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Summary record of the first part* of the 27th meeting

Held at Headquarters, New York, on Wednesday, 24 December 2014, at 4 p.m.

Chair: Mr. Ružička (Slovakia)

Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions: Mr. Ruiz Massieu

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^{*} The summary record of the second part of the meeting, held on Monday, 29 December 2014, at 3 p.m., appears as document A/C.5/69/SR.27/Add.1.

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The meeting was called to order at 6.30 p.m.

Organization of work

- 1. **Ms. Coleman** (United States of America), stating that Committee members required more time to deliberate informally on outstanding matters, moved to suspend the meeting under rule 118 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.
- 2. A recorded vote was taken on the motion for suspension of the meeting.

In favour:

Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Angola, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bahamas, Bahrain, Barbados, Belgium, Belize, Benin, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cameroon, Canada, Chad, Chile, China, Colombia, Congo, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Djibouti, Dominican Denmark, Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Equatorial Guinea, Estonia, Fiji, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Guyana, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kiribati, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Madagascar, Malaysia, Maldives, Mali, Malta, Marshall Islands, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mexico, Montenegro, Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Mozambique, Myanmar, Namibia, Nepal, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, Papua New Guinea, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Romania, Rwanda, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, San Marino, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, Sierra Leone, Senegal, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, Solomon Islands, South Africa, Spain, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Uganda, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Uruguay, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Viet Nam, Yemen, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

Against:

Bangladesh, Belarus, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Russian Federation.

Abstaining:

Ethiopia.

- 3. The motion was adopted by 149 votes to 6, with 1 abstention.*
- 4. **Mr. Chumakov** (Russian Federation) requested that the Committee should resume its consideration of agenda item 137 on human resources management when the meeting was reconvened.

The meeting was suspended at 6.40 p.m.

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^{*} The delegation of Bangladesh subsequently informed the Committee that it had intended to vote in favour.