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CONSIDERATION OF THE DRAFT PROTOCOL FOR REGULATING THE PRODUCTION OF,
INTERNATIONAL AND WHOLESALE TRADE IN, AND USE OF OPIUM
(E/2186, ANNEX)

FINAL ACT

Revised first paragraph of the Final Act

1. The Conference,

Considering the importance of bringing into force with the least possible delay the Protocol for Limiting and Regulating the Cultivation of the Poppy Plant, the Production of, International and Wholesale Trade in, and Use of Opium signed this day and of its adoption and implementation by the largest possible number of States,

Requests the Economic and Social Council and the Secretary-General of the United Nations to use their best endeavours to secure:

- (a) The ratification or accession as soon as possible to the Protocol of any Member of the United Nations and of any non-member State invited, in accordance with the instructions of the Council, to participate in the Conference which drew up this Protocol, and of any other State to which the Secretary-General at the request of the Council has sent a copy of this Protocol; and
- (b) The implementation so far as may be practicable of the provisions of the Protocol by States which have not become Parties.
