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SCALE OF MEMBERS' CONTRIBUTIONS FOR 1966

Memorandum by the Director General

1. The Director General submits herewith a draft resolution whereby the General Conference could set the scale for assessment of Members' contributions to the Agency's Regular Budget for 1966.
2. The Conference will recall that it is current practice to base the scale for a given year on the United Nations scale for the preceding year [1]. It would therefore be normal for the Conference to base the Agency's scale for 1966 on that of the United Nations for 1965. The General Assembly of the United Nations has not, however, yet approved that scale and is, it is understood, unlikely to do so before the Conference meets.
3. The Assembly's Committee on Contributions has nevertheless prepared a scale for 1965 [2] which, it is to be expected, the Assembly will in due course approve, and which the Director General accordingly recommends as a basis for the Agency's scale for 1966. Should the Assembly make any change in the scale proposed by its Committee the Director General suggests that he should bring the fact to the Conference's attention next year, to enable it to decide whether any consequential change in the Agency's scale for 1966 should be made. This point is covered by paragraph 3 of the draft resolution below.
4. The scale in paragraph 1 takes account of the fact that 93 States were Members of the Agency on 31 August 1965, five more than on that date last year; the new Members are Costa Rica, Cyprus, Kenya, Kuwait and Madagascar. Numerical data used in elaborating the scale are reproduced in the Annex to the present document. The procedure that would be used for assessing the contribution of any State that became a Member of the Agency after the scale had been adopted is set out in paragraph 2 of the draft resolution.

SCALE OF MEMBERS' CONTRIBUTIONS FOR 1966

The General Conference

(a) Recalling that pursuant to resolution GC(II)/RES/33 it is customary for the scale of assessment of Members' contributions to the Agency's Regular Budget for a given year to be based on the United Nations scale of assessment for the preceding year, and,

(b) Noting, however, that the General Assembly has not yet approved the United Nations scale for 1965,

[1] See, for example, document GC(VIII)/279 and resolution GC(VIII)/RES/168.

[2] The Committee is recommending that this scale should be used by the United Nations for the years 1966 and 1967 as well.

1. Decides that the scale for assessment of Members' contributions to the Agency's Regular Budget for the year 1966 shall be based on the United Nations scale for 1965 which the Committee on Contributions is recommending to the General Assembly in United Nations document A/5810, and shall be as follows:

<u>Member</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Afghanistan	0.05
Albania	0.04
Algeria	0.09
Argentina	0.83
Australia	1.42
Austria	0.48
Belgium	1.04
Bolivia	0.04
Brazil	0.86
Bulgaria	0.15
Burma	0.05
Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic	0.47
Cambodia	0.04
Cameroon	0.04
Canada	2.86
Ceylon	0.07
Chile	0.24
China	3.83
Colombia	0.21
Congo, Democratic Republic of	0.05
Costa Rica	0.04
Cuba	0.18
Czechoslovak Socialist Republic	1.00
Cyprus	0.04
Denmark	0.56
Dominican Republic	0.04
Ecuador	0.05
El Salvador	0.04
Ethiopia	0.04
Finland	0.39
France	5.49
Gabon	0.04
Germany, Federal Republic of	6.68
Ghana	0.07
Greece	0.23
Guatemala	0.04
Haiti	0.04
Holy See	0.04
Honduras	0.04
Hungary	0.50
Iceland	0.04
India	1.67
Indonesia	0.35
Iran	0.18
Iraq	0.07

<u>Member</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Israel	0.15
Italy	2.29
Ivory Coast	0.04
Japan	2.50
Kenya	0.04
Korea, Republic of	0.12
Kuwait	0.05
Lebanon	0.05
Liberia	0.04
Libya	0.04
Luxembourg	0.05
Madagascar	0.04
Mali	0.04
Mexico	0.73
Monaco	0.04
Morocco	0.10
Netherlands	1.00
New Zealand	0.34
Nicaragua	0.04
Nigeria	0.15
Norway	0.40
Pakistan	0.33
Paraguay	0.04
Peru	0.08
Philippines	0.31
Poland	1.31
Portugal	0.14
Romania	0.31
Saudi Arabia	0.06
Senegal	0.04
South Africa	0.47
Spain	0.66
Sudan	0.05
Sweden	1.14
Switzerland	0.79
Syrian Arab Republic	0.05
Thailand	0.13
Tunisia	0.05
Turkey	0.31
Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic	1.77
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	13.44
United Arab Republic	0.21
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	6.50
United States of America	31.91
Uruguay	0.09
Venezuela	0.45
Viet-Nam	0.07
Yugoslavia	0.32
	<u>100.00</u>

2. Decides further that any State that becomes a Member of the Agency during the remainder of 1965 or in 1966 shall be assessed as appropriate for its advance to the Working Capital Fund, and for contributions to the Agency's Regular Budget for those years, by applying to its United Nations percentage the appropriate coefficient used to determine the scales for assessment of Members' contributions for 1965 and 1966; and
3. Requests the Director General to bring any change made by the General Assembly in the scale recommended for the United Nations in document A/5810 to the notice of the Conference at its tenth regular session.

A N N E X

NUMERICAL DATA USED IN ELABORATING THE SCALE FOR 1966

A. Calculation of the scale

Member of the Agency	The United Nations recommended scale for 1965 ^a : percentage contributions	United Nations theoretical percentage contributions for 1965 for non-members	The Agency's scale for 1966: United Nations percentage contributions for 1965 multiplied by the coefficient 0.901 ^b /
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Afghanistan	0.05		0.05
Albania	0.04		0.04
Algeria	0.10		0.09
Argentina	0.92		0.83
Australia	1.58		1.42
Austria	0.53		0.48
Belgium	1.15		1.04
Bolivia	0.04		0.04
Brazil	0.95		0.86
Bulgaria	0.17		0.15
Burma	0.06		0.05
Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic	0.52		0.47
Cambodia	0.04		0.04
Cameroon	0.04		0.04
Canada	3.17		2.86
Ceylon	0.08		0.07
Chile	0.27		0.24
China	4.25		3.83
Colombia	0.23		0.21
Congo, Democratic Republic of	0.05		0.05
Costa Rica	0.04		0.04
Cuba	0.20		0.18
Cyprus	0.04		0.04
Czechoslovak Socialist Republic	1.11		1.00
Denmark	0.62		0.56
Dominican Republic	0.04		0.04
Ecuador	0.05		0.05
El Salvador	0.04		0.04
Ethiopia	0.04		0.04
Finland	0.43		0.39

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
France	6.09		5.49
Gabon	0.04		0.04
Germany, Federal Republic of		7.41	6.68
Ghana	0.08		0.07
Greece	0.25		0.23
Guatemala	0.04		0.04
Haiti	0.04		0.04
Holy See		0.04	0.04
Honduras	0.04		0.04
Hungary	0.56		0.50
Iceland	0.04		0.04
India	1.85		1.67
Indonesia	0.39		0.35
Iran	0.20		0.18
Iraq	0.08		0.07
Israel	0.17		0.15
Italy	2.54		2.29
Ivory Coast	0.04		0.04
Japan	2.77		2.50
Kenya	0.04		0.04
Korea, Republic of		0.13	0.12
Kuwait	0.06		0.05
Lebanon	0.05		0.05
Liberia	0.04		0.04
Libya	0.04		0.04
Luxembourg	0.05		0.05
Madagascar	0.04		0.04
Mali	0.04		0.04
Mexico	0.81		0.73
Monaco		0.04	0.04
Morocco	0.11		0.10
Netherlands	1.11		1.00
New Zealand	0.38		0.34
Nicaragua	0.04		0.04
Nigeria	0.17		0.15
Norway	0.44		0.40
Pakistan	0.37		0.33
Paraguay	0.04		0.04
Peru	0.09		0.08
Philippines	0.35		0.31
Poland	1.45		1.31
Portugal	0.15		0.14
Romania	0.35		0.31
Saudi Arabia	0.07		0.06
Senegal	0.04		0.04
South Africa	0.52		0.47
Spain	0.73		0.66
Sudan	0.06		0.05
Sweden	1.26		1.14
Switzerland		0.88	0.79

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Syrian Arab Republic	0.05		0.05
Thailand	0.14		0.13
Tunisia	0.05		0.05
Turkey	0.35		0.31
Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic	1.97		1.77
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	14.92		13.44
United Arab Republic	0.23		0.21
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	7.21		6.50
United States of America	31.91		31.91
Uruguay	0.10		0.09
Venezuela	0.50		0.45
Viet-Nam		0.08	0.07
Yugoslavia	0.36		0.32
	<u>98.76</u>	<u>8.58</u>	<u>100.00</u>
		<u>107.34</u>	<u>100.00</u>

a/ As recommended by the General Assembly's Committee on Contributions.

b/ The coefficient is not applied to the maximum contribution, nor to those at the minimum level of 0.04% - see part B, para. 2, below.

B. Method of calculating the coefficient 0.901

1. From the foregoing table it will be noted that on the recommended United Nations scale for 1965, the total percentage assessments of Members of the Agency that are also Members of the United Nations amounts to 98.76. The assessments recommended by the United Nations for the Agency's Members that are not members of the United Nations amount to 8.58%, making a total of 107.34%.

2. It has therefore been necessary to establish a coefficient by which to multiply the assessments so as to decrease the total to 100.00%, bearing in mind that in the light of a decision of the General Conference [1], it will not be applied:

(a) To the percentage of the Member bearing the maximum rate of assessment; nor

(b) In the case of the following 25 Members that bear the minimum rate of assessment of 0.04%, and whose assessments accordingly total 1.00%:

Albania	Guatemala	Mali
Bolivia	Haiti	Monaco
Cambodia	Holy See	Nicaragua
Cameroon	Honduras	Paraguay
Costa Rica	Iceland	Senegal
Cyprus	Ivory Coast	
Dominican Republic	Kenya	
El Salvador	Liberia	
Ethiopia	Libya	
Gabon	Madagascar	

[1] Resolution GC(III)/RES/50, para. (a).

