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XXI Regular Session of the General Conference  
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## **RESOLUTION CG/Res.520**

### **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONTRIBUTIONS AND ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY MATTERS**

#### **The General Conference,**

**Considering** Article 12 of the Financial Regulations, adopted through Resolution 391 (XVI-99) which grants the Committee on Contributions and Administrative and Budgetary Matters (CCAAP) broad powers to assist the Secretary General for dealing with all administrative and budgetary matters of the Agency;

**Emphasizing** the deliberations and various proposals of the Member States of the Committee on Contributions and Administrative and Budgetary Matters, on analyzing the expenses incurred during the Fiscal Year 2008;

**Recognizing** the efforts by OPANAL Member States in arrears with payments of their contributions to the Agency, despite the serious difficulties affecting them as a result of the international financial crisis;

**Having considered** the Report of the Committee on Contributions and Administrative and Budgetary Matters (Doc. CG/631),

#### **Resolves:**

1. **To approve** the Report presented by the Committee on Contributions and Administrative and Budgetary Matters (Doc. CG/631).

2. **To authorize** the General Secretariat, so that in conjunction with the CCAAP, it may take the necessary measures with representations before OPANAL in order to secure the payment of contributions in arrears.
3. **To recall** the offer made by the Government of Mexico to find a suitable building in which the Agency for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America and the Caribbean (OPANAL) may set up its headquarters, at no cost to said Agency.
4. **To thank** the Government of the Republic of Cuba, as Chairman of the CCAAP, for its enthusiastic and diligent work.
5. **To thank also** the Governments of Belize, Brazil, Guatemala and Nicaragua, Members of the Committee on Contributions and Administrative and Budgetary Matters for their contribution to the work of the CCAAP.
6. **To express** its recognition of the Government of Mexico for the support it provided the Agency by proposing H.E. Madame Perla Carvalho as Deputy Secretary General.

(Adopted at the 111<sup>th</sup> Session  
held on 26 November 2009)