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PATTERN OF CONFERENCES

Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. The Fifth Committee, at its 1409th meeting, held on 5 December 1970, considered the reports of the Secretary-General (A/8138 and Add.1) and the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/8172) on the pattern of conferences. In response to a question, the Committee was informed that item 94 of annex I, part I, of the Secretary-General's report (A/8138/Add.1) should be deleted, as the working group mentioned would not meet.
2. A draft resolution, submitted by Canada, Czechoslovakia, Japan and New Zealand (A/C.5/L.1054) was adopted without objection by the Fifth Committee (see paragraph 3 below).

RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

3. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft resolution:

Pattern of conferences

The General Assembly

1. Takes note of the Secretary-General's report^{1/} and the observations thereon by the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;^{2/}

^{1/} A/8138 and Add.1.

^{2/} A/8172.

2. Requests the Secretary-General to present the study called for under the terms of paragraph 6 of its resolution 2609 (XXIV) of 16 December 1969 to the General Assembly at the twenty-sixth session;

3. Decides to continue in force for 1971 the provisions of paragraph 9 of resolution 2609 (XXIV) relating to the pattern of conferences;

4. Approves the calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations for 1971, as submitted by the Secretary-General in his report;^{3/}

5. Requests the Joint Inspection Unit to submit its report, called for by paragraph 15 of resolution 2609 (XXIV), through the appropriate channels, to the General Assembly at its twenty-sixth session.

^{3/} A/8138/Add.1, annex I.