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INFORMATION ON HUMAN RIGHTS IN NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES

Resolution adopted by the General Assembly at its 320th  
plenary meeting on 13 December 1950

(adopted on the report of the Fourth Committee (A/1638))

The General Assembly,

Recalling the recommendation contained in resolution 327 (IV) adopted by the General Assembly on 2 December 1949,

Noting the provision contained in article 2 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights that no distinction shall be made on the basis of the political, jurisdictional or international status of the country or territory to which a person belongs, whether it be independent, trust, non-self-governing or under any other limitation of sovereignty,

Having regard to the mission which has been given by the General Assembly to the Commission on Human Rights with a view to the drafting of an International Covenant on Human Rights which will also be applicable to Non-Self-Governing Territories,

1. Invites the Members responsible for the administration of Non-Self-Governing Territories to include, in the information to be transmitted to the Secretary-General in 1951 under Article 73 e of the Charter, a summary of the extent to which the Universal Declaration of Human Rights is implemented in the Non-Self-Governing Territories under their administration;
2. Requests the Special Committee on Information transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter to include in its report to the General Assembly at its sixth session such recommendations as it may deem desirable relating to the application in Non-Self-Governing Territories of the principles contained in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.