Oral statement by the Secretariat in connection with draft resolution A/C. 6/77/L. 16 entitled the work of its seventy-

1. In e pesent statement is made in the contex of rule 15 of the rules of procedure of the Gneral Assembly. The pesent statement will also be distributed to Member States.

2 Edder the terms of oprative pragap 17 of the draft resolution, the General Assembly would take note of pragap 2 of the reprt of the Enternational Law Commission and request the Secretariat to poceed with the necessary administrative and orgnizional arrangments to facilitate the holding of the first prt of a session of the Commission in New Ork during the nex qingennium .

3 The adopion of the draft resolution would not entail any budgtary impications with regrd to the pogamme budgt. pn a decision on the date of the first prt of the session of the Commission in Nw Wrk , the Secretary -Gneral would assess the budgta