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### QUESTION OF THE DISPOSAL OF THE FORMER ITALIAN COLONIES

Poland: Amendments to the draft resolution  
proposed by the First Committee (A/10C9)

#### With respect to Libya:

1. Page 22 - Section A: Replace, in paragraph 2 of the recommendations, the words "1 January 1952" by the following:  
"1 January 1951".
2. Page 22 - Section A: Replace, in sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph 6, "France, United Kingdom and the United States of America" by the following: "Czechoslovakia, Haiti and Liberia."

#### With respect to Somaliland:

3. Page 23 - Section B: Replace paragraph 2 by the following:  
"2. That its independence shall become effective at the end of three years from the date of the approval of the Trusteeship Agreement by the General Assembly."
4. Page 23 - Section B: Replace paragraph 3 by the following:  
"3. That, during the period mentioned in paragraph 2, Somaliland shall be placed under the trusteeship of the United Nations."
5. Page 23 - Section B: Replace paragraph 4 by the following:  
"4. That the Trusteeship Council will prepare the conditions and terms of the United Nations trusteeship over Somaliland for submission to the General Assembly, if possible during the present session and in any case not later than the fifth regular session."

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6. Pages 24 and 25: - Replace section C by the following:

"With respect to Eritrea, recommends:

- "1. That Eritrea shall be an independent sovereign State;
- "2. That this independence shall become effective at the end of three years from the date of the approval of the Trusteeship Agreement by the General Assembly;
- "3. That, during the period mentioned in paragraph 2, Eritrea shall be placed under the trusteeship of the United Nations;
- "4. That the Trusteeship Council will prepare the terms and conditions of the United Nations trusteeship over Eritrea for submission to the General Assembly if possible during the present session and in any case not later than the fifth regular session;
- "5. That the Trusteeship Agreement shall include an Annex containing a declaration of constitutional principles guaranteeing the rights of the inhabitants of Eritrea, providing for institutions designed to ensure the inauguration, development and subsequent establishment of full self-government;
- "6. That in the drafting of this declaration, the text proposed by the Indian delegation will be taken into account;
- "7. That Ethiopia shall be ceded a portion of the territory of Eritrea necessary to provide her with an outlet to the sea through the port of Assab."

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