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<u>Decision concerning the fifteenth instalment of "E2" claims taken by the Governing Council</u> of the United Nations Compensation Commission at its 133rd meeting, on 18 December 2003

The Governing Council,

<u>Having received</u>, in accordance with article 38 of the Provisional Rules for Claims Procedure ("the Rules"), the report and recommendations made by the panel of Commissioners concerning the fifteenth instalment of "E2" claims, covering 258 claims, ¹

- 1. <u>Approves</u> the recommendations made by the panel of Commissioners, and, accordingly,
- 2. <u>Decides</u>, pursuant to article 40 of the Rules, to approve the amounts of the recommended awards concerning the claims covered in the report. The aggregate amounts awarded per country, based on the recommendations contained in annex II of the report, are as follows:

Country or submitting entity	Number of claims recommended for payment	Number of claims not recommended for payment	Amount of compensation claimed (USD)	Amount of compensation recommended (USD)
Austria	-	3	10,047,305	nil
Bahamas	1	-	188,775	86,145

 $^{^{1}\,}$ The text of the report appears in document S/AC.26/2003/29.

Country or submitting entity	Number of claims recommended for payment	Number of claims not recommended for payment	Amount of compensation claimed (USD)	Amount of compensation recommended (USD)
Canada	1	2	4,364,536	866,862
Cyprus	-	1	34,799	nil
Egypt	3	54	82,298,002	31,301
France	-	1	21,039	nil
Germany	14	7	18,844,381	799,756
Greece	-	76	17,236,209	nil
India	1	2	2,154,439	2,497
Iran	-	1	9,621,484	nil
Israel	13	1	3,974,606	2,172,999
Italy	-	3	580,659	nil
Netherlands	1	3	239,777	15,385
Pakistan	1	-	1,031,250	252,950
Republic of Korea	3	2	235,302,294	27,798,480
Saudi Arabia	4	3	22,070,556	723,654
Spain	1	3	3,536,424	1,398
Sweden	1	1	1,468,612	663,042
Switzerland	2	-	218,578	83,059
Syrian Arab Republic	-	1	179,020	nil
Turkey	2	-	19,015	16,390
United Arab Emirates	-	1	1,334,093	nil
United Kingdom	16	6	4,464,687	774,660
United States	10	4	78,333,603	14,353,931
Wong and Sons Trading Co. (claim No. 4002391) ^a	1	-	9,428,595	1,755,364
<u>Total</u>	75	175	506,992,738	50,397,873

3. <u>Notes</u> that, as referred to in paragraph 3 of the report, seven claims were withdrawn by claimants in the course of the Panel's review of this instalment, and that one claim was transferred to a different panel of Commissioners,

 $^{^{\}rm a}$ Claim submitted directly to the Commission by the claimant pursuant to article 5(3) of the Rules.

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4. <u>Reaffirms</u> that when funds become available payments shall be made in accordance with decision 197 (S/AC.26/Dec.197 (2003)),

- 5. Recalls that when payments are made in accordance with decision 197, and pursuant to the terms of decision 18 (S/AC.26/Dec.18 (1994)), Governments shall distribute amounts received to the designated claimants in respect of approved awards within six months of receiving payment, and shall, not later than three months after the expiration of this time limit, provide information on such distribution,
- 6. <u>Requests</u> the Executive Secretary to provide a copy of the report to the Secretary-General, to the Government of the Republic of Iraq and to each respective Government.
