetary resources:  (a) Intensifying HIV Prevention: UNAIDS

<sup>a</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2001, Supplement No. 8 (E/2001/28/Rev.1), part two, chap. I, resolution 44/20, annex.*

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Prevention of HIV/AIDS among drug users</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 47/2)	8	Encourages UNODC, in collaboration with the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, the World Health Organization and other relevant organizations, within their existing mandates, to pursue their efforts in studying the effectiveness of drug-related HIV/AIDS prevention programmes, and report on the progress made to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-eighth session.	Implemented.	<p>Pursuant to the resolution, efforts for joint publications and activities in collaboration with the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS) and WHO are under way, and the following publications were produced using extrabudgetary resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Intensifying HIV Prevention: UNAIDS Policy Position Paper;<sup>b</sup></li> <li>(b) UNAIDS Technical Support Division of Labour: Summary and Rationale;<sup>b</sup></li> <li>(c) Global Task Team on Improving AIDS Coordination among Multilateral Institutions and International Donors: Final Report;<sup>c</sup></li> </ul> <p><i>Publications in 2004 and 2005</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(d) Advocacy Guide: HIV/AIDS Prevention Among Injecting Drug Users;<sup>d</sup></li> <li>(e) WHO/UNODC/UNAIDS Position Paper: Substitution Maintenance Therapy in the Management of Opioid Dependence and HIV/AIDS Prevention;<sup>e</sup></li> </ul>

<sup>b</sup> Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (Geneva, August 2005).

<sup>c</sup> Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (Geneva, June 2005).

<sup>d</sup> World Health Organization, Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS and United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (Geneva, 2004).

<sup>e</sup> World Health Organization, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
-------------------	------------------	-----------------------------------	---------------------------------	----------------

(Geneva, 2004).

<sup>f</sup> World Health Organization (Geneva, 2004).

<sup>g</sup> WHO/HIV/2004.03.

<sup>h</sup> WHO/HIV/2005.06.

<sup>i</sup> WHO/HIV/2004.02.

<sup>j</sup> WHO/HIV/2004.04.

<sup>k</sup> WHO/HIV/2004.05.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
-------------------	------------------	-----------------------------------	---------------------------------	----------------



<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
-------------------	------------------	-----------------------------------	---------------------------------	----------------

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<p><b>Strengthening the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and the role of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs as one of its governing bodies</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 47/3)</p>	9	Requests UNODC, in coordination with the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, the World Health Organization and other relevant international organizations, to convene an intergovernmental expert group meeting in Vienna, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds, to assist in putting together a specific programme on the main issues of HIV/AIDS and drug abuse, with emphasis on HIV/AIDS prevention, injecting drug use and risk-taking behaviour, and to make the report of the group available for the thematic debate at the forty-eighth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.	Implemented.  Oral report at the forty-eighth session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.	The UNODC expert group meeting on measuring and increasing coverage of HIV/AIDS prevention and care services for injecting drug users was held in Vienna, from 11 to 13 October 2005. The meeting was funded through extrabudgetary resources.  UNODC has been working in close collaboration with WHO and UNAIDS on the guidelines for setting targets to scale up HIV interventions in order to achieve universal access by 2010.
	10	Requests UNODC, in coordination with the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, to take an active role in achieving the above objectives.	Implemented.	See the remarks above.
	1	Requests UNODC to continue the reform undertaken to date and to maintain a culture of continuous improvement.	Partly implemented	This is an ongoing undertaking.  UNODC has instituted the following key measures since 2003:  (a) Operational priorities;  (b) New organizational structure;  (c) Preparing updated profiles of field offices;  (d) Adoption of rotation policy;  (e) Reform of the Programme and Projects Committee;  (f) Establishment of independent evaluation function;  (g) Availability of financial

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
-------------------	------------------	-----------------------------------	---------------------------------	----------------

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
-------------------	------------------	-----------------------------------	---------------------------------	----------------

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	3	Encourages the Executive Director of UNODC to continue facilitating dialogue with Member States on programmatic and management issues and on the ongoing reform process.	Implemented.	See the remarks for paragraph 7 of the resolution, below.
	7	Requests UNODC to facilitate that role by continuing to present substantive, concise and timely briefings and, when appropriate, reports to all Member States.	Partly implemented.	This is an ongoing activity. All the above-mentioned reforms were carried out in full consultation with Member States through regular financial briefings on the status of the general-purpose resources and in relation to the formulation of UNODC budgets. Briefings on organizational and substantive changes preceded all the above-mentioned reforms. Evidence of progress achieved in good governance is reflected in various reports of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, most recently, in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (E/CN.7/2007/18-E/CN.15/2007/19) and the report of the Executive Director (E/CN.7/2007/17-E/CN.15/2007/18).
	8	Encourages the Executive Director to expand on the strategic framework called for in General Assembly resolution 58/269 of 23 December 2003 and to develop a plan for UNODC, within policy guidelines that may be issued by its governing body, that will provide medium and long-term strategic direction.	Implemented.	The strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC has been approved by the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice and the Economic and Social Council. It was prepared in response to Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/14, in which the Commission urged

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	8	Encourages the Executive Director to expand on the strategic framework called for in General Assembly resolution 58/269 of 23 December 2003 and to develop a plan for UNODC, within policy guidelines that may be issued by its governing body, that will provide medium and long-term strategic direction.	Implemented.	The strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC has been approved by the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice and the Economic and Social Council. It was prepared in response to Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 48/14, in which the Commission urged UNODC to continue to develop an overarching strategy in consultation with Member States. The strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC responds to the needs of its many stakeholders and grew out of extensive consultations with Member States, intergovernmental organizations, non-governmental organizations and other stakeholders. The strategy for the period 2008-2011 was approved by the Economic and Social Council in its resolutions 2007/12 and 2007/19 of 25 and 26 July 2007 respectively. In Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/14 and Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice resolution 16/6, the strategy for the period 2008-2011 for UNODC was harmonized with the strategic framework of the United Nations for the period 2008-2009.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	11	Requests the Executive Director to report to it, at its forty-eighth session, on further progress made in implementing management changes.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2005/7.)	
<b>Illicit drug profiling in international law enforcement: maximizing outcome and improving cooperation</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 47/5)	2	Requests UNODC, in cooperation with Member States and subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be either from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds, to prepare a report identifying current drug profiling initiatives and best practices.	Not implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.
<b>Effective controlled delivery</b> Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 47/6	5	Requests UNODC to compile, in conjunction with relevant international organizations, relevant information on controlled delivery, containing, inter alia, information on national laws, legal procedures and, where appropriate, competent authorities or focal points for controlled deliveries, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds.	Implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources were used. The UNODC model drug enforcement policy and suggested training materials on controlled deliveries were published and disseminated.
	7	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be from general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, or from earmarked funds, in cooperation with appropriate experts, to consider the preparation of a training manual on controlled delivery operations.	Implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources were used. Guidelines on controlled delivery techniques were produced and promulgated.
	8	Also requests UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, at its forty-eighth session, on the progress made in the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2005/4, para. 94.)	Extrabudgetary resources were used.

Table 14  
**General Assembly resolutions adopted in 2003**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>International cooperation against the world drug</b>	section III, 5	Welcomes the efforts of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to implement its mandate, and		

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>International cooperation against the world drug problem</b>  (General Assembly resolution 58/141)	section III, 5	Welcomes the efforts of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to implement its mandate, and requests the Programme to continue:		
		(a) To strengthen dialogue with Member States and also to ensure continued improvement in management, so as to contribute to enhanced and sustainable programme delivery and further encourage the Executive Director to maximize the effectiveness of the Programme, inter alia, through the full implementation of Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolutions 44/16 and 45/17, in particular the recommendations contained therein;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Intersessional meetings for the permanent missions take place regularly. In addition, regular ad hoc briefings are held for permanent missions on all aspects of the work of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), including management. Since 2007, <i>jours fixes</i> have been held. UNODC also holds regular briefings and consultations for all permanent missions and individual regional groups and with the chairmen of the regional groups and chairmen of the governing bodies, to address topical issues such as facilitating the review of the consolidated budget of UNODC.
		(b) To strengthen cooperation with Member States and with United Nations programmes, funds and relevant agencies, as well as relevant regional organizations and agencies and non-governmental organizations, and to provide, on request, assistance in implementing the outcome of the twentieth special session;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC, through its field and headquarters global assistance programmes, responded by supporting Member States and others in the implementation of the outcome of the twentieth special session of the General Assembly.
		(c) To increase its assistance, within the available voluntary resources, to countries that are deploying efforts to reduce illicit crop cultivation by, in particular, adopting alternative development programmes, and to explore new and innovative funding mechanisms;	Partly implemented.	Funds are insufficient to allow UNODC to make a larger financial commitment to Member States, for project execution and advocacy. Despite concerted and



<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(c) To increase its assistance, within the available voluntary resources, to countries that are deploying efforts to reduce illicit crop cultivation by, in particular, adopting alternative development programmes, and to explore new and innovative funding mechanisms;	Partly implemented.	Funds are insufficient to allow UNODC to make a larger financial commitment to Member States, for project execution and advocacy.  Despite concerted and increased efforts in the field and at headquarters to raise voluntary resources and explore new and innovative funding mechanisms for alternative development, the level of UNODC alternative development programmes has tended to decrease since 2000 (with an average budget of \$12 million per year).
		(d) To allocate, while keeping the balance between supply and demand reduction programmes, adequate resources to allow it to fulfil its role in the implementation of the Action Plan <sup>a</sup> for the Implementation of the Declaration on the Guiding Principles of Drug Demand Reduction, <sup>b</sup> and support countries, upon their request, to further develop and implement drug demand reduction policies;	Partly implemented.	Resources available to UNODC and Member States were not sufficient to implement all the activities required in the Action Plan. This is made clear by the analysis of the data collected through the biennial reports questionnaire. UNODC resources for demand reduction have remained stable in recent years, at about 13 per cent of the budget. The only area to increase has been that of HIV/AIDS.
		(e) To strengthen dialogue and cooperation with multilateral development banks and with international financial institutions so that they may undertake lending and programming activities related to drug control in interested and affected countries to implement the outcome of the twentieth special session, and to keep the Commission on Narcotic	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC continued to engage with multilateral development banks and international financial institutions in this regard.

<sup>a</sup> General Assembly resolution 54/132, annex.

<sup>b</sup> Resolution S-20/3, annex.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(e) To strengthen dialogue and cooperation with multilateral development banks and with international financial institutions so that they may undertake lending and programming activities related to drug control in interested and affected countries to implement the outcome of the twentieth special session, and to keep the Commission on Narcotic Drugs informed of further progress made in this area;	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC continued to engage with multilateral development banks and international financial institutions in this regard.
		(f) To take into account the outcome of the twentieth special session, to include in its report on the illicit traffic in drugs an updated, objective and comprehensive assessment of worldwide trends in illicit traffic and transit in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, including methods and routes used, and to recommend ways and means of improving the capacity of States along those routes to address all aspects of the drug problem;	Implemented.	A current assessment of trends, routes and modus operandi and, through the reporting on the meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, recommendations to improve the capacity and the responses of Member States are included in the regular report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs.
		(g) To publish the <i>World Drug Report</i> , with comprehensive and balanced information about the world drug problem, and to seek additional extrabudgetary resources for its publication in all the official languages;	Partly implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources are not available to translate the report into all the official languages. (An amount of \$45,000 is required to publish the report in Arabic, Chinese and Russian.) The <i>World Drug Report 2004</i> was published in English, French and Spanish. <sup>c</sup>
		(h) To provide technical assistance, from available voluntary contributions for that purpose, to those States identified by relevant international bodies as the most affected by the transit of drugs, in particular developing countries in need of such assistance and support;	Implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources are used. Assistance to transit States is provided through the UNODC programme of technical assistance, delivered through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes.

<sup>c</sup> United Nations publication, Sales No. E.04.XI.16.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
		(i) To develop action-oriented strategies to assist Member States to implement the Action Plan for the Implementation of the Declaration, and to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-seventh session on the follow-up to the Action Plan;	Partly implemented.	Resources available to UNODC and Member States were not sufficient to implement all the activities required in the Action Plan. This is made clear by the analysis of the data collected through the biennial reports questionnaire. UNODC resources for drug demand reduction have remained stable in recent years, at about 13 per cent of the budget. The only area of increase has been that of HIV/AIDS.
		(j) To provide assistance, subject to the availability of resources, at the request of States and respecting fully their sovereignty and territorial integrity, and with the support of the United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs and the European Space Agency, among others, in detecting on time the emergence or relocation of illicit crop cultivation.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Through the illicit crop monitoring programme, UNODC assists Governments in this regard.
	7	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of resources and the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, together with international financial institutions and the organizations involved in preventing and suppressing money-laundering and drug trafficking, to facilitate the provision of training and advice through technical cooperation in States, when requested, taking into account, inter alia, the recommendations on money-laundering and the financing of terrorism formulated by the Financial Action Task Force on Money Laundering and its regional groups.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. Extrabudgetary resources are used.

Table 15  
**Economic and Social Council resolutions adopted in 2003**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>International assistance to the States affected by the transit of illicit drugs</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/34)	4	Calls upon the United Nations International Drug Control Programme, subject to the availability of voluntary funds and in accordance with the guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds adopted by the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, <sup>a</sup> and Member States to facilitate such initiatives by providing assistance and technical support to the drug control authorities of the States affected by the transit of illicit drugs, in particular developing countries, including countries with economies in transition, that are in need of such assistance and support.	Implemented.	Extrabudgetary resources are used.  Assistance to transit States is provided through the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) programme of technical assistance, delivered through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes.
	5	Requests the United Nations International Drug Control Programme and Member States, in providing such assistance to the States affected by the transit of illicit drugs, to integrate, subject to availability of voluntary funds and in accordance with the guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds adopted by the Commission, projects for the reduction of illicit drug demand and the strengthening of treatment and rehabilitation services for drug abusers.	Partly implemented.	Regular and extrabudgetary resources are used.  Assistance to transit States is provided through the UNODC programme of technical assistance, delivered through its field office network and Vienna-based global programmes.
	7	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its forty-seventh session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented.  (See document E/CN.7/2004/7.)	
<b>Establishment of national networks to counter money-laundering within the framework of national and international drug control plans</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/36)	3	Requests UNODC, subject to the availability of resources and the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> together with international financial institutions and the organizations involved in preventing and suppressing money-laundering and drug trafficking, to facilitate the provision of training and advice through technical cooperation in States, when requested, taking into account, inter alia, the recommendations on money-laundering and the financing of terrorism formulated by the Financial Action Task Force on Money Laundering and its regional groups.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing  Extrabudgetary resources are used.

<sup>a</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2001, Supplement No. 8 (E/2001/28/Rev.1), part two, chap. I, resolution 44/20, annex.*

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Strengthening alternative development through trade and socio-environmental preservation</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/37)	1	Urges the United Nations International Drug Control Programme and all Member States to continue to cooperate effectively on programmes to promote alternative development, including, where appropriate, preventive alternative development, in accordance with the provisions of Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 45/14.	Implemented.	UNODC continues to cooperate fully with Member States on the issue of alternative development. UNODC programmes have been actively promoting proactive and preventive development assistance for areas at risk of illicit crop cultivation and areas providing labour for such cultivation.
<b>Demand for and supply of opiates for medical and scientific purposes</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/40)	5	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board to continue its efforts in monitoring the implementation of the relevant Economic and Social Council resolutions in full compliance with the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961 <sup>b</sup> and with that Convention as amended by the 1972 Protocol. <sup>c</sup>	Implemented.  (See the note verbale of the Secretary-General dated 26 September 2003 (NAR/CL.7/2003).)	
<b>Efforts to counter the trend towards the legalization of drugs for non-medical use</b> (Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/41)	1	Invites the International Narcotics Control Board to continue to monitor and report on the application of the international drug control treaties by Member States with regard to cannabis and other drugs.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing.
	2	Requests the United Nations International Drug Control Programme, in collaboration with the World Health Organization, to report on new trends with regard to cannabis.	Not implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary resources.  Further activities regarding cannabis are dependent on the results of the global assessment, for which funding has not been provided.

<sup>b</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 520, No. 7515.

<sup>c</sup> *ibid.*, vol. 976, No. 14152.

Table 16  
**Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolutions adopted in 2003**

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Renewing emphasis on demand reduction prevention and treatment efforts in compliance with the international drug control treaties</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 46/1)	9	Requests the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to ensure that the demand reduction programmes that it promotes have demonstrated effectiveness in reducing illicit use of drugs and facilitating the goals of recovery from dependence or addiction.	Implemented.	The United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) has developed best practice documents on the basis of scientific evidence.
<b>Strengthening strategies regarding the prevention of human immunodeficiency virus/acquired immunodeficiency syndrome in the context of drug abuse</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 46/2)	8	Also requests the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to continue to strengthen its cooperation with the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS and its other co-sponsors in addressing HIV/AIDS among drug abusers, subject to the availability of voluntary funds, which might be from the general-purpose funds, in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> or from earmarked funds.	Partly implemented.	Implementation is ongoing. UNODC is the lead co-sponsor agency of the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS) for addressing the issue of HIV among injecting drug-users and in prisons.
	9	Requests the Executive Director to report to it, at its forty-seventh session, on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2004/3.)	
<b>Supporting the international drug control system through joint action</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 46/4)	5	Calls upon the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to optimize the involvement of non-governmental organizations and other organizations of civil society engaged in addressing the world drug problem at all levels with a view to enhancing the international drug control system.	Partly implemented.	Lack of resources. A number of activities have been implemented with extrabudgetary resources, such as the provision of grants to non-governmental organizations, technical cooperation projects involving the participation of non-governmental organizations as beneficiaries, as executing agencies and as providers of services to others, including to other non-governmental organizations.

<sup>a</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 2001, Supplement No. 8 (E/2001/28/Rev.1), part two, chap. I, resolution 44/20, annex.*

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Improving the exchange of electronic information among Member States and communication with international organizations</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 46/5)	6	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to it, at its forty-eighth session, on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2003/13.)	
	4	Requests the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to provide data to Member States by electronic means, using the standards set by the National Drug Control System on estimates and assessments and the addresses of competent authorities.	Partly implemented.	See below.
	5	Also requests the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to explore the possibility of obtaining secure funds, either in the form of earmarked voluntary contributions or from the regular budget of the United Nations, in order to deploy the National Drug Control System in more countries and to enhance the System.	Partly implemented.	Lack of extrabudgetary and regular budget resources.  On the question of obtaining secure funding for the National Drug Control System, despite the overwhelming endorsement of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs through its resolutions to that effect, no regular budget resources were secured because all such resolutions stated that funding for the System was subject to extrabudgetary resources. A limited amount of earmarked voluntary funds has been secured, partly through the establishment of a cost recovery system. However, this programme continues to depend on scarce general-purpose resources.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Provisions regarding travellers under medical treatment with drugs containing narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances under international control</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 46/6)	3	Urges UNODC to communicate the guidelines to States parties to the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, <sup>b</sup> that Convention as amended by the 1972 Protocol <sup>c</sup> and the Convention on Psychotropic Substances of 1971.	Implemented.	See the website of the International Narcotics Control Board ( <a href="http://www.incb.org/incb/guidelines_travellers.html">http://www.incb.org/incb/guidelines_travellers.html</a> ).
	5	Requests the International Narcotics Control Board to publish the above-mentioned information in a unified form, in particular in its list of narcotic drugs under international control (the "Yellow List") or in its list of psychotropic substances under international control (the "Green List") and electronically, on the web site of the Board, in order to ensure its wide dissemination and facilitate the task of government agencies.	Partly implemented.	Commission resolution 50/2 supersedes the present resolution. Information received in this regard will be posted on the website of the Board by March 2008.
	7	Requests the Executive Director of UNODC to report to it at its forty-seventh session on the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2004/8.)	
<b>Measures to promote the exchange of information on new patterns of drug use and on psychoactive substances consumed</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 46/7)	2	Invites UNODC and the World Health Organization (WHO), subject to the availability of voluntary funds and in accordance with the Commission on Narcotic Drugs guidelines for the use of general-purpose funds, <sup>a</sup> to convene a meeting of experts, selected on the basis of equitable geographical distribution, to establish guidelines applicable to the recording of cases of drug abuse and dependence.	Implemented.	UNODC has been working with WHO on an adaptation of the addiction severity index. An expert meeting on this issue was held. In addition, UNODC issued, together with the European Monitoring Centre for Drugs and Drug Addiction (EMCDDA), guidelines for the development of systems for the collection of treatment demand indicators.
	3	Also invites UNODC and the World Health Organization to continue to use those data and to highlight regional particularities by consolidating the national and regional databanks that already exist, with a view to improving the assessment of the potential of abuse and dependence of psychoactive substances and the knowledge of that subject	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2004/2.)	

<sup>b</sup> United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 520, No. 7515.

<sup>c</sup> *Ibid.*, vol. 976, No. 14152.



<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Strengthening the United Nations International Drug Control Programme and the role of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs as its governing body</b>  (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 46/8)	3	Also invites UNODC and the World Health Organization to continue to use those data and to highlight regional particularities by consolidating the national and regional databanks that already exist, with a view to improving the assessment of the potential of abuse and dependence of psychoactive substances and the knowledge of that subject and to achieving the long-term objective of establishing a worldwide databank.	Implemented.  (See document E/CN.7/2004/2.)	
	2	Calls upon the Executive Director of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to complete the implementation of the recommendations contained in the above-mentioned reports and to develop existing reforms, including the development of synergies between the different elements of UNODC.	Implemented.	
	4	Requests the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to facilitate this by continuing to present substantive, concise and timely briefings and, when appropriate, reports to all Member States, such as the progress report on management reform entitled "Commitment to good governance".		All such reforms were carried out in full consultation with Member States through regular financial briefings on the status of the general-purpose resources and in relation to the formulation of UNODC budgets. Briefings on organizational and substantive changes preceded all such reforms. Evidence of progress achieved in good governance is reflected in various reports of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, most recently, in the report of the Executive Director (E/CN.7/2007/17-E/CN.15/2007/18) and the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (E/CN.7/2007/18-

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	4	Requests the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to facilitate this by continuing to present substantive, concise and timely briefings and, when appropriate, reports to all Member States, such as the progress report on management reform entitled "Commitment to good governance".		All such reforms were carried out in full consultation with Member States through regular financial briefings on the status of the general-purpose resources and in relation to the formulation of UNODC budgets. Briefings on organizational and substantive changes preceded all such reforms. Evidence of progress achieved in good governance is reflected in various reports of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs and the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, most recently, in the report of the Executive Director (E/CN.7/2007/17-E/CN.15/2007/18) and the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (E/CN.7/2007/18-E/CN.15/2007/19).
	9	Calls upon the Executive Director of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme to consider as priorities the development and application of expertise in evaluation and monitoring, in particular through the establishment of an independent evaluation function.	Implemented.	In 2003, UNODC established the Independent Evaluation Unit, which is currently staffed by three officers. The Independent Evaluation Unit reports to the Executive Director as a way of ensuring independence. Staff receive training in evaluation in order to enhance their evaluation expertise.
	12	Requests the Executive Director to report to it at its forty-seventh session on progress made in the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2004/10.)	

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
<b>Securing assured and predictable funding for the United Nations International Drug Control Programme</b> (Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 46/9)	6	Requests the Executive Director to continue his efforts, in cooperation with Member States, to broaden the donor base and to increase voluntary contributions to the Fund of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme, including general-purpose funds and funds earmarked for the support budget.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2004/11.)	Since 2004, there has been a significant increase in the overall levels of voluntary funding. There has also been an increase in the share of non-traditional donors, including the private sector.  For further details please see the UNODC <i>Annual Report 2006</i> and <i>Annual Report 2007</i> .
	8	Invites the Executive Director: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) To review, in consultation with the Secretary-General, whether the resources from the regular budget of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme for the implementation of its functions arising from the international drug control treaties and other mandates are commensurate with the relevant requirements and to report to the Commission at its reconvened forty-sixth session;</li> <li>(b) To report on the reconfiguration of the field network of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme and to examine the impact of a possible funding of field offices in the framework of projects rather than through general-purpose funds</li> <li>(c) To report on the implications of the recommendations contained in the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Support costs related to extrabudgetary activities in organizations of the United Nations system";<sup>d</sup></li> <li>(d) To explore ways and means of obtaining financial donations, including general-purpose funds, from the private sector and non-governmental organizations, in addition to those provided by Member States, in order to facilitate the sharing of both commitment and resources to achieve the goals of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme, bearing in mind the need to safeguard the independence and the international character of the Programme and the</li> </ol>	Partly implemented.	The donor base has been diversified. Non-traditional donors accounted for up to 30 per cent of the funding in 2007. There has also been an increase in cost-sharing by recipient countries.  This resolution has been superseded by Commission on Narcotic Drugs resolution 50/14 and Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice resolution 16/6, in which the commissions requested the Executive Director to submit annual reports to them on the ways and means of improving the financial situation of UNODC, including the situation of the field offices. (See document E/CN.7/2008/11-E/CN.15/2008/15).

<sup>d</sup> A/57/442.

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
-------------------	------------------	-----------------------------------	---------------------------------	----------------

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
-------------------	------------------	-----------------------------------	---------------------------------	----------------

<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Paragraph</i>	<i>Summary of action required</i>	<i>Status of implementation</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
	14	Requests the Executive Director to report to it at its forty-seventh session on progress made in the implementation of the present resolution.	Implemented. (See document E/CN.7/2004/11.)	

<sup>e</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-seventh Session, Supplement No. 51 and corrigendum (A/57/5/Add.9 and Corr.1).*