



FOR INFORMATION

FOURTH ITEM ON THE AGENDA

Other questions

**Use of the earmarked resources
to meet the cost of urgent repairs**

1. At its 303rd Session (November 2008), the Subcommittee endorsed the proposal, subsequently approved by the Governing Body,¹ to earmark the sum of 500,000 Swiss francs (CHF) from the Building and Accommodation Fund for the purpose of urgent repairs and maintenance of buildings owned by the ILO, and to authorize the Director-General to use those funds where needed and to report to the Building Subcommittee thereon.²
2. To date, the amount of CHF220,000 has been charged to the Building and Accommodation Fund for the removal of asbestos. During the repair of the print-shop floor and the installation of the elevator for disabled persons, traces of asbestos particles were discovered and it was necessary to take urgent measures to safeguard the working environment.

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¹ GB.303/PV, para. 241.

² GB.303/PFA/4.