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Resolutions

Until 1977 (up to and including the resumed sixty-third session), the resolutions of the Economic and Social Council were numbered consecutively and were identified by an arabic numeral followed by an indication of the session in parentheses (for example: resolution 1733 (LIV), resolution 1915 (ORG-75), resolution 2046 (S-III), adopted at the fifty-fourth session, the organizational session for 1975 and the third special session, respectively). When several resolutions were adopted under the same number, each of them was identified by a capital letter (for example: resolution 1926 B (LVIII), resolutions 1954 A to D (LIX)). The last resolution so numbered is resolution 2130 (LXIII), of 14 December 1977.

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resumed sixty-third session), the decisions were numbered consecutively and were identified by an arabic numeral followed by an indication of the session in parentheses (for example: decision 64 (ORG-75), decision 78 (LVIII), adopted at the organizational session for 1975 and the fifty-eighth session, respectively). The last decision so numbered is decision 293 (LXIII), of 2 December 1977

Since 1978, as part of the new system adopted for symbols of Council documents, the decisions are identified by two arabic numerals separated by an oblique stroke, the first numeral indicating the year, the second the number of the decision in the series (for example: decision 1987/159).

The resolutions and decisions adopted by the Council in 1988 are published in three supplements to the *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1988* as follows:

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1988/184. Report of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination

At its 42nd plenary meeting, on 17 October 1988, the Economic and Social Council decided to endorse the conclusions and recommendations of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination on the questions of the introduction to the medium-term plan for the period starting in 1992 and the calendar of consultations on the medium-term plan for the period starting in 1992, as contained in the report of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination on the work of its resumed twenty-eighth session.¹

1988/185. Change of dates of the twenty-fifth session of the Committee for Development Planning

At its 42nd plenary meeting, on 17 October 1988, the Economic and Social Council, having considered the note by the Secretary-General on the calendar of conferences and meetings² decided that the twenty-fifth session of the Committee for Development Planning should be held at United Nations Headquarters from 9 to 12 May 1989 instead of from 19 to 28 April 1989.

1988/186. Summary of estimates of programme budget implications of resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council in 1988

At its 42nd plenary meeting, on 17 October 1988, the Economic and Social Council took note of the report of the Secretary-General on the summary of estimates of programme budget implications of resolutions and decisions adopted by the Council in 1988,³ as orally revised.⁴

¹ *Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-third Session, Supplement No. 16 (A/43/16)*, part two, paras. 67-73.

² E/1988/L.54.

³ E/1988/119.

⁴ See E/1988/SR.42.

