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Programme budget for 2022

Report of the Fifth Committee

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I. Introduction

1. At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 16 September 2022, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its seventy-seventh session the item entitled "Programme budget for 2022" and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. Under that agenda item, the Fifth Committee considered the question of revised estimates on United Nations activities to mitigate global food insecurity and its humanitarian impact at its 4th and 8th meetings, on 10 and 21 October 2022, respectively. Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the question are reflected in the relevant summary records.

3. For its consideration of the question, the Committee had before it the following documents:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General on revised estimates on United Nations activities to mitigate global food insecurity and its humanitarian impact (A/77/325);

(b) Related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/77/486).

II. Consideration of draft resolution A/C.5/77/L.3

4. At its 8th meeting, on 21 October, the Committee had before it a draft resolution entitled "Revised estimates on United Nations activities to mitigate global food insecurity and its humanitarian impact" (A/C.5/77/L.3), submitted by the Chair of the Committee on the basis of informal consultations coordinated by the representative of Ghana.

5. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.5/77/L.3 without a vote (see para. 6).





III. Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

6. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft resolution:

Revised estimates on United Nations activities to mitigate global food insecurity and its humanitarian impact

The General Assembly,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General¹ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,²

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General;

2. *Endorses* the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;

3. *Approves* additional resource requirements in the amount of 3,524,600 United States dollars under the programme budget for 2022, under section 12, Trade and development (848,600 dollars), section 27, Humanitarian assistance (2,481,700 dollars), and section 36, Staff assessment (194,300 dollars), to be offset by an equivalent increase of 194,300 dollars under income section 1, Income from staff assessment;

4. *Authorizes* the Secretary-General to enter into commitments in an amount not exceeding 3,524,600 dollars;

5. *Notes* that the use of the commitment authority of 3,524,600 dollars for 2022 will be reported in the financial performance report for 2022.

¹ A/77/325.

² A/77/486.