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## **Financing of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals**

### **Report of the Fifth Committee**

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#### **I. Introduction**

1. The previous recommendation made by the Fifth Committee to the General Assembly under agenda item 148 is set out in the report of the Committee contained in document [A/71/704](#).

2. The Fifth Committee resumed its consideration of the item at its 25th and 28th meetings, on 8 and 31 March 2017. Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary records.<sup>1</sup>

3. For its further consideration of the item, the Committee had before it the following documents:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General on the construction of a new facility for the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals, Arusha branch ([A/71/753](#));

(b) Related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions ([A/71/812](#)).

#### **II. Consideration of draft resolution [A/C.5/71/L.23](#)**

4. At its 28th meeting, on 31 March, the Committee had before it a draft resolution entitled "Construction of a new facility for the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals, Arusha branch" ([A/C.5/71/L.23](#)), submitted by

<sup>1</sup> [A/C.5/71/SR.25](#) and [A/C.5/71/SR.28](#).



the Chair of the Committee on the basis of informal consultations coordinated by the representative of New Zealand.

5. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft resolution [A/C.5/71/L.23](#) without a vote (see para. 6).

### III. Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

6. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft resolution:

#### **Construction of a new facility for the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals, Arusha branch**

*The General Assembly,*

*Recalling* its resolutions [66/240](#) A of 24 December 2011, [66/240](#) B of 21 June 2012, [67/244](#) A of 24 December 2012, [67/244](#) B of 12 April 2013, [68/257](#) of 27 December 2013, [68/267](#) of 9 April 2014, [69/256](#) of 29 December 2014, [69/276](#) of 2 April 2015, [70/243](#) of 23 December 2015 and [70/258](#) of 1 April 2016,

*Having considered* the report of the Secretary-General<sup>1</sup> and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,<sup>2</sup>

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General;<sup>1</sup>
2. *Endorses* the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> [A/71/753](#).

<sup>2</sup> [A/71/812](#).