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APPOINTMENTS TO FILL VACANCIES IN SUBSIDIARY ORGANS
AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Appointment of a member of the Board of Auditors

Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 39th meeting, on 30 November 1984, the Fifth Committee considered a note by the Secretary-General (A/39/103) concerning the vacancy in the membership of the United Nations Board of Auditors which will occur as a result of the expiration of the term of office of one of its members on 30 June 1985.
2. The Fifth Committee also had before it a note by the Secretary-General (A/C.5/39/51) containing the names of two officials nominated by their respective Governments for appointment to the Board of Auditors.
3. The Fifth Committee voted by secret ballot to decide on its recommendation to the General Assembly. The result of the voting was as follows:

<u>Number of ballot papers:</u>	147
<u>Invalid ballots:</u>	Nil
<u>Number of valid ballots:</u>	147
<u>Abstentions:</u>	3

Number of members voting: 144

Required majority: 73

Number of votes obtained:

The Comptroller-General of Colombia 62

The Auditor-General of Ghana 81

4. Having obtained the required majority, the Auditor-General of Ghana was declared recommended for appointment as a member of the United Nations Board of Auditors for a three-year term beginning on 1 July 1985.

RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

5. The Fifth Committee recommends that the General Assembly should appoint the Auditor-General of Ghana as a member of the United Nations Board of Auditors for a three-year term beginning on 1 July 1985.
