

**2 March 2016**

**Dear Members of FAFICS,**

**Some of you may have been hearing about delays in payments of pensions to new retirees and the backlog in the Pension Fund. In this connection, I would like to provide you with some recent developments on this matter which you may wish to share with your constituents.**

**Please see attached a letter from the Presidents of three staff unions, a reply to them from the Chairman of the Pension Board and a notice and information sheet posted today, March 1st, on the UN intranet from the UN Department of Management.**

**I will continue to update you as further information becomes available.**

**Sincerely,  
Linda Saputelli  
President  
FAFICS**