

## Annex II

## Financial Results: Income and expenditure

The UN Board of Auditors issued its sixth unqualified audit opinion on the financial statements of UN-Women for the year ended 31 December 2016, noting a better liquidity position ensuring that UN-Women can meet its short-term obligations with its most liquid assets.

UN-Women prepared the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017 in accordance with the International Public Sector Accounting Standards. The figures provided in this section are unaudited and are subject to change, they will be confirmed on 31 May 2018 upon completion of the audit by the Board of Auditors. There was a surplus for the year of \$39.6 million (see table 1).

The original revenue targets for 2017, included within the approved integrated budget for 2016-2017, were \$200 million for regular resources and \$270 million for other resources. Final revenue from voluntary contributions for regular resources was \$146.4 million for 2017 (2016 \$141.6 million) and other resources was \$214.2 million (2016 \$178.1 million), resulting in a total of \$109.4 million lower resources being received than budgeted. UN-Women found that 2017 was a better resource mobilizing environment marked by increases in contributions by two thirds of our traditional top 20 donors as well as a fifty percent increase in Other Donor (non-government donors).

Table 1

Revenue and expenses as at 31 December 2017

(Thousands of United States dollars)

		2017				
	Regular resources	Other resources	Assessed resources	Elimination	Total	2016
Revenue						
Contributions	146 409	214 241	8 314	-	368 964	327 353
Investment income	2 404	4 251	-	-	6 655	3 432
Other revenue	1 067	13 952	978	(13 686)	2 311	3 636
Exchange transactions revenue	-	587	-	-	587	148
Total revenue	149 880	233 031	9 292	(13 686)	378 517	334 569
Total expenses	141 377	202 434	8 757	(13 686)	338 882	340 041
Surplus/(deficit) for the period	8 503	30 597	535	-	39 635	(5 472)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> The elimination column represents indirect costs charged by UN-Women on programme funds received from donors in relation to the management of other resources. The indirect costs charged have been recognized during the year as an increase in support-cost income. At year end, that income is eliminated to show the actual revenue recognized.



## Basis of the budget

Approved final assessed contributions (regular budget) total \$15.9 million for the biennium 2016-2017. Voluntary contributions (regular and other resources) of \$880 million for the biennium 2016-2017 (\$410 million in 2016 and \$470 million in 2017) were included within the Integrated Budget. Regular resources cover the institutional budget and core programme expenditures, with funds being allocated based on a set methodology.

The reported financial results (actual) are adjusted to allow comparison between the original approved institutional budget and assessed contributions as presented on a modified cash basis and the actual use of resources on an accrual basis (see table 2). The main changes between the IPSAS financial results and the results on a budget basis relate to difference in the treatment of the cost of assets, staff related accrued benefits and the treatment of cash advances to partners and staff members.

Table 2

Comparison of budget and actual use of resources as at 31 December 2017

(Thousands of United States dollars)

	Original budget	Final budget	Actual amounts on comparable basis (restated)	Difference between final budget and actual amounts
Regular budget activities	7 641	8 245	8 755	(510)
Development activities:				
Programme	347 406	272 133	266 995	5 138
Institutional budget:				
Development effectiveness	27 657	21 385	17 538	3 847
United Nations coordination	14 019	14 373	12 011	2 362
Management activities:	54 798	51 318	46 105	5 213
Evaluation	3 277	3 151	4 177	(1 026)
Total	454 798	370 605	355 338	15 267

 ${\bf Table~3} \\ {\bf Statement~of~comparison~of~budget~and~actual~use~of~resources~for~the~Strategic~Plan~4-year~period}$ 

(Thousands of United States dollars)

	2014 - 2017			
	Original budget	Final budget	Actual amounts on comparable basis	Difference between final budget and actual amounts
Regular budget activities	30 594	31 229	32 859	(1 630)
Development activities: Programme	1 199 246	1 032 509	954 940	77 569



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	2014 - 2017				
	Original budget	Final budget	Actual amounts on comparable basis	Difference between final budget and actual amounts	
Development Effectiveness	105 223	99 574	83 477	16 097	
United Nations development coordination	54 951	55 015	47 042	7 973	
Management activities	204 738	201 971	175 870	26 101	
Change Management	2 000	2 826	1 361	1 465	
Evaluation	6 452	6 520	6 510	10	
Total	1 603 204	1 429 644	1 302 059	127 585	