

**DRAFT****Updated inventory chart of General Assembly resolutions on the revitalization of the work of the General Assembly to be issued pursuant to resolution 67/297****Explanatory note by the Co-Chairs of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly (sixty-eighth session)**

1. In accordance with paragraph 3 of General Assembly resolution 67/297, in which the Assembly decided that the Ad Hoc Working Group on the revitalization of the General Assembly should continue its review of the inventory of Assembly resolutions on revitalization annexed to the report of the Ad Hoc Working Group submitted at the sixty-seventh session (A/67/936), and, as a result, issue an updated version of the inventory to be attached to the report of the Ad Hoc Working Group at the sixty-eighth session, the Co-Chairs, assisted by the Secretariat, have prepared the updated inventory/chart for consideration by Member States.
2. The present inventory/chart has been updated to reflect the progress achieved since the adoption of resolution 67/297 which is indicated in bold.
3. The Co-Chairs, assisted by the Secretariat, obtained updated information, where possible, from relevant entities responsible for implementation.
4. The updated inventory/chart retains the two-part structure utilised during the sixty-seventh session, namely that: s:
  - (a) The first part contains unimplemented provisions, in order to focus on their follow-up;
  - (b) The second part contains implemented provisions, both those that required one-time action and those with ongoing implementation, in order to keep track of previous achievements and provide the means to compare with and learn from past experience.
5. Thus, in practical terms, the updated inventory/chart can continue to provide clear evidence of ongoing progress and signal opportunities for further progress.
6. This inventory/chart does not have a definite character and may be amended at any time by Member States through the Ad Hoc Working Group. Furthermore, it is not intended to, and does not, constitute any legal effect. It should serve only as a tool to facilitate discussions on the follow-up to the implementation of the previous related resolutions.

## Part I Provisions requiring follow-up

### Cluster I: role and authority of the General Assembly

<i>No.</i>	<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Text of provision</i>	<i>Implementing entity</i>	<i>Comments</i>
A. General provisions related to the role and authority of the General Assembly (See part II)				
B. Provisions related to the election of the President of the General Assembly and members of the General Committee (See also part II)				
<b>NEW</b>	<b>67/297, para.22</b>	<b>Ad Hoc Working Group to prepare arrangements concerning the election of Chairs and Rapporteurs of the Main Committees of the General Assembly, with the aim of establishing a predictable, transparent and fair mechanism for the elections at an early stage of the sixty-eighth session of the Assembly, and not later than six months before the start of its sixty-ninth session, and to submit them to the Assembly not later than three months before the start of its sixty-ninth session; regional groups to be guided by these arrangements for the election of the Chairs and Rapporteurs of the sixty-ninth session.</b>	<b>AHWG, GA, Regional Groups</b>	<b>In its decision 68/505, taken at its 24<sup>th</sup> plenary meeting, on 1 October 2013, the General Assembly, on the proposal of its President, decided to approve an interim arrangement concerning the rotation of the chairs of the Main Committees for the forthcoming five sessions of the Assembly.</b>
C. Provisions related to the annual report of the Security Council (See also part II)				



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		<b>advance planning and preparation before the members assume such responsibilities</b>		

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K. Provisions related to the implementation and follow-up of resolutions  
(See part II)

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**Cluster II: working methods**

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4.	55/285, annex, para. 15  <i>Also in:</i>  51/241, annex, para. 32	Member States need to take concrete action to implement paragraph 32 of the annex to resolution 51/241, including by requesting more integrated reports. Paragraph 32 reads: <i>The number of reports requested shall be rationalized where possible so as to permit more focused consideration of issues. All bodies shall exercise restraint in making proposals containing requests for new reports and should consider integrating, biennializing or triennializing the presentation of reports, bearing in mind paragraphs 6 and 7 of General Assembly resolution 50/206 C of 23 December 1995.</i>	Member States	Provision to be implemented by Member States.



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**Cluster III: selection and appointment of the Secretary-General  
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15.	60/286, annex, para. 20	Also encourages formal presentation of candidatures for the position of Secretary-General in a manner that allows sufficient time for interaction with Member States, and requests candidates to present their views to all States members of the General Assembly.	Member States	Presentation of candidature is being made in the form of letters to the Security Council. Since the adoption of the draft resolution on the iii



## Part II

### Provisions that have been implemented or are being implemented on an ongoing basis

#### Cluster I: role and authority of the General Assembly

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#### A. General provisions related to the role and authority of the General Assembly

18. 66/294, para. 4    Reaffirms the role and the authority of the General Assembly, including on questions relating to
- Also in:*
- 65/315, para. 4;  
64/301, para. 4;  
60/286, annex I, para. 1; and  
59/313, para. 2 (b)

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<b>C. Provisions related to the annual report of the Security Council (See also part I)</b>				
20.	67/297, para. 10  <i>Also in:</i> 66/294, para. 11 65/315, para. 10; and 64/301, para. 9	Welcomes the improvements that have been made in the quality of the annual reports of the Security Council to the General Assembly, encourages the Council to make further improvements as necessary.	Security Council	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis. Further to the measures contained in the notes by the President of the Security Council of 26 July 2010 (S/2010/507) and of 5 June 2012 (S/2012/402), presidencies may consider organizing interactive informal exchanges of views with the wider membership prior to the adoption of the report.
21.	60/286, annex, para. 4  <i>Also in:</i> 58/126, annex, para. 3	Invites the Security Council to further its initiatives to improve the quality of its annual report to the General Assembly, mandated by Article 24, paragraph 3, of the Charter, in order to provide the Assembly with a substantive and analytical report.	Security Council	The report of the Security Council is being improved in a gradual manner. In the 1990s the report was changed to reflect changes in the working methods of the Security Council. Since 2000, further changes have been introduced; inter alia, the introductory part has been added. Since then, the Security Council has focused more on the introduction to the report. In 2006, information on special political missions was added to the report. Since the sixty-third session, the report has been prepared on the basis of new guidelines according to the findings of the Security Council Working Group on Documentation.
22.	59/313, para. 2 (c)  <i>Also in:</i> 59/313, para. 2 (f)	To consider the annual reports as well as special reports of the Security Council, in accordance with Article 15, paragraph 1, and Article 24, paragraph 3, of the Charter, through substantive and interactive debates.	General Assembly	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis. The annual report of the Security Council is being considered through substantive and interactive debates.

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23.	51/241, annex, para. 11	The agenda item entitled "Report of the Security Council" shall continue to be considered in plenary meetings of the General Assembly.	General Assembly	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis. The annual report of the Security Council is considered in plenary meetings of the General Assembly-29.7835(r)41.9318(e)-41.9318(f) para. 11

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<b>D. Provisions related to the annual report of the Economic and Social Council</b>				
28.	60/286, annex, para. 8	Invites the Economic and Social Council to continue to prepare its report to the General Assembly in accordance with Assembly resolution 50/227, striving to make it more concise and action-oriented by highlighting the critical areas requiring action by the Assembly and, as appropriate, by making specific recommendations for consideration by the Member States.	Member States (Economic and Social Council)	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis.
29.	51/241, annex, para. 15	The report of the Economic and Social Council to the General Assembly shall be prepared in accordance with General Assembly resolution 50/227. The report shall also contain an evaluation of the report of the Administrative Committee on Coordination, taking into account the report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination.	Member States (Economic and Social Council)	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis.
<b>E. Provisions related to the annual report of the International Court of Justice</b>				
30.	51/241, annex, para. 16	Ongoing basis. 54T5(t)-37.54( )-.4113(1)-46.6736(6)-46846.6736(/)-25..6738(N35.9326(r)-31.448i)-538v6.		

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				<p>television and film productions, and its annual five-week-long training programme for journalists from developing countries and countries with economies in transition exposes junior and mid-level journalists to the work of the United Nations during the general debate.</p> <p>The Department of Public Information's network of 62 United Nations Information Centres, Services and Offices also continue to carry out numerous public information activities to enhance awareness of the work of the General Assembly. The Centres widely disseminated press kits for the sixty-sixth and sixty-seventh sessions of the Assembly that were frequently translated into local languages and disseminated to media representatives, Government officials and civil society.</p> <p>The Department of Public Information further enhanced public and media awareness of the work and decisions of the General Assembly by disseminating messages from the Spokesperson of the President of the General Assembly to field duty stations.</p> <p>United Nation Information Centres also provide media and communication support to the President of the General Assembly during official visits to the countries where they are located.</p> <p>The Department of Public Information regularly seconds a staff member at the Professional level to serve as the spokesperson for the President of the General Assembly.</p> <p>In addition, the Committee on Information continues to consider</p>

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				ways and means to enhance the visibility of the work of the General Assembly, including through the recommendations of

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38.	51/241, annex, para. 27	The General Assembly is the highest political body with universal membership of the Organization. Consideration of agenda items directly in plenary meetings shall be reserved for urgent issues or issues of major political importance, bearing in mind paragraphs 1 and 2 of annex I to General Assembly resolution 48/264.	General Assembly	Provision implemented on an

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42.	59/313, para. 12	Encourages the holding of interactive debates with a view to contributing to intergovernmental decision-making.	Member States (General Assembly)	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis.

**J. Provisions related to the cooperation between the main organs**

43.	66/294, para. 10  <i>Also in:</i>  65/315, para. 9; 64/301, paras. 7 and 8; 60/286, annex, para. 2; 58/126, annex, para. 6; 55/285, annex, para. 21; and 51/241, annex, para. 43	Stresses the importance of ensuring increased cooperation, coordination and exchange of information among the principal organs, welcomes the holding of regular meetings of the President of the General Assembly at its		
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## Cluster II: working methods

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<b>A. General provisions related to the rules of procedure of the General Assembly</b>				
50.	60/286, annex, para. 24  <i>Also in:</i>  59/313, para. 14	Requests the Secretary-General to issue the rules of procedure of the General Assembly in a consolidated version in all official languages, in print and online.	Secretary-General	One-time action. The consolidated version of the rules of procedure is set out in document A/520/Rev.16 and Corr.1, both in print and online (A/62/608, p. 15). <sup>b</sup>
51.	60/286, annex, para. 24	Requests the Office of Legal Affairs of the Secretariat to make precedents and past practice available in the public domain with respect to rules and practices of the intergovernmental bodies of the Organization.	Secretary-General/Office of Legal Affairs	Implemented. See <a href="http://untreaty.un.org/ola/publications_2.aspx">http://untreaty.un.org/ola/publications_2.aspx</a>
<b>B. Provisions related to the organization of meetings: Plenary, General Committee, Main Committees</b>				
52.	66/294, para. 9  <i>Also in:</i>  65/315 para. 8	Welcomes the holding of periodic informal briefings by the Secretary-General and encourages him to continue this practice.	Secretary-General	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis. The Secretary-General periodically briefs Member States in informal plenary meetings of the General Assembly on his priorities,



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53.	67/297, para. 18  <i>Also in:</i>  66/294, para. 20  65/315, para. 16	Reiterates its invitation to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the Chairs of the Main Committees, in consultation with the General Committee and Member States, to enhance the coordination of the scheduling of high-level meetings, with a view to optimizing the number and distribution of such events.	Secretary-General, President of the General Assembly, Main Committee Chairs, Member States	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis. The Secretariat takes an active role in providing advice, as requested, in the consultations on high-level plenary meetings, high-level thematic debates, and other events scheduled near the general debate, to ensure optimum scheduling and utilization. The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management also regularly briefs Member States on arrangements for the forthcoming general debate and other high-level meetings convened in its vicinity. Further, the Executive Office of the Secretary-General has adopted an internal mechanism to ensure the coordination of initiatives emanating from departments and offices of the Secretariat, agencies, funds and programmes of the United Nations.
54.	59/313, para. 11	Strongly urges all officers presiding over meetings of the General Assembly to start such meetings on time.	Secretary-General/ Department of General Assembly and Conference Management	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis by the Secretariat. Periodically, the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management provides presiding officers with statistics on the financial impact of the implementation of this provision (A/61/483, p. 19, and A/62/608).
55.	58/316, annex, para. 1 (b)	With effect from the fifty-ninth session of the General Assembly, the meetings of the plenary Assembly shall normally be held on Mondays and Thursdays.	Secretary-General/ Department for General Assembly and Conference Management	As from the fifty-ninth session, plenary meetings of the Assembly are scheduled and held on Mondays and Thursdays to the extent possible (A/61/483, p. 13, and A/62/608).
56.	58/126, annex, sect. B para. 2	The work of the Main Committees of the General Assembly might benefit if it is scheduled over two substantive periods during the session. ... With a view to enabling the Assembly to consider changes in this regard, with effect from the sixtieth session of the	Secretary-General	One-time action. In response to this request, the Secretariat circulated a note entitled "Options for the rescheduling of the Main Committees of the General Assembly" (A/58/CRP.3), which the Assembly considered at its fifty-eighth session (A/61/483, p. 12, and A/62/608, p. 7).

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		Assembly, the Secretary-General is requested to present, by 1 February 2004, various options for consideration by the General Committee, taking into account the requirements of the relevant intergovernmental bodies and the different locations of their meetings and the budget cycle.		

### C. Provisions related to the general debate

57.	57/301, para. 2  <i>Also in:</i>  57/301, para. 3; and 51/241, annex, paras. 19 and 20 (a)	Also decides that the general debate in the General Assembly shall open on the Tuesday following the opening of the regular session of the General Assembly and shall be held without interruption over a period of nine working days.	Secretary-General/ Department for General Assembly and Conference Management	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis. Included in annex VIII to the rules of procedure. The general debate opens on the Tuesday following the opening of the regular session of the General Assembly and is being held without interruption over a period of nine working days.
58.	51/241, annex, para. 20 (b)-(e)	The preparation of the list of speakers for the general debate shall be based on the following principles:  (b) Member States shall be invited to indicate three preferences for speaking times;  (c) Member States wishing to organize		

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		<p>responses to the request for preferences and to indicate this transparently in their responses;</p> <p>(d) The Secretariat shall be requested to prepare a list of speakers based on existing traditions and expressions of preference to best accommodate Members' needs;</p> <p>(e) The list of speakers for each day shall be completed and no speakers will be rolled over to the next day, notwithstanding the implications for hours of work.</p>		
<b>D. Provisions related to the conduct of business: time limits on speeches</b>				
59.	59/313, para. 10	Decides that time limits on speeches in the plenary Assembly and in the Main Committees shall be applied in accordance with rules 72 and 114 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.	Member States/Secretary-General/President of the General Assembly	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis by the Secretariat, the President of the General Assembly and Member States, bearing in mind the sovereign right of each Member State to express its national position.
60.	51/241, annex, para. 22	Outside the general debate there shall be a 15-minute time limit in plenary meetings and in the Main Committees.	Member States	Ongoing provision. Provision to be applied by Member States bearing in mind the sovereign right of each Member State to express its national position.
61.	59/313, para. 13	Invites Member States that		

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		chair of a group of Member States, where possible, to focus additional interventions that they make in their national capacity on points that have not already been adequately addressed in the statements of the group in question, bearing in mind the sovereign right of each Member State to express its national position.		position.

#### **E. Provisions related to modern technologies**

62.	<i>67/297,</i> <i>para. 20</i>	<i>Urges</i> the Secretariat, in addition to its current practice of using e-mail, to use facsimile messages to disseminate important official letters and notifications to all Permanent Missions	Secretariat	All important official communications are transmitted by e-mail and, where delivery is not successful, by fax.
	<i>Also in:</i> <i>66/294,</i> <i>para. 15</i>			
63.	<i>67/297,</i> <i>para. 21</i>			
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				session documents of those bodies. In the Main Committees, delegations are also increasingly making use of the possibility of circulating their statements electronically through Main Committee websites, or Quickplaces, and reading out shorter

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		and Conference Management on the distribution of printed documents to Missions, bearing in mind the cost savings, as well as the reduced environmental impact, which may accrue from this exercise, in order to improve the quality and distribution of those documents.		documents.
66.	55/285, annex, para. 24 (b) and (c)	<p>Taking into account the general support in this regard, the Secretary-General is requested to submit proposals to the General Assembly for its consideration:</p> <p>(b) Wiring of the main conference rooms at Headquarters to provide members of delegations and the Secretariat with access to the Official Document System and other databases of</p>		

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		should be made for training delegates. Facilities for such access by delegations within the United Nations premises shall also be expanded as much as possible. Availability of information in this manner should be ensured in all official languages of the United Nations.		
68.	51/241, annex, para. 46	The Secretary-General is encouraged to include information on the impact of technological improvements in his report on the implementation of mandates, by means of comparing outputs with objectives.	Secretary-General	See comments for provisions 65 and 66 above. In addition, recording and assessment of indicators and outputs is im-31.1439293(y)fishseace techn94216ed 38.86087(e)-38.8.1453( 38.4G2( )JT1.1453(t)-3 Nyfis e



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		focus on key themes.		

**G. Provisions related to documentation: consolidation of reports  
(See also part I)**

70.	60/286, annex, para. 29  <i>Also in:</i>  59/313, para. 16; 58/316, annex, para. 6 (c); and 58/126, annex, sect. B, para. 7	Requests the Secretary-General to implement further the measures set out in paragraph 20 of resolution 57/300 on the consolidation of reports and in paragraph 6 of the annex to resolution 58/316 on documentation.	Secretary-General	In response to the provision formulated in resolution 57/300, the Secretariat has issued a note entitled "Control and limitation of documentation" (A/58/CRP.7).  Since the adoption of this resolution, a number of reports, where appropriate, have been consolidated (A/61/483, p. 21, and A/62/608).  The Main Committees regularly examine the issue of consolidation of documentation, particularly when considering their working methods in the context of the revitalization of the work of the General Assembly.
71.	59/313, para. 16  <i>Also in:</i>  58/316, annex, para. 6	In the light of its decision in section B, paragraph 7, of the annex to resolution 58/126 that the heavy volume of documentation that is submitted to the General Assembly for its consideration should be reduced, the Secretary-General is requested:  (a) To update the note by the Secretariat, entitled "Control and limitation of documentation" (A/58/CRP.7) in the light of the provisions of the present resolution;  (b) To submit the updated version of the note by the	Secretary-General	In response to the provision formulated in resolution 57/300, the Secretariat has issued a note entitled "Control and limitation of documentation" (A/58/CRP.7). The note has not been updated, lacking the endorsement of Member States.

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		Secretariat for the consideration of the General Committee, meeting in open-ended consultations, so that it may make recommendations to the General Assembly at its fifty-ninth session.		
72.	55/285, annex, para. 16	In preparing the annual memorandum concerning the implementation of the resolutions and decisions of the General Assembly, the secretariat of the Assembly, in consultation with the substantive departments of the Secretariat, should look for synergies and integration of reports.	Secretary-General	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis by the Secretariat. The annual memorandum concerning the implementation of the resolutions contains a paragraph on the need for possible integration of reports.

**H. Provisions related to the preparation and issuance of reports  
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		preparation of reports and to rationalize the scheduling of meetings. The Secretary-General shall keep the President of the General Assembly and the General Committee informed on this issue on a regular basis throughout the sessions of the Assembly.		A/BUR/67/1).
<b>I. Provisions related to the report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization (See also part I)</b>				
75.	51/241, annex, para. 4	The introduction to the report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization should be in the nature of an executive summary highlighting main issues.	Secretary-General	Provision implemented by the Secretariat. The introduction to the report on the work of the Organization is presented in the form of an executive summary highlighting the main issues.
76.	51/241, annex, para. 5  <i>Also in:</i>  55/285, annex, para. 13	The main body of the report shall be comprehensive, informative and analytical in a way that will allow Member States to examine and assess, inter alia, through the debate on the report, the extent to which mandates given by the General Assembly have been fulfilled, as well as to set priorities in the context of the major political, economic and social, administrative and financial issues on its	Secretary-General	Provision implemented by the Secretariat on an ongoing basis.

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		agenda.		
77.	51/241, annex, para. 6  <i>Also in:</i>  55/285, annex, para. 13	The Secretary-General shall incorporate a forward-looking section in his report on the work of the Organization. It shall describe the specific goals for the Secretariat in the year ahead in the context of the work plan for the Organization in the coming year, taking into account the medium-term plan and the fact that the responsibility for establishing priorities rests with the Member States.	Secretary-General	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis by the Secretariat.
78.	51/241, annex, para. 9  <i>Also in:</i>  55/285, annex, para. 13	The report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization shall, inter alia, contain an analytical and concise annex elaborating the costs by major programmes and activities of all bodies of the United Nations system, located both in and outside New York, according to their mandates, so as to improve Member States' overview of system-wide issues.	Secretary-General	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis by the Secretariat.

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		the clear consent of the sponsoring State or States, taking into account the relevant recommendations of the Ad Hoc Working Group,		
83.	58/316, annex, para. 2 (a) and (d)	<p>(a) Pursuant to paragraph 4 of section B of the annex to resolution 58/126, the agenda of the General Assembly shall be organized under headings corresponding to the priorities of the Organization, as contained in the medium-term plan for the period 2002-2005 (or in the strategic framework, as appropriate), with an additional heading for “Organizational, administrative and other matters”;</p> <p>(d) The provisions of the present section shall be reviewed by the General Assembly at its sixty-first session with a view to making further improvements, as appropriate.</p>	Secretary-General/Member States (General Assembly)	<p>One-time action. As from the fifty-ninth session, the agenda of the General Assembly has been organized under headings corresponding to the priorities of the Organization, as contained in the medium-term plan for the period 2002-2005 and, subsequently, in accordance with the strategic framework for the period 2006-2007, with an additional heading I, entitled “Organizational, administrative and other matters” (A/61/483, p. 13, and A/62/608).</p> <p>During the sixty-first session no revision was made by the General Assembly.</p>
84.	58/316, annex, para. 4	Provisions related to allocation of agenda items (for details see resolution 58/316, para. 4).	Member States/Secretary-General	One-time action. The provisions of this paragraph have been implemented as from the fifty-ninth session and reflected in the agenda of each session (A/62/608, and resolution 58/316, para. 4).
85.	55/285, annex, paras. 3-9	Provisions related to clustering of agenda items concerning cooperation between	Member States/Secretary-General	One-time action. Provision implemented as requested and reflected in the agenda of each session.

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		the United Nations and regional and other organizations.		
86.	55/285, annex, paras. 10 and 11	Provisions related to biennialization of agenda items (for details see resolution 55/285, paras. 10 and 11).	Member States/Secretary-General	One-time action. The provisions have been implemented as requested.
87.	55/285, annex, para. 12	The following item shall be considered by the Third Committee, starting at the fifty-sixth session: "Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly".	Member States/Secretary-General	One-time action. The provisions have been implemented as requested.
88.	58/126, annex, sect. B, para. 4	With a view to better conceptualization of the content of the agenda of the General Assembly, the Secretary-General is requested to submit to the Assembly, for its consideration by 1 March 2004, an illustrative agenda of the Assembly, based on all the agenda items of the fifty-eighth session, organized around the priorities of the Organization for the period 2002-2005. The General Committee shall hold open-ended		

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		Assembly for its decision by 1 July 2004.		
89.	58/126, annex, sect. B, para. 5	The President of the General Assembly at its fifty-eighth session, in consultation with the Secretary-General, and following consultations with concerned Member States, is requested to make proposals for the further biennialization, triennialization, clustering and elimination of items of the customary agenda of the Assembly for the consideration of the		



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		agenda is made with the understanding that Member States may at any time propose any issue or item for the attention and consideration of the Assembly.		
91.	51/241, annex, para. 23	Bearing in mind rule 81 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, the requirements for reopening debate on an agenda item which the Assembly had decided was completed will continue to be as at present and should be made clear to delegations through a statement from the President of the Assembly. A delegation wishing to reopen debate on an agenda item should send a written request to the President of the Assembly. The President will then undertake soundings to ascertain whether the request enjoys wide support. In the light of these soundings, the President shall announce in the <i>Journal of the United Nations</i> the date of the meeting of the Assembly to consider the question of reopening debate on the item, bearing in mind the	Member States (General Assembly)/ President of the General Assembly	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis. See also: rule 81.

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		requirements of rule 81.		
92.	51/241, annex, para. 25	As a general rule, agenda items that could be considered in the Main Committees shall be referred to the Main Committees rather than the General Assembly in plenary meetings.	General Assembly/ Secretary-General	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis.

**K. Provisions related to practices and working methods of the Main Committees of the General Assembly  
(See also part I)**

93.	<b>67/297, para. 19</b>  <i>Also in:</i>  66/294, para. 19  65/315, para. 15	Requests each Main Committee to further discuss its working methods at the beginning of every session, and in this regard invites the Chairs of the Main Committees to brief the Ad Hoc Working Group at the sixty-eighth session, as appropriate.	Main Committees, Main Committee Chairs	Implemented on an ongoing basis. Briefings were provided to the Ad Hoc Working Group by Main Committee Chairs in the sixty-fifth, sixty-sixth and sixty-seventh sessions.
94.	60/286, annex, para. 25  <i>Also in:</i>  59/313, para. 8	Requests .2661(i)-26.4433(n)500]TJ /R8 9.96 Tf 0.998072 0 0 1 121.08 263.28 Tm [(:)-23.7863(-)-39.715ftR1454		

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		election, meet with the outgoing bureaux in order to consult on and review issues relating to the efficient functioning of the Main Committees.		
103.	58/316, annex, para. 3 (h)  <i>Also in:</i>  51/241, annex, para. 30	Prior to the opening of each session, informal briefings of each Main Committee shall be convened to discuss the organization of work.	Main Committees	Implemented as from the fifty-ninth session.
104.	58/126, annex, sect. B, para. 8	The Main Committees of the General Assembly are bound by the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, although they have different practices and working methods. With a view to identifying best practices and working methods, and recognizing the ongoing efforts of the practices		

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		General Committee shall hold open-ended discussions on the note before making recommendations on the matter to the Assembly for its decision by 1 July 2004.		
105.	51/241, annex, para. 51	There shall be a more detailed and structured examination in the Main Committees of the relevant reports of the Board of Auditors, the Joint Inspection Unit and the Office of Internal Oversight Services in relation to the substantive work of these Committees.	Main Committees	The reports are examined in the Main Committees on an ad hoc basis, if necessary.
106.	51/241, annex, para. 31	The Main Committees shall meet in substantive session only after the end of the general debate.	Main Committees	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis.
107.	51/241, annex, para. 36	The First Committee and the Fourth Committee and C/C	ee	

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115.	58/316,	encouraged, as appropriate, to continue to schedule informal briefings on topical issues.		

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117.	55/285, annex, para. 20	In order to enhance the capacity of the General Committee to assist the President of the General Assembly in the conduct of the business of the Assembly and to improve continuity between its different sessions, at the outset of each session, each Vice-President of the Assembly shall designate a liaison person for the duration of the session. This designation may be made informally, without any amendment to rule 39 of the rules of procedure of the Assembly, by means of a letter to its President.	General Committee	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis.
118.	51/241, annex, para. 34	The General Committee may, each year, prior to the closure of the session, prepare suggestions based on its experience for the consideration of the incoming General Committee.	General Committee	Suggestions have been made on an ongoing basis during informal meetings between the incoming and outgoing General Committees.
119.	51/241, annex, para. 35	The General Committee is requested to consider and recommend	Committee	

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		proposed, consider its rejection or its inclusion in the provisional agenda, taking into account previous recommendations of the General Committee and previous relevant decisions of the Assembly.		

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### Cluster III: selection and appointment of the Secretary-General and other executive heads

<i>No.</i>	<i>Resolution</i>	<i>Text of provision</i>	<i>Implementing entity</i>	<i>Comments</i>
<b>A. General provision related to the selection of the Secretary-General (See part I)</b>				
<b>B. Provisions related to the selection process (See also part I)</b>				
120.	<b>67/297, para. 23</b> <i>Also in:</i> 66/294, para. 25 65/315, para. 20; and 64/301, para. 14	Reaffirms its commitment to continue, in the Ad Hoc Working Group, in accordance with the provisions of Article 97 of the Charter, its consideration of the revitalization of the role of the General Assembly in the selection and appointment of the Secretary-General, and calls for the full implementation of all relevant resolutions, including resolutions 11 (I) of 24 January 1946, 51/241 of 31 July 1997, 60/286 of 8 September 2006, in particular paragraphs 17 to 22 of the annex thereto, and 64/301 of 13 September 2010.	Member States (General Assembly)	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis. The Ad Hoc Working Group has devoted a thematic meeting in each of its recent sessions to this issue.
121.	66/294, para. 26 <i>Also in:</i> 60/286, annex, para. 18; and 51/241, annex, paras. 56 and 59	Emphasizes, bearing in mind the provisions of Article 97 of the Charter, the need for the process of selection of the Secretary-General to be inclusive of all Member States and made more transparent and that, in the course of the identification and appointment of the best candidate for the post of Secretary-General, due regard should be given to regional rotation and gender equality, and invites the Security Council to regularly update the General Assembly on the steps it has taken in this regard.	Member States (General Assembly/ Security Council)	Provision implemented on an ongoing basis.
<b>C. Provisions related to the appointment and duration of the term (See also part I)</b>				
122.	60/286, annex,			

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132. 55/285, annex,  
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