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SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES AND DISPLACED PERSONS

SUB-COMMITTEE ON ORGANIZATION AND FINANCE

PROPOSAL SUBMITTED BY THE CANADIAN DELEGATION

DRAFT RESOLUTION ON SUITABLE PROCEDURE

The Sub-Committee recommends the following resolution:-

THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REFUGEES AND DISPLACED PERSONS having concluded that the establishment at the earliest possible date of a new international organization is the best method of dealing with the urgent problem of refugees and displaced persons, RESOLVES

I

to draw the attention of the Economic and Social Council to the importance of establishing as soon as possible an international organization to be known as the International Refugee Organization;

II

to recommend that the Economic and Social Council should complete a constitution for the International Refugee Organization based on the draft Articles included in the Report of the Special Committee, and that the completed draft constitution should be included in the Report made by the Economic and Social Council, at its second session, which is to be communicated by the Secretary-General to Members of the United Nations;

III

and further to recommend that the Economic and Social Council, when transmitting at its third session the Council's Report to the

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General Assembly together with the comments of the Members of the United Nations, and its observations and recommendations, should recommend that the General Assembly shall give urgent consideration to the draft constitution for the International Refugee Organization, and that as early as possible in its Session it should direct the Secretary-General to circulate the constitution in a form suitable for immediate signature and acceptance, so that the International Refugee Organization can be established not later than the 1 January 1947.
