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Report on casual income

This report shows the estimated amount expected to be available in the Casual Income Account as at 31 December 1997. The Director-General reports that an estimated balance of US\$ 11 253 936 should be available for appropriation to help finance the regular budget assessed contributions from Members in 1999 in accordance with resolution WHA50.25.

ESTIMATED CASUAL INCOME AVAILABLE AS AT 31 DECEMBER 1997

- 1. For the information of the Executive Board, the Annex to this report shows the amounts of casual income available at year end during the period 1994 to 1997, and the amounts appropriated or obligated for the regular budget and other purposes. The amount indicated as the balance available at 31 December 1997 is a tentative estimate; the actual balance at that date will be known only after completion of the biennial financial report of the Organization for 1996-1997 in March 1998.
- 2. In accordance with resolution WHA50.25, the Director-General will present a report to the Fifty-first World Health Assembly, indicating the actual amount of net casual income to be applied to the Members' assessed contributions in 1999.
- 3. The amount of US\$ 11 253 936 which is estimated as being available at 31 December 1997 is made up as follows:

	US\$	US\$	US\$
Balance carried forward from 31 December 1995			19 702 262
Add: Estimated casual income received in 1996-1997			
Arrears of contributions 1992-1993 and before 1994-1995 Contributions received from new Members Contributions received from formerly inactive Members Interest on bank accounts Savings on liquidation of prior years' obligations Sale of WHO publications Refunds, rebates and other Sale of capital assets (real estate) Transfer from regular budget of net savings from the effects of currency fluctuations under the programme budget for		6 222 171 - 110 118 66 240 6 425 711 14 300 000 40 000 1 800 000 214 034	52 444 374
1996-1997 (resolution WHA48.32)		23 266 100	52 444 374
Less: Amounts appropriated during 1996-1997			72 146 636
Programmes financed by appropriation from casual income (resolution WHA48.32)	9 890 000 815 000	20 000 000 5 000 000 10 705 000	
Financing of the WHO worldwide management information system (resolution WHA50.24)		6 145 000 12 617 000	54 467 000
Balance			17 679 636
Less: Interest earnings in 1997 to be apportioned among Members in accordance with the incentive scheme for the 2000-2001 regular budget (resolution WHA41.12)			6 425 700
Estimated amount of casual income available as at 31 December 1997			11 253 936

ANNEX

CASUAL INCOME, 1994-1997 (US dollars)

		Apı	Appropriated or utilized for	for	omooni lenseo		
Year	Balance 1 January				received during	Balance at	
		Regular budget	for biennium	Omer purposes-	the year		
(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	(5)	(9)	T
1994	11 417 471	1	1	21 639 898	28 860 759	18 638 332	
1995	18 638 332	10 947 000	1996-1997	29 073 552	41 084 482	19 702 262	
1996	19 702 262	•	1	9 269 000	19 033 757	29 467 019	
1997	29 467 019	12 617 000	1998-1999	9 314 900	10 144 517 ^b	17 657 465b	

Details of funds appropriated or obligated for other purposes as shown below:

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Year	Real Estate Fund	Programmes financed by appropriation from casual income (resolution WHA48.32)	Transfer to Working Capital Fund (resolutions WHA47.20 and WHA48.21)	Reduction of adverse effects of currency fluctuations	Total Column (4) above
1994	1 721 250		12 081 748	*006 9£8 <i>L</i>	21 639 898
1995	7 691 000		7 918 252	13 464 300*	29 073 552
1996	ı	10 000 000	2 000 000	(5 731 000)	9 269 000
1997	10 705 000	16 145 000**	-	(17 535 100)	9 314 900

* Net charge to casual income in respect of exchange rate facility in 1994-1995 was US\$ 21 301 200.

** US\$ 20 000 000 for malaria control activities in Africa (resolution WHA48.32) and US\$ 6 145 000 for WHO worldwide management information (resolution WHA50.24).

^b Estimated.