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**Agenda Item 136**

**Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2018-2019**

**Request for a subvention to the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of  
Cambodia (ECCC) (A/72/341)**

**FIFTH COMMITTEE**

**Statement by**

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Mr. Chairman,  
Distinguished Delegates,

1. I have the honour to introduce the Secretary- report on the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia (ECCC) (A/72/341). This report outlines the substantive progress and results achieved by the Chambers under each of the judicial cases. It also addresses the continuing financial challenges faced by ECCC in 2017 and provides the estimated requirements for ECCC for the national component and the United Nations component, also called the international component of the Extraordinary Chambers, for the biennium 2018-2019.

2. The General Assembly, in its resolution 71/272, authorized the Secretary-General, as an exceptional measure, to enter into commitments in an amount not to exceed \$11 million to supplement the voluntary financial resources of the international component of the Extraordinary Chambers for the year 2017. This amount was based on the pledging shortfall, as it stood then, for the international component.



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