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DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME IN RELATION TO
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

54 (V) Resolution adopted on 25 April 1953

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THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR LATIN AMERICA,

CONSIDERING THAT:

(a) the resolution concerning Programmes of Economic Development, approved at the Fourth Session of the Economic Commission for Latin America, in paragraph 1 (d) sets forth the need "to determine the probable effects of the programme on national income and its distribution among the various branches of production, of goods and services, with a view to calculating its effects on real per capital income";

(b) in the under-developed countries there are large masses of the population living under precarious economic conditions;

(c) any economic development programme should have no other object than to raise the standard of living of these countries as rapidly as possible;

RECOMMENDS THAT:

(1) the Latin-American Governments, in formulating and implementing their economic development programmes, take into

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consideration the measures which are required to achieve the above objective so that any increase in real income will benefit the entire population equitably;

(2) the Secretariat, in carrying out its studies, bear the above objective in mind.