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Some reflections on reform of the United Nations

Comments of the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination

The report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Some reflections on reform of the United Nations" (see A/40/988 and Corr.l and Add.l), was transmitted to the General Assembly at its fortieth session. To facilitate the work of the Economic and Social Council, the comments of the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination are reproduced in the annex below. These comments will be issued in due course as a document of the General Assembly.

Annex

COMMENTS OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON CO-ORDINATION ON THE REPORT OF THE JOINT INSPECTION UNIT ENTITLED "SOME REFLECTIONS ON REFORM OF THE UNITED NATIONS"

- 1. The report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Some reflections on reform of the United Nations" presents a personalized vision of the United Nations system.
- 2. The Administrative Committee on Co-ordination regrets that the report was not prepared in accordance with the practice of the Unit and the provisions of its Statute (General Assembly resolution 31/192) relating, inter alia, to the scope of reports, prior consultations, and dissemination and publicity of reports.
 - 3. For these reasons the Committee considers it inappropriate to comment on the report.
 - 4. The Committee intends to continue to contribute fully to the ongoing efforts in various forums to improve the functioning of the United Nations system and will contribute collectively to this process at the appropriate time. The Committee will revert to the matter at its second regular session of 1986.