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**Letter dated 12 October 2006 from the President of the
General Assembly to the Chairman of the Second Committee**

I wish to inform you of a letter dated 11 October 2006 from the President of the Economic and Social Council, in which he informed me that the Council, at its 44th meeting, on 11 October 2006, took note of the report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination.¹ He also drew my attention to the recommendations contained in paragraphs 120 and 287 of that report concerning the work of the General Assembly.

In paragraph 120 of the report, the Committee for Programme and Coordination recommended that the General Assembly allocate subprogramme 1 of programme 7, Economic and social affairs, of the proposed strategic framework for the period 2008-2009 to the Second Committee for its review and action under the agenda item entitled "Programme planning".

You will recall that the General Assembly, at its 2nd plenary meeting, on 13 September 2006, allocated agenda item 118, entitled "Programme planning", to all the Main Committees and to the plenary.

Accordingly, I am transmitting the recommendation by the Committee for Programme and Coordination to you for appropriate action by the Second Committee under agenda item 118.

(Signed) Haya Rashed Al Khalifa

¹ Official Records of the General Assembly, Sixty-first Session, Supplement No. 16 (A/61/16).

