2902 (XXVI). Agreement between the United Nations and the Carnegie Foundation concerning the use of the premises of the Peace Palace by the International Court of Justice

The General Assembly,

Considering that the contribution payable by the International Court of Justice in respect of the use of the Peace Palace at The Hague under the terms of article II of the Agreement between the United Nations and the Carnegie Foundation concerning the use of the premises of the Peace Palace as contained in annex A to General Assembly resolution 84 (I) of 11 December 1946, as amended by the supplementary agreements contained in the annexes to Assembly resolutions 586 (VI) of 21 December 1951 and 1343 (XIII) of 13 December 1958, is no longer sufficient to defray the costs which the Carnegie Foundation is required to pay under the terms of the said Agreement, as amended.

Approves the Supplementary Agreement between the United Nations and the Carnegie Foundation concerning the use of the Peace Palace as set forth in the annex to the present resolution.

2031st plenary meeting, 22 December 1971.

ANNEX

Supplementary Agreement between the United Nations and the Carnegie Foundation concerning the use of the Peace Palace

1. The United Nations and the Carnegie Foundation hereby agree that article II of the Agreement between the United Nations and the Carnegie Foundation concerning the use of the premises of the Peace Palace at The Hague as contained in annex A to General Assembly resolution 84 (I) of 11 December 1946, as amended by the supplementary agreements contained in the annexes to Assembly resolutions 586 (VI) of 21 December 1951 and 1343 (XIII) of 13 December 1958, shall be amended to read as follows:

"Article II

"The annual contribution payable by the International Court of Justice in respect of the use of the Peace Palace is hereby fixed at 200,000 Netherlands florins net."

- 2. The two parties further agree that in 1972, 1973 and 1974 the International Court of Justice shall pay to the Carnegie Foundation a supplementary contribution of 25,000 Netherlands florins a year towards the cost of the restoration of the Peace Palace.
- 3. This Supplementary Agreement shall enter into force with effect from 1 January 1972.

Other decisions

Report of the Economic and Social Council

(Item 12)

At its 2030th plenary meeting, on 21 December 1971, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee:⁶¹

- (a) Took note of chapters XXI and XXII of the report of the Economic and Social Council;62
- (b) Endorsed Economic and Social Council resolution 1644 (LI) of 30 July 1971 relating to the format of the report on budget performance.

Budget estimates for the financial year 1972

(Item 76)

At its 2031st plenary meeting, on 22 December 1971, the General Assembly approved the recommendations of the Fifth Committee contained in paragraphs 23, 50, 88, 149 and 150 of part II of its report.⁶³

At the same meeting, the General Assembly approved the recommendations of the Fifth Committee contained in paragraph 12 of part III of its report.⁶⁴

Establishment of the Special Committee on the Financial Situation of the United Nations

(Item 76)

At its 2031st plenary meeting, on 22 December 1971, the General Assembly, on the proposal of its President, 65 decided to establish a Special Committee on the Financial Situation of the United Nations, composed of the following Member

64 *Ibid.*, document A/8531/Add.2. 65 A/8635, para. 4.

⁶¹ Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-sixth Session, Annexes, agenda item 12, document A/8613, para, 3.

 ⁶² Ibid., Twenty-sixth Session, Supplement No. 3 (A/8403).
63 Ibid., Twenty-sixth Session, Annexes, agenda item 76, document A/8531/Add.1.