

4. Shall authorize each year earmarkings for that year in amounts corresponding to:

(a) The global amount of the approved country targets as adjusted through the use of the planning reserve;

(b) The global amount for regional and inter-regional projects;

(c) Lump-sum amount towards the overhead costs of the participating and executing agencies; and

(d) The technical assistance share of the United Nations Development Programme administrative budget;

5. Authorizes the Administrator to convey to the participating and executing agencies, after approval of the projects, financial authorizations as "allocations" within the limits of the Governing Council's earmarkings for the current year and the country targets or regional project targets for the ensuing years;

6. Decides that:

(a) Savings on projects accruing during the course of the operational year and unobligated balances of approved projects at year end will remain available to the individual country for country projects or agency for regional projects for re-programming, and

(b) That portion of a country or agency regional project target which remains unprogrammed at year end may be carried forward, subject to a maximum of 50 per cent of the original target, for use in the following year;

7. Authorizes the Administrator to develop the detailed practical arrangements required for the planning, approval and implementation of the Technical Assistance projects, taking into account the proposals^a he had made, including those relating to project submission, programme changes and contingency authorizations.

8. Shall review from time to time the above procedures in the light of experience and provide guidance and directives to the Administrator concerning the methods and criteria to be observed for the consideration of the technical assistance requests and the implementation of projects.

^a) DP/TA/L.10/Add.1.

1251 (XLIII). United Nations programmes of technical co-operation

The Economic and Social Council,

Having considered the report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme on its fourth session, including those parts of the report dealing with United Nations programmes of technical co-operation,³¹

Noting that the Governing Council has approved the 1968 regular programme contained in the Secretary-General's report³² and recommended \$6.4 million as the desirable level for part V of the United Nations budget for 1968,

Noting further that the Governing Council will consider at its fifth session a study on the appropriate level for planning purposes for 1969 and future years on the basis of a report to be prepared by the Secretary-General,

1. *Endorses* the actions of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme noted above;

2. *Recommends* that the General Assembly take the budgetary action necessary for 1968.

*1497th plenary meeting,
26 July 1967.*

³¹ *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Forty-third Session, Supplement No. 6A (E/4398), chap. VI.*

³² DP/RP/3/Add.2.

1252 (XLIII). Reports of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme

The Economic and Social Council

Takes note of the reports of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme (third and fourth sessions).³³

*1497th plenary meeting,
26 July 1967.*

1255 (XLIII). Review of the World Food Programme

The Economic and Social Council,

Having considered the fifth annual report of the United Nations/FAO Intergovernmental Committee of the World Food Programme³⁴ and the report of the Executive Director of the World Food Programme³⁵ transmitted by the Committee,

Noting the recommendations of the Intergovernmental Committee concerning the target for voluntary contributions for the period 1969-1970,

Recalling that the potentialities of the World Food Programme were recognized by the General Assembly in its resolution 2095 (XX) of 20 December 1965 and by the Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations in its resolution 4/65,

1. *Appeals* to States Members of the United Nations and members and associate members of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations to undertake the necessary preparations for the announcement of pledges at the Third Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme;

2. *Recommends* that, in any consideration of a possible increase in the level of international food aid, due account be taken of the part which could be played by the World Food Programme;

3. *Submits* for consideration and adoption by the General Assembly the following draft resolution:

"The General Assembly,

"Recalling the provisions of its resolution 2095 (XX) of 20 December 1965 that the World Food Programme is to be reviewed before each pledging conference and that, subject to the review so provided for, the next pledging conference should be convened in 1967, at which time Governments would be invited to pledge contributions for 1969 and 1970, with a view to reaching such target as may be recommended by the General Assembly and the Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization,

"Noting that review of the Programme was undertaken by the United Nations/FAO Intergovernmental Committee of the World Food Programme at its eleventh session and by the Economic and Social Council at its forty-third session,

³³ *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Forty-third Session, Supplements Nos. 6 and 6A (E/4297 and E/4398).*

³⁴ *Ibid.*, *Forty-third Session, Annexes*, agenda item 13, document E/4378.

³⁵ *Ibid.*, document E/4332.