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Note by the Secretary-General

Corrigendum

The following should be substituted for Part IV in document E/2158

IV

Groupings of items and fixing of dates for groups at the  
fourteenth session

The Secretary-General proposes the following grouping of items and fixing of dates for the fourteenth session. It will be realized that the question of fixing dates depends in a considerable degree not only upon the length of time taken by the discussion of various items, but also on the extent to which items are discussed in Committee, since the Council decided to include both economic and social subjects in the agenda of the fourteenth session and to proceed with both concurrently. For the purposes of the dates suggested below it is assumed that the items marked \*, or a roughly equivalent amount of business, will receive detailed consideration in committee - that is either commencing in committee, or being referred to committee after a preliminary general or procedural discussion in the plenary Council. The items are arranged in two columns to show how they might be considered concurrently.

I

2 April - 27, 28

7 April - Major Group A

10\*, 14\*; 11\*, 12\*, 13\*;

3 (15 April), <sup>1/</sup> 4, 5, 6; 15, 16; 8, 7

II

2 April - 24\*, 25\*

10 April - Major Group B

17; 19, 21\*, 22\*; 26; 23\*, 18

1/ Good Friday falls on 11 April 1952.

I

2 April -

- 27. United Nations programme of technical assistance
- 28. Expanded programme of technical assistance

7 April - Major Group A

- 10\* Procedures for convening study groups and commodity conferences
- 14\* Insecticides for public health purposes
- 11\* Conservation and utilization of non-agricultural resources
- 12\* International co-operation on water control and utilization
- 13\* Development of arid land
- 3. (13 April)<sup>1/</sup> World economic situation
- 4. Economic Commission for Europe
- 5. Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East
- 6. Economic Commission for Latin America
- 15. Report of Fund
- 16. Report of Bank
- 8. Economic development of under-developed countries
- 7. Report of experts on economic recessions

II

2 April -

- 24\* International limitation of opium production
- 25\* Permanent Central Opium Board

10 April - Major Group B

- 17. Migration
- 19. Allegations regarding infringement of trade union rights
- 21\* Problem of statelessness
- 22\* Flight of survivors
- 26. Report of International Refugee Organization
- 23\* Reports of International Children's Emergency Fund
- 18. Development and concentration of the efforts in the social field of the United Nations and specialized agencies

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<sup>1/</sup> Good Friday falls on 11 April 1952.

The remaining items, as follows, could be taken as the course of business allowed:

1. Election of the President and Vice-Presidents for 1952
2. Adoption of the sessional agenda
29. Implementation of recommendations on economic and social matters
30. Non-governmental organizations
31. Amendment to the rules of procedure of the Council and the functional commissions
32. Provisional sessional agenda for the second regular session of the Council in 1952
33. Summary of financial implications of actions of the Council
34. Confirmation of members of functional commissions of the Council
35. Election of members of the Council Committee on Non-governmental Organizations for 1952

Among them, special attention is called to item 29 ("Implementation of recommendations on economic and social matters"). It is recommended that the documents to be made available on this question should be examined by the Council's Co-ordination Committee, which might sit at different times during the session as requirements indicated.

In view of the report of the Council Committee on Non-governmental Organizations (E/2160) and the terms of rule 10 of the rules of procedure items 9 ("Proposed establishment of an ad hoc Committee to study international commodity problems") and 20 ("Forcible removal of political opponents by agents of foreign powers") have been omitted from this table.

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