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Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 1643rd and 1644th meetings, on 14 and 16 October 1974, the Fifth Committee considered a note by the Secretary-General transmitting, with the concurrence of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (A/C.5/1598) which gave an account of the Unit's main activities and a summary of reports it had issued during the period 1 July 1973-30 June 1974.
2. The Committee also had before it, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 2924 B (XXVII) of 24 November 1972, the annual report of the Secretary-General (A/C.5/1592 and Corr.1) on the implementation of the major recommendations of the Joint Inspection Unit, as well as the report of the Economic and Social Council on the work of its fifty-sixth and fifty-seventh sessions. 1/
3. The Chairman of the Joint Inspection Unit was present at the 1644th meeting in order to reply to queries raised by delegations in the course of the discussion.
4. The various observations and comments made by delegations participating in the debate on this item are reflected in the summary records of the Fifth Committee (A/C.5/SR.1643 and 1644).

RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

5. At its 1644th meeting, the Fifth Committee decided, without objection, to recommend to the General Assembly that it should take note of the report of the Joint Inspection Unit (A/C.5/1598), of the report of the Secretary-General (A/C.5/1592 and Corr.1) and of chapter VI, section 6, of the report of the Economic and Social Council. 1/

1/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-ninth Session, Supplement No. 3 (A/9603).