



Resolution on Funding for a Holiday Party in December 2019

The 46th Staff Council,

Noting the austerity measures promulgated by the Secretary-General on 10 October 2019, including the suspension of all social events at UNHQ after official meeting hours;

Noting also that many Departments have cancelled their traditional end-of-year parties due to these limitations;

Concerned by the general low morale of staff at UNHQ;

Acknowledging the arrangements made by the Department of Safety and Security (DSS), the Department of Operational Support (DOS) and the Broadcast and Conference Support Section (BCSS) to enable the Staff Union to hold a party for all staff during regular operating hours on 13 December 2019.

The Staff Council hereby,

Expresses its appreciation to DSS, DOS and BCSS for their cooperation;

Decides to approve, as per Section 4.8.16 of the UNSU Regulations, the creation of an additional budget expenditure line amounting up to \$ 10,000, entitled "Holiday Party 2019" in the Union's budget for 2019-2020;

Decides also that this non-recurrent budget line be fully funded through the Staff Union's reserve funds and be used solely for the purpose of funding a holiday party for all staff on 13 December 2019;

Decides further to make arrangements to donate any leftover food to an appropriate organization.

Instructs the Executive Board to proceed with the preparations for the Holiday Party.

Adopted	YES
For	8
Against	1
Abstention	0