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ARREARS IN CONTRIBUTIONS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2008

Memorandum prepared by the Secretary-General

1. The following table shows the arrears in contributions and in Working Capital Fund participations as of September 30, 2008.

Members of the Union	No Arrears/ Year(s) of Arrears	Amount of Arrears (Swiss francs)	Percentage of Total Arrears
Albania	No arrears		
Argentina	No arrears		
Australia	No arrears		
Austria	No arrears		
Azerbaijan	Working Capital Fund	1,667	
	Contribution 2005	10,728	
	Contribution 2006	10,728	
	Contribution 2007	10,728	
	Contribution 2008	<u>10,728</u>	44,579
			13.67%
Belarus	No arrears		
Belgium	Contribution 2008 (balance)		454
			0.14%
Bolivia	Contribution 2007 (balance)	445	
	Contribution 2008	<u>10,728</u>	11,173
			3.42%
Brazil	No arrears		
Bulgaria	No arrears		
Canada	No arrears		
Chile	No arrears		
China	No arrears		
Colombia	No arrears		
Croatia	No arrears		
Czech Republic	No arrears		
Denmark	No arrears		
Dominican Republic	Working Capital Fund	1,667	
	Contribution 2008	<u>10,728</u>	12,395
			3.80%
Ecuador	No arrears		
Estonia	No arrears		
European Community	No arrears		
Finland	No arrears		
France	Contribution 2008 (balance)		9,638
			2.96%
Germany	No arrears		
Hungary	No arrears		
Iceland	No arrears		
Ireland	Contribution 2008		53,641
			16.45%
Israel	No arrears		
Italy	Contribution 2008		107,282
			32.90%
Japan	No arrears		
Jordan	Contribution 2008		10,728
			3.29%
Kenya	No arrears		
Kyrgyzstan	No arrears		
Latvia	No arrears		
Lithuania	No arrears		
Mexico	Contribution 2008		40,231
			12.33%

Members of the Union	No Arrears/ Year(s) of Arrears	Amount of Arrears (Swiss francs)	Percentage of Total Arrears
Moldova	No arrears		
Morocco	No arrears		
Netherlands	No arrears		
New Zealand	No arrears		
Nicaragua	Contribution 2005 (balance)	3,052	
	Contribution 2006	10,728	
	Contribution 2007	10,728	
	Contribution 2008	<u>10,728</u>	
		35,236	10.80%
Norway	No arrears		
Panama	No arrears		
Paraguay	No arrears		
Poland	No arrears		
Portugal	No arrears		
Republic of Korea	No arrears		
Romania	No arrears		
Russian Federation	No arrears		
Singapore	No arrears		
Slovakia	No arrears		
Slovenia	No arrears		
South Africa	No arrears		
Spain	No arrears		
Sweden	No arrears		
Switzerland	No arrears		
Trinidad and Tobago	No arrears		
Tunisia	No arrears		
Turkey	No arrears		
Ukraine	No arrears		
United Kingdom	No arrears		
United States of America	No arrears		
Uruguay	No arrears		
Uzbekistan	No arrears		
Viet Nam	Contribution 2008 (balance)	775	0.24%
TOTAL		326,132	100.00%

2. Any payment that is received between September 30 and October 30, 2008, will be reported to the Council when it examines the present document.

3. The list of members with loss of voting rights as of October 30, 2008, will be communicated on request.

4. *The UPOV Council is invited to note the status of payment of contributions and the Working Capital Fund participations as of September 30, 2008.*

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