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GENERAL ASSEMBLYDenmark, Norway and Sweden: Additional suggestions
regarding the Scandinavian proposal on General
Assembly methods and procedures.

Add under the relevant headings of section B of document A/825 the following:

1. Reduction of the amount of work to be completed by the General Assembly at a given session.

(c) Consideration of the question whether international conventions already adopted at an international conference should be discussed again by the General Assembly or other organs of the United Nations.

2. Increase in the speed at which the Assembly deals with matters before it.

(f) The possibility of introducing into the rules of procedure of the General Assembly certain revised rules of procedure of the Economic and Social Council (E/1293/Add.1) in particular chapters X and XI, including the new provision in rule 63, that when parts of a proposal at the request of a representative have been voted on separately, only those parts which have been approved shall be put to the vote as a whole, and that the proposal shall be considered to have been rejected as a whole, if all operative parts thereof have been rejected.

(g) The question of creating a committee to meet a short time in advance of a new session to prepare its work (agenda, allocation of items to committees, nominations etc.).

(h) Methods to promote the selection of experienced chairmen of committees in order to secure efficient and speedy conduct of business in committees.

(i) Submission by delegations and distribution in advance of session of lists of representatives and alternate representatives who will attend session.

(j) In order to avoid debate in Main Committees of questions of drafting, the chairman might to a greater extent than hitherto refer such questions to the rapporteur in collaboration with the Secretariat and representatives who have proposed amendments.