



SEVENTH ITEM ON THE AGENDA

Other financial and general questions**(d) Financial arrangements for a tripartite monitoring and evaluation review of technical cooperation in 2000-01**

1. At its present session (March 2000) the Governing Body will have before it a proposal by its Committee on Technical Cooperation to conduct a review of field activities during the current biennium. The review would consist of two on-the-spot reviews in each year of the biennium 2000-01, which would be undertaken in conjunction with a regional or other meeting. Each review would be conducted by three members of the Governing Body, one from each group and from the region concerned. The reports of the four reviews would be consolidated during a two-day meeting in Geneva of the members of all four review teams immediately before the 282nd Session (November 2001) of the Governing Body.
2. The Programme and Budget for 2000-01 does not include provision for such a review, and should the Governing Body decide that it should take place, financial arrangements will have to be made.
3. On the basis of the information provided, it is estimated that the cost of such a review would be some US\$54,000. These costs would be financed by savings under Part I of the budget.
4. *The Committee may wish to recommend to the Governing Body that, should it approve the proposal by the Committee on Technical Cooperation, the cost of the review in the 2000-01 biennium, estimated at some US\$54,000, be financed from savings in Part I of the budget .*

Geneva, 23 March 2000.

Point for decision: Paragraph 4.