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PROGRAMMES OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE: REPORT OF THE ECONOMIC
AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance

Greece: amendment to the joint draft resolution submitted by
Afghanistan, Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Ceylon, France, Ghana,
Haiti, Liberia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Pakistan, Philippines,
Tunisia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland,
United States of America, Yugoslavia (A/C.2/L.413)

Add to the draft resolution the following text, which might form part B
of that resolution:

"The General Assembly,

Noting that the technical assistance programmes of the United Nations
after ten years of operation have become, thanks to the constantly
increasing number of countries actively participating in their execution,
programmes of international technical co-operation;

1. Considers that in the present circumstances the term "technical
co-operation" would more accurately describe the nature of the assistance
provided by the United Nations and the specialized agencies under the
technical assistance programmes;

2. Expresses the wish that the term "technical assistance" may be
replaced by the term "technical co-operation" to designate both the regular
programmes and the Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance and requests
the Economic and Social Council to consider the possibility of such a change
and to report thereon to the General Assembly at its fifteenth session."
