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Comprehensive review of governance and oversight within the United Nations and its funds, programmes and specialized agencies

The General Assembly,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the comprehensive review of governance and oversight within the United Nations and its funds, programmes and specialized agencies,¹ the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on oversight lacunae in the United Nations system² and the note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination thereon,³ the comments of the Joint Inspection Unit on the report of the Steering Committee on the Comprehensive Review of Governance and Oversight within the United Nations and Its Funds, Programmes

¹ A/60/883 and Add.1 and 2.

² See A/60/860.

³ See A/60/860/Add.1.



and Specialized Agencies,⁴ the detailed report of the Secretary-General on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: accountability⁵ and the report of the Secretary-General on accountability measures,⁶ the detailed report of the Secretary-General on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: updated terms of reference for the Independent Audit Advisory Committee,⁷ the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on proposals for strengthening the Office of Internal Oversight Services,⁸ the interim report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: updated terms of reference for the Independent Audit Advisory Committee,⁹ the report of the Advisory Committee on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: detailed report on accountability¹⁰ and the report of the Advisory Committee on the comprehensive review of governance and oversight within the United Nations and its funds, programmes and specialized agencies,¹¹

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General on the comprehensive review of governance and oversight within the United Nations and its funds, programmes and specialized agencies,¹ the report of the Joint Inspection Unit on oversight lacunae in the United Nations system² and the note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination thereon,³ the comments of the Joint Inspection Unit on the report of the Steering Committee on the Comprehensive Review of Governance and Oversight within the United Nations and Its Funds, Programmes and Specialized Agencies,⁴ the detailed report of the Secretary-General on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: accountability⁵ and the report of the Secretary-General on accountability measures,⁶ the detailed report of the Secretary-General on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: updated terms of reference for the Independent Audit Advisory Committee,⁷ the interim report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: updated terms of reference for the Independent Audit Advisory Committee,⁹ and the report of the Advisory Committee on investing in the United Nations for a stronger Organization worldwide: detailed report on accountability;¹⁰

2. *Endorses* the conclusions and recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the comprehensive review of governance and oversight within the United Nations and its funds, programmes and specialized agencies;¹¹

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General to submit the following reports for its consideration at the first part of its resumed sixty-first session:

(a) Revised terms of reference for the Independent Audit Advisory Committee;

⁴ A/60/1004.

⁵ A/60/846/Add.6.

⁶ A/61/546.

⁷ A/60/846/Add.7.

⁸ A/60/901.

⁹ A/60/903.

¹⁰ A/60/909.

¹¹ A/61/605.

(b) Strengthening of the Office of Internal Oversight Services;

4. *Also requests* the Secretary-General to submit the following reports for its consideration at the second part of its resumed sixty-first session if possible, but not later than by the end of its sixty-first session:

- (a) Enterprise risk management and internal control framework;
 - (b) Results-based management;
 - (c) Accountability framework.
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