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1. The General Assembly shall receive and consider annual and special reports from the Security Council; these reports shall include an account of the measures that the Security Council has decided upon or taken to maintain international peace and security.

2. The General Assembly shall receive and consider reports from the other organs of the United Nations.

NOTE

No constitutional issue was involved as the result of the application and interpretation of this Article during the period under review. There was no significant change in practice. At its eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth sessions, the General Assembly disposed of the reports according to the standard procedure established during previous sessions. A table showing the reports of the principal organs to the General Assembly, with the relevant agenda items, is given in the annex to the present study.

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Reports of principal organs to the General Assembly
with the relevant agenda items

<u>Reports of the Security Council to the General Assembly, covering period:</u>		<u>Agenda item</u>
16 July 1955 to 15 July 1956	G A (XI), Suppl. No. 2 (A/3157)	11
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 <u>Reports of the Economic and Social Council, covering period:</u>		
6 August 1955 to 9 August 1956	G A (XI), Suppl. No. 3 (A/3154)	12
10 August 1956 to 2 August 1957	G A (XII), Suppl. No. 3 (A/3613)	12
3 August 1957 to 31 July 1958	G A (XIII), Suppl. No. 3 (A/3848)	12
 <u>Reports of the Trusteeship Council, covering:</u>		
Period from 23 July 1955 to 14 August 1956	G A (XI), Suppl. No. 4 (A/3170)	13
Period from 15 August 1956 to 12 July 1957	G A (XII), Suppl. No. 4 (A/3595 and Corr.1)	13
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 <u>Reports of the Secretary-General on the Work of the Organization</u>		
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<u>Introduction</u>	G A (XI), Suppl. No. 1A (A/3137/Add.1)	
16 June 1956 - 15 June 1957	G A (XII), Suppl. No. 1 (A/3594)	10
<u>Introduction</u>	G A (XII), Suppl. No. 1A (A/3594/Add.1)	
16 June 1957 - 15 June 1958	G A (XIII), Suppl. No. 1 (A/3844)	10
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a/ Twenty-first session: from 30 January to 26 March 1958; twenty-second session: from 9 June to 1 August 1958.