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SIXTH COMMITTEE

DRAFT RECOMMENDATION OF THE SIXTH COMMITTEE
TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON THE CO-ORDINATION
OF THE PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES OF THE
UNITED NATIONS AND THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES
PROPOSED BY THE SUB-COMMITTEE ON PRIVILEGES
AND IMMUNITIES

The Sixth Committee has marked its agreement with the recommendations of the Preparatory Commission of the United Nations concerning the desirability of a unification as far as possible of the privileges and immunities enjoyed by the United Nations and the various specialized agencies, and recommends that the General Assembly should adopt the following resolution:

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONSIDERS that there are many advantages in the unification as far as possible of the privileges and immunities enjoyed by the United Nations and the various specialized agencies.

While recognizing that not all specialized agencies require all the privileges and immunities which may be needed by others, and that certain of these may, by reason of their particular functions, require privileges of a special nature which are not required by the United Nations itself, the Assembly considers that the privileges and immunities of the United Nations should be regarded as a maximum within which the various specialized agencies should enjoy such privileges and immunities as the appropriate fulfilment of their respective functions may require and that no privileges and immunities which are not really necessary should be asked for.

THEREFORE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL to open negotiations with a view to the re-consideration of the provisions under which the specialized agencies at present enjoy privileges and immunities in the light of the General Convention adopted by the United Nations and the above considerations.

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