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ALLOCATION OF AGENDA ITEMS TO THE SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

Letter dated 22 September 1989 from the President of the
General Assembly addressed to the Chairman of the Special
Political Committee

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith the decisions taken by the forty-fourth session of the General Assembly at its 3rd plenary meeting pertaining to allocation of items to the Special Political Committee.

May I also invite your attention to the recommendations on the organization of the session, contained in section II of the report of the General Committee (A/44/250), which were approved by the General Assembly also at its 3rd plenary meeting. I earnestly request your co-operation in this regard.

(Signed) Joseph Nanven GARBA

Annex

Allocation of items to the Special Political Committee

1. Effects of atomic radiation (item 74).
2. International co-operation in the peaceful uses of outer space (item 75).
3. United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (item 76).
4. Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Population of the Occupied Territories (item 77).
5. Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects (item 78).
6. Questions relating to information (item 79).
7. Question of the Malagasy islands of Glorieuses, Juan de Nova, Europa and Bassas da India (item 80).
3. Question of the composition of the relevant organs of the United Nations (item 81).
9. Protection and security of small States (item 150).
10. Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa (item 28).

[The General Assembly decided that item 28 would be considered directly in plenary meeting on the understanding that the representatives of the Organization of African Unity and of national liberation movements recognized by that Organization would be permitted to participate in the discussion in plenary meeting and that organizations and individuals having a special interest in the question would be permitted to be heard by the Special Political Committee.]

With regard to item 127 (Joint Inspection Unit), the General Assembly decided that the item would be allocated to the Fifth Committee with the understanding that the reports of the Joint Inspection Unit dealing with the subject-matter assigned to other Main Committees would be referred also to those Committees. In the case of the Special Political Committee, the relevant report relates to agenda item 79.
