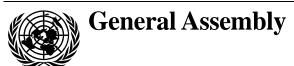
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Corrigendum

1. Paragraph 1

For the existing text substitute

1. The present report is submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 64/269, in which the Assembly endorsed the conclusions and recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions in its report A/64/660. In paragraph 68 of that report, the Advisory Committee reiterated its request that the Secretary-General prepare a comprehensive report on training in peacekeeping to address the questions raised by the Advisory Committee in paragraph 148 of its report A/63/746 as well as an assessment of the effectiveness of the Senior Mission Administration and Resource Training Programme (SMART).

2. Paragraph 3

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3. The present report illustrates the improvements made in all phases of the training cycle, including the identification and prioritization of training needs, setting of standards, ensuring efficient delivery and outlining new systems for monitoring and evaluating the impact of training, including methodologies for identifying efficiency gains resulting from training. The achievements to date illustrate that peacekeeping training is a strategic investment both for the United Nations and the international community that can enable the provision of personnel more capable of meeting the complex challenges facing United Nations peacekeeping in its consolidation phase.

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