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Addendum

IV. Preparations for the Third United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (UNISPACE III) by the Advisory Committee for UNISPACE III

1. The Advisory Committee noted that the General Assembly, in its resolution 52/56, paragraph 23, had agreed that the Third United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (UNISPACE III) should be convened at the United Nations Office at Vienna from 19 to 30 July 1999 as a special session of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, open to all States Members of the United Nations.
2. The Advisory Committee also noted that the General Assembly, in its resolution 53/45, paragraph 22, had endorsed the recommendations of the Preparatory Committee at its 1998 session, contained in the report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space on its forty-first session,¹ and had requested the Preparatory and Advisory Committees and the executive secretariat to carry out their tasks in accordance with those recommendations.
3. The Advisory Committee further noted that the General Assembly, in its resolution 53/45, paragraph 18, had agreed that the Advisory Committee should reconvene the Working Group of the Whole at its 1999 session to assist the Advisory Committee in finalizing its preparatory work for UNISPACE III. Accordingly, the Advisory Committee requested the Working Group to give full consideration to the tasks entrusted to the Advisory Committee by the Assembly and to report thereon to the Advisory Committee.
4. At its [...]th meeting, on [26 February 1999], the Advisory Committee adopted the report of the Working Group of the Whole, contained in paragraphs [...] of annex II to the

present report, and noted that the report of the Working Group provided the basis for the Preparatory Committee to finalize its preparations for UNISPACE III.

5. The Advisory Committee recommended that the Working Group of the Whole should be reconvened by the Scientific and Technical Subcommittee at its thirty-ninth session, in 2000, to assist the Subcommittee in considering its future work in the light of the recommendations of UNISPACE III.

Notes

¹ *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-third Session, Supplement No. 20 (A/53/20), paras. 23-44.*