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### Social and human rights questions: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

#### Guatemala: draft decision

#### Enlargement of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

The Economic and Social Council, recalling General Assembly resolution [1166 \(XII\)](#) of 26 November 1957, in which the Assembly requested the Council to establish the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, as well as subsequent Assembly resolutions by which the membership of the Executive Committee was increased:

(a) Takes note of the request to enlarge the membership of the Executive Committee contained in the note verbale dated 28 December 2022 from the Permanent Mission of Guatemala to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General;<sup>1</sup>

(b) Recommends that the General Assembly, by its seventy-eighth session, decide on the question of enlarging the membership of the Executive Committee from 108 to 109 States.

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<sup>1</sup> [E/2023/52](#).

