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The General Assembly,

Considering that the tasks hitherto entrusted to the Economic and Social Council, the Secretary-General and the specialized agencies in connexion with the economic development of under-developed countries have been concentrated especially on the study of problems connected with technical assistance and with the financing of economic development,

Considering that experience has shown that many aspects of international economic and commercial policy exercise a powerful influence on the economic development of under-developed countries,

Recommends that, in the Economic and Social Council's forthcoming work and studies on economic development, further attention should be paid to such questions of international economic and commercial policy as may influence the process of development of the economies of under-developed countries, with a view to making recommendations to the General Assembly.