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Seventh session

SUMMARY RECORD (PARTIAL\*) OF THE 176th MEETING

held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva, on Friday, 17 August 1979, at 10 a.m.

Chairman:

Mr. MAVROMMATIS

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<sup>\*</sup> No summary record was prepared for the rest of the meeting

## The meeting was called to order at 10.20 a.m.

## ORGANIZATIONAL AND OTHER MATTERS (agenda item 2) (continued)

1. The CHAIRMAN said that, following consultations with the members of the Committee, he wished to suggest a tentative schedule for the Committee's ninth session. During the first week, the first three days would be devoted to the discussion of general or other matters, including relations with the specialized agencies, and the last two days would be spent on the reports of Poland and Sweden. During the second week, the first three days would be taken up with those reports and the replies by the States parties to the questions put by the Committee, and the last two days would be spent on communications.

## 2. It was so decided.

- 3. Sir Vincent EVANS suggested that the Committee should take up the report submitted by the Government of Poland during the first week and the report submitted by the Government of Sweden at the beginning of the second week. For its consideration of the report by Sweden, the Committee would need the initial report submitted by the Government of Sweden and the summary records and corrigendum covering the discussion of that report. It would be most helpful if the Secretariat could ensure that the members of the Committee received copies of all those documents.
- 4. Mr. BOUZIRI felt that the Secretariat should also try to obtain the texts of the Constitutions of Poland and Sweden and distribute them to the members of the Committee.
- 5. Mr. TARNOPOLSKY said that, in view of the shortness of the time between the current session and the next session, he hoped the Secretariat would proceed with the preparation of the provisional agenda for the next session as early as possible.
- 6. The CHAIRMAN said that the Secretariat would take the necessary action to comply with requests made by Sir Vincent Evans. Mr. Bouziri and Mr. Tarnopolsky.

The first part of the discussion covered in the summary record ended at 10.30 a.m.

The second part of the discussion covered in the summary record began at 1.15 p.m.

CLOSURE OF THE SESSION

7. After an exchange of courtesies, the CHAIRMAN declared the session closed.

The meeting rose at 1.20 p.m.