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FIFTH COMMITTEE

SUMMARY RECORDS OF THE 1st TO 76th MEETINGS

Held at Headquarters, New York, from 15 September 1992 to 10 September 1993

Corrigendum

This corrigendum contains delegation and Secretariat corrections to the summary records of the meetings held by the Fifth Committee during the forty-seventh session (A/C.5/47/SR.1-76).

With the issuance of this corrigendum, the records of the above-mentioned meetings are to be considered final.

7th meeting

Paragraph 7

The last two sentences should read:

Although his delegation was not denying that there remained a financial crisis, it noted that to date the United Nations had managed to cope with arrears in the amount of \$800 million by building up a debt to Member States of roughly equivalent size as well as by depleting its reserves.

Paragraph 8

Line 3: <u>after</u> peace-keeping operations. <u>insert</u> However, in view of the stated intention of the major contributors to pay their assessments in full, the time had come to redress the situation with regard to those buffer resources. Those resources consisted of the cash surplus in certain special accounts for peace-keeping operations and monies retained as a result of the suspension of the Organization's obligation to repay balances of appropriations and miscellaneous income remaining at the end of a financial period.

Line 5 should read:

surplus realized, as arrears were paid into the General Fund (regular budget) should be used

Line 6: $\underline{\text{after}}$ reserve fund $\underline{\text{insert}}$ or a component of the Working Capital Fund,

At the end of the paragraph, insert:

The surplus realized would reduce the current liabilities of the Organization to Member States and generate credit to the latter, which should then be transferred to the future reserve fund or component.

Paragraph 11

The beginning of the paragraph should read:

- 11. In the wake of the statement to the General Assembly on 22 September 1992 of the Minister for Foreign Affairs of his Government, his delegation
- Line 1: for to submit read to prepare
- Line 4: <u>after Member States.</u> <u>insert In an attempt to break the stalemate reached last December, his delegation had carried out a series of consultations with interested delegations on its proposals.</u>

At the end of the paragraph, add:

His delegation looked forward to reaching the broadest possible consensus on the basis of that proposal.

Paragraph 12, line 8

After including the <u>insert</u> speedier

Paragraph 13

At the end of the paragraph, insert:

, inasmuch as the adoption of those measures would lend directly to resolution of the problems the Secretary-General was attempting to address.

12th meeting

Paragraph 44

Line 4: <u>for</u> less than \$1,500 <u>read</u> \$1,500 or more

Line 5: for expendable read non-expendable

21st meeting

Paragraph 24, line 19

For 37/210, read 35/210,

25th meeting

Cover page

The name of the Vice-Chairman should read:

Ms. ROTHEISER

46th meeting

Paragraph 27

Lines 2 and 3 should read:

the Advisory Committee's report on the item; he felt sure that the Fifth Committee would take a sensible approach.

50th meeting

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After paragraph 105, insert a new paragraph reading:

105a. Mr. INOMATA (Japan) said that the establishment of the Peace-keeping Reserve Fund was an epoch-making achievement of the Fifth Committee in the strengthening of the financial basis of the peace-keeping operations of the United Nations. The Committee effectively discharged the tasks assigned to it by the General Assembly, thereby contributing to the latter's consideration of proposals contained in the Secretary-General's report "An agenda for peace". His delegation congratulated all the delegations that had participated in the successful consultations to establish a consensus on the creation of the Fund, which were conducted by Mr. Russell Merifield, of Canada. His delegation also expressed appreciation for the close cooperation with the States members of the European Community in that effort which was coordinated most effectively by the presidency of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Paragraph 106

Line 1 should read:

106. His delegation had always supported the

Line 5: <u>after Nordic insert</u> troop-contributing

Paragraph 107, line 4

 $\underline{\text{After}}$ Member States $\underline{\text{insert}}$ under the Charter

68th meeting

Paragraph 33, line 4

 $\underline{\mathtt{Delete}}$ in Cambodia
