



Fifth session
Agenda item 13

ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL

Resolution adopted by the General Assembly at its
316th plenary meeting on 2 December 1950

(adopted on the report of the Fourth Committee (A/1546))

The General Assembly,

Considering that, under Article 85, paragraph 2, of the Charter, the Trusteeship Council, operating under the authority of the General Assembly, shall assist the General Assembly in carrying out its functions with regard to the International Trusteeship System,

Considering that, under Article 15, paragraph 2, of the Charter, the General Assembly shall receive and consider the reports of the Trusteeship Council,

Considering further that the present arrangement of the subject-matter of the report of the Trusteeship Council to the General Assembly, which conforms strictly to the various functions of the Council, might be improved so as to enable the General Assembly to form a clearer understanding of conditions in the Trust Territories,

1. Recommends that the Trusteeship Council, accordingly, in its future reports to the General Assembly:

(a) Present in separate sections all the relevant data examined by the Trusteeship Council concerning the political, economic, social and educational conditions in each Trust Territory, so that each section may provide the General Assembly with a comprehensive account of such conditions in each of the above-mentioned fields;

(b) Include in each such section the observations, conclusions and recommendations of the Council on the topic under review, as well as such relevant observations of its individual members as the Council may consider useful;

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(c) Give in each case in the appropriate section an account of the manner in which the Administering Authority has carried out each recommendation of the General Assembly or of the Trusteeship Council;

(d) State also in the same section its conclusions on the extent of the action taken by the Administering Authority and on the measures which, in its opinion, should be adopted in view of those conclusions;

(e) Include, wherever practicable, maps of the various Trust Territories;

2. Recommends also that the Trusteeship Council, in preparing its future annual reports, take into consideration documents A/C.4/L.93 and A/C.4/L.94, the texts of which will be of assistance in making clear the structure of the annual report of the Trusteeship Council which the General Assembly hopes will be adopted.
