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The Polish Delegation wishes to submit the two following draft resolutions which should be put on the agenda and, if adopted, included in the list of all other resolutions.

RESOLVED -

1. This Conference does not establish any principles concerning passports and visa regulations, for the countries now under Allied occupation, and considers advisable to call for this purpose a special conference in which the occupying and the neighbouring countries would participate with other countries present, if they so desire. This conference should be held prior to the World Conference of Experts.

This Conference considers, however, that nationals of enemy countries should not, until further notice, enjoy the same rights and privileges, as the nationals of other countries.

2. The authorities issuing passports or equivalent documents necessary for foreign travel must always be the state authorities of the person requesting a passport or these documents. Stateless persons are an exception to this rule, and documents are issued for them by the authorities of the country of their domicile.

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