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**ADMINISTRATIVE, FINANCIAL AND STATUTORY MATTERS**

**(b) Application of Article 34 of the Statutes  
and paragraph 13 of the Financing Rules  
attached to the Statutes**

**Addendum 1**

**Note of the Secretary-General**

In the attached document, the Secretary-General submits to the Executive Council information supplementing that contained in his report under reference CE/74/4(b).

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1. At 30 November 2004, the provisions of Article 34 of the Statutes and/or paragraph 13 of the Financing Rules attached to the Statutes, the texts of which are contained in the Annex to the main document, are applied to the 24 Members listed below.

FULL MEMBERS MEMBRES EFFECTIFS MIEMBROS EFECTIVOS	PARAGR. 13 PARRAFO 13	ART. 34	ARREAR CONTRIBUTIONS ARRIÉRÉS DE CONTRIBUTIONS CONTRIBUCIONES ATRASADAS		
			YEARS/ ANNÉES/ AÑOS	TOTAL YEARS/ ANNÉES AÑOS	TOTAL EUR
AFGHANISTAN /AFGANISTÁN	X	X	81-87, 89-03	22	512.617,77
BURKINA FASO	X	X	89-90,92-97, 00,02,03	12	242.940,48
CAMBODIA/CAMBODGE/CAMBOYA	X	X	76-92,96-98	20	450.376,23
CAPE VERDE /CAP VERT /CABO VERDE	X		02-03	2	33.512,00
CONGO	X	X	87-03	16	414.084,26
CHAD/TCHAD	X	X	88-03	15	360.801,76
GABON / GABÓN	X	X	00-03	4	150.621,47
GAMBIA /GAMBIE	X	X	81-84, 86-03	22	458.312,99
GHANA	X	X	95,97,00,02,03	5	97.243,62
GUINEA-BISSAU / GUINÉE BISSAU	X	X	92-96,99-03	10	183.697,55
KYRGYZSTAN / KIRGHIZISTAN / KIRGUISTÁN	X	X	95-03	9	222.046,49
LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REP./ RÉP.DEMOCRATIQUE POPULAIRE LAO/ REP.DEMOCRÁTICA POPULAR LAO	X	X	83-85, 88-95	11	279.241,59
MALAWI	X		00,02,03	3	48.462,24
MAURITANIA / MAURITANIE	X	X	76-03	28	633.367,79
MONGOLIA / MONGOLIE	X	X	91-00	10	297.620,51
NIGER	X	X	81-87,90-03	21	469.297,10
PERU / PEROU / PERÚ (*)	X	X	87-91,95,96,03	8	265.590,30
SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE / SAO TOME ET PRINCIPE/ SANTO TOME Y PRINCIPE	X	X	86-03	18	388.341,65
SIERRA LEONE / SIERRA LEONA	X	X	79-00,03	23	521.069,15
TOGO	X	X	96,97,99-03	7	136.000,58
TURKMENISTAN / TURKMÉNISTAN / TURKMENISTÁN	X	X	95-98,00-03	8	246.142,40
UGANDA / OUGANDA	X	X	91,92,95-00, 02,03	10	213.817,76
VENEZUELA	X	X	00-03	4	398.073,88
ZIMBABWE	X		01-03	3	62.186,01
<b>TOTAL:</b>					<b>7.085.465,58</b>

(\*) By letter dated 5 August 2004, Peru's Minister of External Trade and Tourism, H.E. Mr. Alfred Ferrero, assured the Secretary-General that proposals were being prepared by the Peruvian Government to liquidate that country's WTO contribution arrears, in anticipation of the period during which Peru will serve on the Executive Council (2006-2007).

**MEMBERS GRANTED TEMPORARY EXEMPTION FROM THE APPLICATION OF  
PARAGRAPH 13 [RESOLUTION 452 (XV)]**

Compliance with the conditions laid down by the Assembly  
Situation at 30 November 2004

		CONDITIONS LAID DOWN BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY				
		Payment of the year the G.A. approved the plan		Strict fulfilment of the agreed payment plan		
FULL MEMBERS:	Arrears payment plan			Payment made		
				Contribution for the year		Annual quota of arrears
BOLIVIA (1)	in 5 years beginning in 1999	1999	YES	1999-2003 2004	YES YES	YES PART
BURUNDI (2)		---	---	---	---	---
COSTA RICA (3)	in 15 years beginning in 1996	1995	YES	1996-2003 2004	YES YES	YES YES
EL SALVADOR (4)	in 10 years beginning in 1999	1997	YES	1998-2003 2004	YES YES	YES YES
GEORGIA	in 4 years beginning in 2004	2003	NO	2004	YES	YES
GUINEA	in 20 years beginning in 2002	2001	YES	2001-2003 2004	YES YES	YES YES
IRAQ (5)		---	---	---	---	---
KAZAKHSTAN	in 20 years beginning in 2000	---	---	2000-2003 2004	YES YES	YES YES
MALI	in 21 years beginning in 2002	2001	YES	2001-2003 2004	YES YES	YES PART
NICARAGUA	in 20 years beginning in 2004	2004	YES	2004	YES	YES
DEM. REP. OF THE CONGO	in 20 years beginning in 2004	2003	PART	2004	NO	NO
REP. OF MOLDOVA (6)		---	---	---	---	---
RWANDA	in 5 years beginning in 2004	2003	YES	2004	NO	YES
SUDAN	in 35 years beginning in 2004	2003	NO	2004	YES	YES
URUGUAY	in 10 years beginning in 2004	2004	PART	2004	PART	YES
YEMEN (7)	in 13 years beginning in 2001	1999	YES	2000-2003 2004	YES YES	YES NO

**OBSERVATIONS:**

- (1) **Bolivia:** The payment plan covers part of the debt. From 2003 onwards, the payment of arrears pending should have been the subject of a new agreement.
- (2) **Burundi:** Until a legal position is adopted concerning this Member's request for a temporary suspension of its full membership.
- (3) **Costa Rica:** Since the debt of Costa Rica is less than the amount of its assessed contributions for the past two years, the provisions of paragraph 13 are no longer applicable to it.

- (4) **El Salvador:** El Salvador has proposed a rescheduling of its current payment plan to settle its outstanding debt over 15 years beginning in 2003.
- (5) **Iraq:** Since Iraq is no longer subject to United Nations sanctions, it is now up to that country to present a payment plan for its contribution arrears to the Executive Council session preceding the General Assembly's sixteenth session at the latest.
- (6) **Rep. Moldova:** While a legal study is undertaken to ascertain the true date of this country's admission to WTO.
- (7) **Yemen:** The payment plan covers the arrears for the period 1990-1998. Once the present plan has been concluded, the payment of arrears pending (1979-1989), owed by the former People's Republic of Yemen, will be the subject of a new agreement.