

ORAL STATEMENT BY THE SECRETARIAT IN CONNECTION WITH DRAFT  
RESOLUTION A/C.3/69/L.25/Rev.1 ENTITLED "Protecting children  
from bullying"

1. The present statement is made in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

2. In operative paragraph 4 of draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.25/Rev.1, the General Assembly would request the Secretary-General, using information provided by Member States and relevant stakeholders, in collaboration with relevant United Nations entities to submit a report to the General Assembly at its 71st session on protecting children from bullying with an emphasis on causes and effects, good practices and guidance to prevent and respond to bullying.

3. It is anticipated that the request contained in operative paragraph 4 for documentation will constitute an addition to the documentation workload of the Department of General Assembly and Conference Management of one document of 8,500 words to be issued in all six languages. This would entail additional requirements in the amount of \$50,900 for documentation services in 2016.

4. Accordingly, should the General Assembly adopt the draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.25/Rev.1, additional requirements of \$50,900 under section 2, General Assembly and Economic and Social Council affairs and conference management would be included in the proposed programme budget for the biennium 2016-2017.