3. The budgetary implications for the programme budget for the biennium 2016-2017 and the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2018-2019 of these recommendations and decisions are estimated at \$391,000 and \$4.5 million, respectively.

4. Should the General Assembly approve the recommendations of the Commission, the requirements for the biennium 2016-2017 for the United Nations will be addressed, as necessary, in the context of the second performance report. The financial requirements for the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2018-2019 will be taken into account in the context of the revised estimates: effect of changes in rates of exchange and inflation for the period.

Mr. Chairman, Distinguished Delegates, I look forward to the discussions on this item.