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Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. During the main part of the seventy-fifth session, the Fifth Committee met formally and remotely owing to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic, during which it considered, pursuant to rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, the statement submitted by the Secretary-General on the programme budget implications of draft resolution [A/C.1/75/L.8/Rev.1](#) ([A/C.5/75/13](#)) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions ([A/75/7/Add.27](#)). The Fifth Committee formally considered this question in person at its 8th meeting, on 30 December 2020. The statements and comments made in the course of the Committee's formal consideration of this question are reflected in the relevant summary records.¹

2. At its 8th meeting, on 30 December, the Committee had before it a draft decision ([A/C.5/75/L.15](#), sect. C), submitted by the Chair of the Committee on the basis of informal consultations coordinated by the representative of Kuwait. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision [A/C.5/75/L.15](#) without a vote (see para. 3).

¹ [A/C.5/75/SR.8](#).



Decision of the Fifth Committee

3. The Fifth Committee, having considered the statement of programme budget implications submitted by the Secretary-General¹ and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,² decides to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution [A/C.1/75/L.8/Rev.1](#), additional resources amounting to 269,900 United States dollars would be required for 2021, comprising 241,800 dollars under section 2, General Assembly and Economic and Social Council affairs and conference management, 25,100 dollars under section 4, Disarmament, and 3,000 dollars under section 28, Global communications, of the proposed programme budget for 2021, representing a charge against the contingency fund.

¹ [A/C.5/75/13](#).

² [A/75/7/Add.27](#).