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Contributions to the Technical Cooperation Fund for 2005

1. On 14 September 2004, the Board recommended a target of \$77 500 000 for contributions to the Technical Cooperation Fund (TCF) for 2005.
2. Since the Agency's technical assistance programme depends, for its preparation and execution, on the funds provided by Member States, all Members of the Agency are urged to contribute at the level recommended by the General Conference in paragraph 2 of Resolution GC(V)/RES/100, as amended by Resolution GC(XV)/RES/286, or at least at the rate of attainment level recommended by the Board of Governors in September 2004.
3. The attached table in the annex shows the minimum amount each Member State of the Agency would need to contribute in accordance with the above-mentioned resolutions, namely, the amount that is at least the same percentage of the TCF target as the Member State's base rate of assessment for 2005.
4. Delegates who have not done so are invited to communicate their Governments' pledges as soon as possible to the officer who will be sitting during plenary meetings at a table marked "Contributions" in the Plenary Hall at the Austria Center and who will at other times be in office A-443 on the second floor.
5. It is foreseen that the Conference will consider the matter of contributions pledged to the TCF under item 6 of the provisional agenda. Daily reports on contributions pledged will be issued as the session proceeds for the purpose of keeping the Conference informed of the pledges that Members are making. The total value of the pledges made as at the end of the Conference session will be communicated to the Conference by the President under item 23 of the provisional agenda.

ANNEX

INDIVIDUAL CASH CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE
TECHNICAL COOPERATION FUND FOR THE YEAR 2005
TO MEET A TARGET OF \$77 500 000 [a]

Member State	2005 Base rate % [b]	Amount US\$
Afghanistan	0.002	1 550
Albania	0.005	3 875
Algeria	0.073	56 575
Angola	0.001	775
Argentina	0.922	714 550
Armenia	0.002	1 550
Australia	1.536	1 190 400
Austria	0.829	642 475
Azerbaijan	0.005	3 875
Bangladesh	0.010	7 750
Belarus	0.017	13 175
Belgium	1.031	799 025
Benin	0.002	1 550
Bolivia	0.009	6 975
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.003	2 325
Botswana	0.012	9 300
Brazil	1.469	1 138 475
Bulgaria	0.016	12 400
Burkina Faso	0.002	1 550
Cameroon	0.008	6 200
Canada	2.714	2 103 350
Central African Republic	0.001	775
Chile	0.215	166 625
China	1.981	1 535 275
Colombia	0.149	115 475
Costa Rica	0.029	22 475
Côte d'Ivoire	0.010	7 750
Croatia	0.036	27 900
Cuba	0.041	31 775
Cyprus	0.038	29 450
Czech Republic	0.176	136 400
Democratic Republic of the Congo	0.003	2 325
Denmark	0.693	537 075
Dominican Republic	0.034	26 350
Ecuador	0.018	13 950
Egypt	0.116	89 900
El Salvador	0.021	16 275
Eritrea	0.001	775
Estonia	0.012	9 300
Ethiopia	0.004	3 100
Finland	0.514	398 350
France	5.817	4 508 175
Gabon	0.009	6 975
Georgia	0.003	2 325
Germany	8.357	6 476 675
Ghana	0.004	3 100
Greece	0.511	396 025
Guatemala	0.029	22 475
Haiti	0.003	2 325
Holy See	0.001	775

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Member State	2005 Base rate % [b]	Amount US\$
Honduras	0.005	3 875
Hungary	0.121	93 775
Iceland	0.033	25 575
India	0.406	314 650
Indonesia	0.137	106 175
Iran, Islamic Republic of	0.151	117 025
Iraq	0.015	11 625
Ireland	0.338	261 950
Israel	0.450	348 750
Italy	4.713	3 652 575
Jamaica	0.008	6 200
Japan	18.782	14 556 050
Jordan	0.011	8 525
Kazakhstan	0.024	18 600
Kenya	0.009	6 975
Korea, Republic of	1.733	1 343 075
Kuwait	0.156	120 900
Kyrgyz Rep	0.001	775
Latvia	0.014	10 850
Lebanon	0.023	17 825
Liberia	0.001	775
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.127	98 425
Liechtenstein	0.005	3 875
Lithuania	0.023	17 825
Luxembourg	0.074	57 350
Madagascar	0.003	2 325
Malaysia	0.196	151 900
Mali	0.002	1 550
Malta	0.013	10 075
Marshall Islands	0.001	775
Mauritius	0.011	8 525
Mexico	1.817	1 408 175
Monaco	0.003	2 325
Mongolia	0.001	775
Morocco	0.045	34 875
Myanmar	0.010	7 750
Namibia	0.006	4 650
Netherlands	1.630	1 263 250
New Zealand	0.213	165 075
Nicaragua	0.001	775
Niger	0.001	775
Nigeria	0.040	31 000
Norway	0.655	507 625
Pakistan	0.053	41 075
Panama	0.018	13 950
Paraguay	0.012	9 300
Peru	0.089	68 975
Philippines	0.092	71 300
Poland	0.445	344 875
Portugal	0.453	351 075

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Qatar	0.062	48 050
Republic of Moldova	0.001	775
Romania	0.058	44 950
Russian Federation	1.061	822 275
Saudi Arabia	0.688	533 200
Senegal	0.005	3 875
Serbia and Montenegro	0.018	13 950
Seychelles	0.002	1 550
Sierra Leone	0.001	775
Singapore	0.374	289 850
Slovakia	0.049	37 975
Slovenia	0.079	61 225
South Africa	0.282	218 550
Spain	2.431	1 884 025
Sri Lanka	0.016	12 400
Sudan	0.008	6 200
Sweden	0.963	746 325
Switzerland	1.155	895 125
Syrian Arab Republic	0.037	28 675
Tajikistan	0.001	775
Thailand	0.202	156 550
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	0.006	4 650
Tunisia	0.031	24 025
Turkey	0.359	278 225
Uganda	0.006	4 650
Ukraine	0.038	29 450
United Arab Emirates	0.227	175 925
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	5.911	4 581 025
United Republic of Tanzania	0.006	4 650
United States of America	25.000	19 375 000
Uruguay	0.046	35 650
Uzbekistan	0.013	10 075
Venezuela	0.165	127 875
Vietnam	0.020	15 500
Yemen	0.006	4 650
Zambia	0.002	1 550
Zimbabwe	0.007	5 425
TOTAL	100.000	77 500 000

[a] The amount of the target is subject to approval by the General Conference.

[b] Subject to the approval of the base rates by the General Conference.