(a) Information on the media of information existing in their territories;

(b) Information on existing measures and plans, including any based on the recommendations made in Council resolution 522 K (XVII), for the development of information media, on measures undertaken towards the implementation of such plans and on difficulties which they are meeting in implementing them;

(c) Recommendations and suggestions regarding possible action on the international plane for the development of media of information of under-developed countries;

2. Requests the Secretary-General, in consultation with the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, to prepare an analysis of the information and recommendations received from Governments and to present on the basis of this analysis elements necessary for the formulation by the Council of a programme of concrete action and measures on the international plane which could be undertaken for the development of information enterprises of under-developed countries, with an evaluation of the material, financial and professional requirements and resources for the implementation of this programme.

> 861st plenary meeting, 26 May 1955.

# 575 (XIX). Allegations regarding infringements of trade-union rights

#### A

#### The Economic and Social Council,

Considering the allegations recorded in document E/2587/Add.3,

Noting that the Secretary-General has received no reply to his communication of 9 April 1954 to the Government of Saudi Arabia,

*Requests* the Secretary-General again to invite the Government of Saudi Arabia to give its consent to the procedure referred to in paragraph (c) (i) of its resolution 277 (X).

863rd plenary meeting, 27 May 1955.

#### B

#### The Economic and Social Council

Takes note with regret of the fact that the Government of Romania has not responded to the invitation transmitted to it pursuant to resolution 523 A (XVII).

> 863rd plenary meeting, 27 May 1955.

## С

## The Economic and Social Council

Takes note with regret of the fact that the Government of Spain has not responded to the invitation transmitted to it pursuant to resolution 523 B (XVII).

> 863rd plenary meeting, 27 May 1955.

## The Economic and Social Council,

Considering the allegations concerning East Germany recorded in document E/2587,

*Decides* to refer the allegations to the International Labour Organisation for its consideration.

863rd plenary meeting, 27 May 1955.

### 576 (XIX). Relief and rehabilitation of Korea

The Economic and Social Council,

*Takes note* of the report of the Agent General of the United Nations Korean Reconstruction Agency.<sup>25</sup>

851st plenary meeting, 18 May 1955.

577 (XIX). Non-governmental organizations — Applications and reapplications for consultative status

A

INTERNATIONAL NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

The Economic and Social Council,

*Having considered* the report of its Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations,<sup>26</sup>

1. Decides to place the World Veterans Federation in category A consultative status;

2. *Decides* to place the International Thrift Institute in category B consultative status;

3. Decides to transfer the International Union of Public Transport, at present on the register of nongovernmental organizations, referred to in paragraph 17 of Council resolution 288 B (X), to category B consultative status;

4. *Requests* the Secretary-General to place the following organizations on the register of non-governmental organizations :

European Union of Coachbuilders;

International Container Bureau;

5. Decides to defer consideration of the application for category A consultative status of the Agrupación de Trabajadores Latinoamericanos Sindicalistas until 1956;

6. Decides not to grant the requests for reclassification from the register to category B of the following organizations :

International Confederation of Professional and Intellectual Workers:

International Federation of Senior Police Officers;

International Gas Union;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Official Records of the General Assembly, Ninth Session, Supplement No. 20 (A/2750).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Nineteenth Session, Annexes, agenda item 22, document E/2694 and Corr.1.