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## REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE ISRAELI PRACTICES AFFECTING THE HUMAN RIGHTS OF THE POPULATION OF THE OCCUPIED TERRITORIES

PROPOSED PROGRAMME BUDGET FOR THE BIENNIUM 1974-1975 AND MEDIUM-TERM PLAN FOR THE PERIOD 1974-1977

Administrative and financial implications of draft resolution B recommended by the Special Political Committee (A/9374, para. 14)

Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 1619th meeting, on 6 December 1973, the Fifth Committee, in compliance with rule 155 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, considered the statement of the Secretary-General (A/C.5/1567) concerning the administrative and financial implications of draft resolution B recommended by the Special Political Committee (A/9374, para. 14).

2. In his statement, the Secretary-General indicated that, should the General Assembly approve the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political Committee, and on the assumption that the Special Committee would implement in 1974 a programme of work similar to that carried out in 1973, including a field mission, an additional appropriation of \$46,400 would be required under section 20 of the programme budget for the biennium 1974-1975.

3. In an oral statement to the Fifth Committee, the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions indicated that the Advisory Committee agreed with the cost estimates submitted by the Secretary-General in this regard.

4. During the Fifth Committee's consideration of the item, one representative reiterated his delegation's objections, as expressed in the Special Political Committee, regarding the method of establishment, the composition and the methods

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of work of the Special Committee, and to the continued financing of that Committee.

5. The Fifth Committee decided, without objection, to inform the General Assembly that, should it approve draft resolution B recommended by the Special Political Committee (A/9374, para. 14), an additional appropriation of \$46,400 would be required under section 20 of the programme budget for the biennium 1974-1975.