

6. This situation puts those member states that would have benefitted from the efficient implementation of mandates and the member states that would have paid their assessments on time to a serious disadvantage. Long unsettled issue of closed PKOs and pending COE reimbursements of many member states, including India, from the closed PKOs is a case in point.

Madam Chair,

7. India is also among those 76 member states who continue to be owed significant sums towards troop and COE reimbursements from the active peacekeeping missions. Nevertheless, we have continued to support the UN, and are cumulatively the largest troop contributor. As at 16 October 2018, India is among the 43 member states that have paid their assessments in full. India has, in fact, paid in full its regular budget assessment for the year in advance.

