special considerations in the particular case; the criterion might be whether the person best qualified for a particular task could be induced to accept the appointment unless some financial provision was made to compensate for the loss of professional earnings; thus a factor in each case would be whether or not the person concerned would remain in the employ of a Government or other institution without suspension of normal emoluments; in such cases, at least as far as Member States are concerned, it shall be assumed, in any event, that they would normally wish to make available to the Organization without charge the services of persons in their employ;

4. Decides that the decisions in paragraphs 2 and 3 above shall not be deemed to apply to the payment of any honoraria which it has already authorized on an exceptional basis and which are enumerated in the annex to the present resolution.

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ANNEX

Payment of honoraria authorized on an exceptional basis by the General Assembly

| (U | S dollars) |
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| Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions | 5,000* |
| Chairman of the International Law Commission | 2,500b |
| Special rapporteurs of the International Law Commission | 2,500b |
| Other members of the International Law Commission | 1,000 |
| President of the International Narcotics Control Board | 2,500 |
| Vice-Presidents of the International Narcotics Control Board | 1,500 |
| Other members of the International Narcotics Control Board | 1,000 |
| President of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal | 2,500 |
| Other members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal | 1,000c |

* Honorarium to be paid only so long as the Chairman is

not in the service of his Government.

b Payment of an amount of \$2,500, rather than the minimum amount of \$1,000 payable to all members, to be conditional upon the preparation of specific reports or studies between sessions of the Commission.

c On the basis of \$500 for each session in which the members of the Tribunal participate, provided that the maximum amount payable in any one year shall not exceed \$1,000 (see resolution 2490 (XXIII)).

2490 (XXIII). Amounts of honoraria paid to the President and other members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal

The General Assembly,

Recalling its endorsement at the 960th plenary meeting, on 20 December 1960,54 of the recommendation submitted by the Fifth Committee regarding the payment, as an exceptional measure, of honoraria to the President and other members of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal,55

Decides that, with effect from 1 January 1969, the following increased amounts shall be payable:

- (a) An amount of \$2,500 per annum to the President of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal;
- (b) An amount of \$500 to the other members of the Tribunal in respect of each session in which they participate, provided that the maximum amount paid in any one year shall not exceed \$1,000.

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2491 (XXIII). Rates of subsistence allowances payable to members of organs and subsidiary organs of the United Nations

The General Assembly,

Taking note of the increases in subsistence costs that have occurred since the rates of subsistence allowances were last revised in General Assembly resolution 1588 (XV) of 20 December 1960,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General, 56 together with the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,57

- 1. Decides that, with effect from 1 January 1969, daily subsistence allowances shall be payable to eligible members of organs and subsidiary organs of the United Nations, as follows:
- (a) While attending meetings away from their normal place of residence or duty station, at rates equivalent to the standard travel subsistence allowance rates for officials of the Secretariat, plus 40 per cent, rounded to the nearest United States dollar and normally payable in local currency, provided that the Secretary-General may establish minimum and maximum rates if he deems it appropriate, and may reduce the rates in the event of the provision of board and/or lodging by a host Government;
- (b) While attending meetings at the place of residence or duty station, the equivalent in local currency of \$US 10;
- (c) While travelling by a direct route, by ship, aeroplane or train, the amount of \$US 8;
- 2. Decides that the present resolution shall supersede General Assembly resolution 1588 (XV) and paragraph 7 of the annex to Assembly resolution 1798 (XVII) of 11 December 1962;
- 3. Further decides that the subsistence allowance rates for members of the International Court of Justice, payable under the travel and subsistence regulations of the Court, shall be the same as those set forth in paragraph 1 (a) above.

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⁵⁴ Ibid., Fifteenth Session, Plenary Meetings, 960th meeting, para. 182.

⁵⁵ Ibid., Fifteenth Session, Annexes, agenda item 50, document A/4609, para. 10.

⁵⁶ Ibid.. Twenty-third Session, Annexes, agenda item 74, document A/C.5/1178.

⁵⁷ Ibid., document A/7304.