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Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 29th and 33rd meetings, on 13 and 22 December 2004, the Fifth Committee, pursuant to rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, considered the statement by the Secretary-General (A/C.5/59/19) of the programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49. At the 29th meeting, the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/59/597). The draft decision submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations was before the Committee (see A/C.5/59/L.21, sect. C).

2. The statements and comments made in the course of the Fifth Committee's consideration of this question are reflected in the relevant summary records (A/C.5/59/SR.29 and 33).

Decision of the Fifth Committee

3. The Fifth Committee, having considered the statement of programme budget implications submitted by the Secretary-General¹ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,² decides to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution A/C.3/59/L.49, additional appropriations would be required for the programme budget for 2004-2005 in an amount of \$246,200 under section 3, Political affairs, and an amount of \$42,500 under section 34, Staff assessment, to be offset by the corresponding amount under income section 1, Income from staff assessment.

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¹ A/C.5/59/19.

² A/59/597.