

2515 (XXIV). Appointments to fill vacancies in the membership of the Committee on Contributions**A***The General Assembly*

Appoints the following person as a member of the Committee on Contributions for a period beginning on the date of the present resolution and ending on 31 December 1970:

Mr. Seymour M. Finger.

*1818th plenary meeting,
25 November 1969.*

B*The General Assembly*

Appoints the following persons as members of the Committee on Contributions for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 1970:

Mr. Amjad Ali,

Mr. Santiago Meyer Picón,

Mr. Maurice Viaud,

Mr. A. V. Zakharov.

*1818th plenary meeting,
25 November 1969.*

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As a result of the above appointments, the Committee on Contributions will be composed as follows: Mr. Amjad ALI (Pakistan), Mr. FAKHREDDINE Mohamed (Sudan), Mr. Seymour M. FINGER (United States of America), Mr. Théodore IDZUMBUIR (Democratic Republic of the Congo), Mr. F. Nouredin KIA (Iran), Mr. Santiago MEYER PICÓN (Mexico), Mr. Stanislaw RACZKOWSKI (Poland), Mr. John I. M. RHODES (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland), Mr. David SILVEIRA DA MOTA (Brazil), Mr. Maurice VIAUD (France), Mr. A. V. ZAKHAROV (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics) and Mr. Abele ZODDA (Italy).

2522 (XXIV). Financial reports and accounts for the financial year ended 31 December 1968 and reports of the Board of Auditors**A**

UNITED NATIONS

The General Assembly

1. *Accepts* the financial report and accounts of the United Nations for the financial year ended 31 December 1968 and the certificates of the Board of Auditors;¹

2. *Concurs* in the observations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as set forth in its second report to the General Assembly at its twenty-fourth session.²

*1823rd plenary meeting,
5 December 1969.*

¹ *Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 7 (A/7607).*

² *Ibid.*, *Twenty-fourth Session, Annexes*, agenda item 72, document A/7636, paras. 1-8.

B

UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

The General Assembly

1. *Accepts* the financial report and accounts of the United Nations Development Programme for the financial year ended 31 December 1968 and the certificates of the Board of Auditors;³

2. *Takes note* of the observations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as set forth in its second report to the General Assembly at its twenty-fourth session.⁴

*1823rd plenary meeting,
5 December 1969.*

C

UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN'S FUND

The General Assembly

1. *Accepts* the financial report and accounts of the United Nations Children's Fund for the financial year ended 31 December 1968 and the certificates of the Board of Auditors;⁵

2. *Takes note* of the observations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as set forth in its second report to the General Assembly at its twenty-fourth session.⁶

*1823rd plenary meeting,
5 December 1969.*

D

UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND WORKS AGENCY FOR PALESTINE REFUGEES IN THE NEAR EAST

The General Assembly

1. *Accepts* the accounts of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East for the financial year ended 31 December 1968 and the certificates of the Board of Auditors;⁷

2. *Takes note* of the observations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as set forth in its second report to the General Assembly at its twenty-fourth session.⁸

*1823rd plenary meeting,
5 December 1969.*

E

UNITED NATIONS INSTITUTE FOR TRAINING AND RESEARCH

The General Assembly

1. *Accepts* the financial report and accounts of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research

³ *Ibid.*, *Twenty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 7A (A/7607/ Add.1 and Corr.1).*

⁴ *Ibid.*, *Twenty-fourth Session, Annexes*, agenda item 72, document A/7636, paras. 9-11.

⁵ *Ibid.*, *Twenty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 7E (A/7607/ Add.2).*

⁶ *Ibid.*, *Twenty-fourth Session, Annexes*, agenda item 72, document A/7636, paras. 12-14.

⁷ *Ibid.*, *Twenty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 7C (A/7607/ Add.3).*

⁸ *Ibid.*, *Twenty-fourth Session, Annexes*, agenda item 72, document A/7636, paras. 15-17.

for the financial year ended 31 December 1968 and the certificates of the Board of Auditors;⁹

2. Takes note of the observations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as set forth in its second report to the General Assembly at its twenty-fourth session.¹⁰

1823rd plenary meeting,
5 December 1969.

F

VOLUNTARY FUNDS ADMINISTERED BY THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES

The General Assembly

1. Accepts the accounts of the voluntary funds administered by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees for the financial year ended 31 December 1968 and the certificates of the Board of Auditors;¹¹

2. Takes note of the observations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions as set forth in its second report to the General Assembly at its twenty-fourth session.¹²

1823rd plenary meeting,
5 December 1969.

2523 (XXIV). Appointment to fill a vacancy in the membership of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee

The General Assembly

Appoints the following person as a member of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee for a one-year term beginning on 1 January 1970:

Mr. Albert F. Bender.

1823rd plenary meeting,
5 December 1969.

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As result of the above appointment, the members and alternate members elected by the General Assembly to the United Nations Staff Pension Committee will be the following:

MEMBERS

Mr. Albert F. BENDER (*United States of America*)

Mr. John I. M. RHODES (*United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland*)

Mr. Guillermo VALDÉS (*Chile*)

ALTERNATE MEMBERS

Mr. Alfred J. CAHEN (*Belgium*)

Mr. John R. KELSO (*Australia*)

Mr. Harry L. MORRIS (*Liberia*)

⁹ *Ibid.*, Twenty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 7D (A/7607/Add.4).

¹⁰ *Ibid.*, Twenty-fourth Session, Annexes, agenda item 72, document A/7636, paras. 18 and 19.

¹¹ *Ibid.*, Twenty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 7E (A/7607/Add.5 and Corr.1).

¹² *Ibid.*, Twenty-fourth Session, Annexes, agenda item 72, document A/7636, paras. 20-22.

2524 (XXIV). Report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board

The General Assembly,

Having considered the report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board to the General Assembly and to the member organizations of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund for 1969,¹³ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,¹⁴

I

RATE OF ACCUMULATION OF BENEFITS

Decides that, with effect from 1 January 1970:

(a) The standard annual rate for a retirement benefit shall be obtained by multiplying the number of years of the participant's contributory service, not exceeding thirty, by 1/50 of his final average remuneration;

(b) The minimum annual rate for a retirement benefit shall be obtained by multiplying the number of years of the participant's contributory service, not exceeding ten, by the smaller of \$180 or 1/30 of his final average remuneration;

(c) Benefits which accrued before 1 January 1970 shall be recalculated in accordance with (a) and (b) above and shall accrue in such recalculated amounts with effect from that date, save that no additional entitlement shall accrue in respect of any benefit, a part or the whole of which was commuted into a lump sum, except in so far as a part remains which is payable in the form of a periodic benefit, and in respect of that part in the proportion which it bears to the benefit as originally calculated;

II

ADJUSTMENT OF BENEFITS IN RESPECT OF COST-OF-LIVING CHANGES

Decides to continue until 31 December 1972 the system of adjustment of benefits contained in its resolution 2122 (XX) of 21 December 1965;

III

AMENDMENTS TO THE REGULATIONS OF THE UNITED NATIONS JOINT STAFF PENSION FUND

Decides that the Regulations of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund shall be amended, with effect from 1 January 1970, as set forth in annex V to the report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board for 1969 and paragraph 5 of the report of the Fifth Committee;¹⁵

IV

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

Approves expenses totalling \$612,020 for the administration of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund, as estimated for 1970 in annex VII to the report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board for 1969.

1823rd plenary meeting,
5 December 1969.

¹³ *Ibid.*, Twenty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 9 (A/7609).

¹⁴ *Ibid.*, Twenty-fourth Session, Annexes, agenda item 84, document A/7791.

¹⁵ *Ibid.*, document A/7824.