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Report of the Secretary-General

5. No new payment plans have been submitted in recent years, although several Member States have indicated, in the context of Article 19 discussions, that the matter was under consideration. In setting out the arrangements for the multi-year payment plan system, it was recognized that due consideration should be given to the economic position of Member States, as not all of them might be in a position to submit a plan. Accordingly, the submission of such plans remains voluntary in nature. The Secretariat stands ready to assist any Member State wishing to implement a multi-year payment plan.

6. The Committee may wish to take note of the report of the Secretary-