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CONVENTION ON JURISDICTIONAL IMMUNITIES OF STATES AND
THEIR PROPERTY

Draft resolution proposed by the Chairman

The General Assembly,

Having received from the International Law Commission the set of articles on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property 1/ adopted by the Commission at its forty-third session,

Recalling that the International Law Commission recommended that an international conference of plenipotentiaries be convened to examine the articles and to conclude a convention on the subject, 2/

Having considered the articles at its forty-sixth to forty-ninth sessions, including in a working group and in consultations aimed at considering the issues of substance arising out of the draft articles, with the purpose of identifying and attenuating the differences of views concerning such issues in order to facilitate the conclusion of a convention through general agreement,

Having considered the reports of the Working Group established at its forty-seventh session 3/ and forty-eighth session 4/ and of the consultations held at its forty-ninth session, 5/

1/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-sixth Session, Supplement No. 10 (A/46/10), chap. II, sect. D.

2/ Ibid., sect. B, para. 25.

3/ A/C.6/47/L.10.

4/ A/C.6/48/L.4 and Corr.2.

5/ A/C.6/49/L.2.

1. Accepts the recommendation of the International Law Commission that an international conference of plenipotentiaries be convened to consider the articles on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property and to conclude a convention on the subject;

2. Invites States to submit to the Secretary-General their comments on the conclusions of the Chairman of the informal consultations held pursuant to General Assembly decision 48/413 of 9 December 1993, as well as on the reports of the Working Group established under General Assembly resolution 46/55 of 9 December 1991 and decision 47/414 of 25 November 1992;

3. Decides to resume consideration at its fifty-second session of the issues of substance, in the light of the reports mentioned above and the comments submitted by States thereon, and to decide, at its fifty-second or fifty-third session, on arrangements for the conference, including the date and place, due consideration being given to ensuring the widest possible agreement at the conference;

4. Also decides to include in the provisional agenda of its fifty-second session the item entitled "Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property".
