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RULES GOVERNING THE ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBERS
TO THE UNITED NATIONS

Letter from the President of the Security Council
to the President of the General Assembly

30 November 1946

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that at its eighty-first meeting held on 29 November 1946, the Security Council considered the following resolution adopted by the General Assembly on 19 November 1946:

"THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY REQUESTS the Security Council to appoint a Committee to confer with a committee on procedures of the General Assembly with a view to preparing rules governing the admission of new Members which will be acceptable both to the General Assembly and to the Security Council."

In compliance with the General Assembly's request, the Security Council instructed its Committee of Experts to appoint a sub-committee from their number to meet with a committee on procedures of the General Assembly in order to obtain the proposals of the Committee of the General Assembly concerning rules governing the admission of new Members of the United Nations. The Committee of Experts was further instructed to report those proposals to the Security Council for instructions.

His Excellency
Mr. P. H. Spaak
President of the General Assembly
Room 3011, 630 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York

I shall inform you of the composition of the sub-committee in due course.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

HERSCHEL V. JOHNSON
President of the Security Council
