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SCALE OF MEMBERS' CONTRIBUTIONS FOR 1963

Memorandum by the Director General

1.   The Director General submits herewith, for the consideration of the General Conference, the proposed scale of assessment for 1963.

2.   In accordance with the recommendation made by the General Conference at its second regular session [1] this scale is based on the one adopted by the United Nations for the years 1962, 1963 and 1964, which takes into consideration the latest statistical data available with regard to changes in the national income and in the capacity to pay of Member States.   Consequently, the assessments of most of the Agency's Members show either increases or reductions as compared with those for 1962.[2]

3.   The proposed scale of assessment for 1963 is based on the Agency's membership on 31 August 1962.   Two changes during the past year have been taken into consideration, namely that:

    (a)   Congo (Leopoldville) joined the Agency;   and

    (b)   Syria seceded from the United Arab Republic whose assessment has consequently been reduced in accordance with the decision of the United Nations Committee on Contributions.

4.   An explanation of the numerical data used in calculating the scale for 1963 is given in the Annex to the present document.   The procedure, set out in the second paragraph of the draft resolution, for calculating the contribution of any State that becomes a Member of the Agency after the scale for 1963 has been adopted   is in accordance with the practice followed in previous years.

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[1]   GC(II)/RES/33.

[2]   GC(V)/RES/110.

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<u>The General Conference</u>

1. <u>Decides</u> that the scale of assessment of Members' contributions to the Agency's Regular Budget for the financial year 1963 shall be as follows:

Member	Percentage
Afghanistan	0.05
Albania	0.04
Argentina	0.93
Australia	1.54
Austria	0.42
Belgium	1.11
Brazil	0.95
Bulgaria	0.19
Burma	0.06
Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic	0.48
Cambodia	0.04
Canada	2.89
Ceylon	0.08
Chile	0.24
China	4.23
Colombia	0.24
Congo (Leopoldville)	0.06
Cuba	0.20
Czechoslovak Socialist Republic	1.08
Denmark	0.54
Dominican Republic	0.05
Ecuador	0.06
El Salvador	0.04
Ethiopia	0.05
Finland	0.34
France	5.49
Germany, Federal Republic of	5.27
Ghana	0.08
Greece	0.21
Guatemala	0.05
Haiti	0.04
Holy See	0.04
Honduras	0.04
Hungary	0.52

Member	Percentage
Iceland	0.04
India	1.88
Indonesia	0.42
Iran	0.19
Iraq	0.08
Israel	0.14
Italy	2.07
Japan	2.10
Korea, Republic of	0.18
Lebanon	0.05
Luxembourg	0.05
Mali	0.04
Mexico	0.68
Monaco	0.04
Morocco	0.13
Netherlands	0.93
New Zealand	0.38
Nicaragua	0.04
Norway	0.42
Pakistan	0.39
Paraguay	0.04
Peru	0.09
Philippines	0.37
Poland	1.18
Portugal	0.15
Romania	0.30
Senegal	0.05
South Africa	0.49
Spain	0.80
Sudan	0.06
Sweden	1.20
Switzerland	0.88
Thailand	0.15
Tunisia	0.05
Turkey	0.37
Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic	1.83
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	13.85

Member	Percentage
United Arab Republic	0.23
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	7.01
United States of America	32.02
Venezuela	0.48
Viet Nam	0.15
Yugoslavia	0.35
	100.00

2.   Decides further that any State that becomes a Member of the Agency during the remainder of 1962 or in 1963 shall be assessed as appropriate for contributions to the Agency's Regular Budget for those years, and for its advance to the Working Capital Fund, by applying to its United Nations percentage the appropriate coefficient used to determine the scales of Members' contributions for 1962 and 1963.

ANNEX

A. Numerical data for the calculation of the scale for 1963

Member State (1)	Percentage contribution to the United Nations for 1962-64 (2)	United Nations theoretical rates for 1962-64 for States not Members of the United Nations (3)	1962-64 United Nations rates multiplied by the coefficient 0.925 (4)
Afghanistan	0.05		0.05
Albania	0.04		0.04
Argentina	1.01		0.93
Australia	1.66		1.54
Austria	0.45		0.42
Belgium	1.20		1.11
Brazil	1.03		0.95
Bulgaria	0.20		0.19
Burma	0.07		0.06
Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic	0.52		0.48
Cambodia	0.04		0.04
Canada	3.12		2.89
Ceylon	0.09		0.08
Chile	0.26		0.24
China	4.57		4.23
Colombia	0.26		0.24
Congo (Leopoldville)	0.07		0.06
Cuba	0.22		0.20
Czechoslovak Socialist Republic	1.17		1.08
Denmark	0.58		0.54
Dominican Republic	0.05		0.05
Ecuador	0.06		0.06
El Salvador	0.04		0.04
Ethiopia	0.05		0.05
Finland	0.37		0.34
France	5.94		5.49
Germany, Federal Republic of		5.70	5.27
Ghana	0.09		0.08
Greece	0.23		0.21
Guatemala	0.05		0.05

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Haiti	0.04		0.04
Holy See		0.04	0.04
Honduras	0.04		0.04
Hungary	0.56		0.52
Iceland	0.04		0.04
India	2.03		1.88
Indonesia	0.45		0.42
Iran	0.20		0.19
Iraq	0.09		0.08
Israel	0.15		0.14
Italy	2.24		2.07
Japan	2.27		2.10
Korea, Republic of		0.19	0.18
Lebanon	0.05		0.05
Luxembourg	0.05		0.05
Mali	0.04		0.04
Mexico	0.74		0.68
Monaco		0.04	0.04
Morocco	0.14		0.13
Netherlands	1.01		0.93
New Zealand	0.41		0.38
Nicaragua	0.04		0.04
Norway	0.45		0.42
Pakistan	0.42		0.39
Paraguay	0.04		0.04
Peru	0.10		0.09
Philippines	0.40		0.37
Poland	1.28		1.18
Portugal	0.16		0.15
Romania	0.32		0.30
Senegal	0.05		0.05
South Africa	0.53		0.49
Spain	0.86		0.80
Sudan	0.07		0.06
Sweden	1.30		1.20
Switzerland		0.95	0.88
Thailand	0.16		0.15

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Tunisia	0.05		0.05
Turkey	0.40		0.37
Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic	1.98		1.83
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	14.97		13.85
United Arab Republic	0.25		0.23
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	7.58		7.01
United States of America	32.02		32.02
Venezuela	0.52		0.48
Viet-Nam		0.16	0.15
Yugoslavia	0.38		0.35
	98.37	7.08	
		105.45	100.00

B. Method for calculating the coefficient 0.925

1. Under the United Nations scale for the years 1962, 1963 and 1964, the assessments of Members of the Agency who are also Members of the United Nations amount to 98.37% of the total. The assessments recommended for the Agency's Members who are not Members of the United Nations amount to 7.08%, making a grand total of 105.45% (see columns 2 and 3 of section A above).

2. It is therefore necessary to find a coefficient by which to multiply the above-mentioned assessments of the Agency's Members so as to reduce the total to 100.00%. In arriving at this coefficient the following considerations have been taken into account:

(a) The percentages of the following Member States are fixed at a minimum of 0.04% in both the Agency and the United Nations scales:

Albania
Cambodia
El Salvador
Haiti
Holy See
Honduras
Iceland
Mali
Monaco
Nicaragua
Paraguay

giving a total of 0.44%; and

(b) In accordance with Resolution GC(III)/RES/50, the maximum contribution of the United States of America has been left at the percentage assessed in the United Nations scale for 1962-64, but will be proportionately adjusted as States become new Members of the Agency, provided that the reduction does not result in any increases in the percentages of other Members.

3.   The coefficient has been calculated as follows:

		United Nations scale	Agency scale
Total assessments		105.45	100.00
Less: Fixed assessments: maximum	32.02		
minima	0.44	32.46	32.46
Variable assessments		72.99	67.54

Dividing 67.54 by 72.99 gives a coefficient of 0.925 by which each of the variable assessments under the United Nations scale has been multiplied.

4.   In calculating the scale, care has been taken to ensure that in no case does the per capita contribution of any Member exceed that of the highest contributor.