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### Proposed programme budget for 2023

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### Programme budget implications of draft resolution [A/77/L.36](#)

#### Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 24th and resumed 25th meetings, on 16 and 30 December 2022, the Fifth Committee, pursuant to rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, considered the statement submitted by the Secretary-General on the programme budget implications of draft resolution [A/77/L.36](#) ([A/C.5/77/25](#)) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions ([A/77/7/Add.40](#)). The statements and comments made in the course of the Fifth Committee's consideration of this question are reflected in the relevant summary records.<sup>1</sup>

2. At its resumed 25th meeting, on 30 December, the Committee had before it a draft decision ([A/C.5/77/L.19](#), sect. I), submitted by the Chair of the Committee on the basis of informal consultations coordinated by the representative of Liberia. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision [A/C.5/77/L.19](#) without a vote (see para. 3).

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<sup>1</sup> [A/C.5/77/SR.24](#) and [A/C.5/77/SR.25/Add.1](#).



## Decision of the Fifth Committee

3. The Fifth Committee, having considered the statement of programme budget implications submitted by the Secretary-General<sup>1</sup> and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,<sup>2</sup> decides to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution [A/77/L.36](#), additional resources amounting to 960,900 United States dollars would be required for 2023, comprising 813,300 dollars under section 2, General Assembly and Economic and Social Council affairs and conference management, 43,800 dollars under section 28, Global communications, 3,900 dollars under section 29B, Department of Operational Support, 79,000 dollars under section 29C, Office of Information and Communications Technology, and 20,900 dollars under section 34, Safety and security, of the proposed programme budget for 2023, representing a charge against the contingency fund, together with an amount of 132,300 dollars under section 36, Staff assessment, to be offset by an equivalent amount under income section 1, Income from staff assessment.

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<sup>1</sup> [A/C.5/77/25](#).

<sup>2</sup> [A/77/7/Add.40](#).