

1963 and 2044 (XX) of 8 December 1965 and Council resolutions 985 (XXXVI) of 2 August 1963, 1037 (XXXVII) of 15 August 1964 and 1072 (XXXIX) of 26 July 1965, relating to the United Nations Institute for Training and Research,

Noting with satisfaction the promulgation of the Institute's Statute in November 1965 by the Secretary-General, in consultation with the Institute's Board of Trustees,

Bearing in mind that the purpose of the Institute is to further the aims of the United Nations through training and research,

Recognizing the contribution the Institute can make, in co-operation with the other organizations and institutions within the United Nations family, towards the attainment of the goals of the United Nations Development Decade,

Welcoming the progress made so far by the Institute in organizing and planning its work in accordance with decisions of the Institute's Board of Trustees,

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Executive Director of the Institute¹¹⁴ and of his statement to the Council,¹¹⁵ emphasizing *inter alia* the assistance which the Institute is proposing to afford to the Secretary-General in various aspects of United Nations work and the Institute's readiness likewise to assist other organs and organizations of the United Nations family ;

2. *Expresses the hope* that the members of the United Nations family of organizations will make maximum use of the Institute's facilities, as appropriate and feasible, and will assist the Institute in the implementation of its programmes and activities ;

3. *Emphasizes* the importance of co-ordinating the programmes and activities of the Institute with those of other bodies within the United Nations system, particularly the institutes for planning, training and research of the United Nations family ;

4. *Expresses its appreciation* to the Governments, private institutions and individuals which have already made or pledged financial contributions to the Institute.

*1440th plenary meeting,
29 July 1966.*

1142 (XLD). United Nations Research Institute for Social Development

The Economic and Social Council,

Taking note of the second progress report of the United Nations Research Institute for Social Development,¹¹⁶

Noting with appreciation the research contribution of the Institute to the *1965 Report on the World Social Situation*,¹¹⁷

¹¹⁴ *Ibid.*, agenda item 28, document E/4200.

¹¹⁵ *Ibid.*, *Forty-first Session*, 1437th meeting, and E/L.1132.

¹¹⁶ E/CN.5/404.

¹¹⁷ E/CN.5/402 and Add.1.

Noting the essential role which the Institute is to fulfil with regard to fundamental research in the social field in order to provide necessary support for the practical action in that field of the United Nations and Member States, including the training activities of the regional planning institutes,

Considering that several projects in the present work programme of the United Nations in the social field will require a scientific contribution from the Institute,

Considering also that the present resources of the Institute will be exhausted by the end of 1967,

Requests the Secretary-General, in co-operation with the Board of the United Nations Research Institute for Social Development, to seek ways and means of obtaining further support for the Institute through contributions from both governmental and private sources.

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1147 (XLD). Enlargement of subsidiary organs of the Council

The Economic and Social Council,

Recalling its resolution 845 (XXXII) of 3 August 1961, in which it established the present level of membership of its functional commissions,

Noting that since its thirty-second session there has been a further increase in the membership of the United Nations,

Taking into consideration the deep interest of many States Members of the United Nations in participating in, and contributing to, the work of these subsidiary bodies of experts,

1. *Decides* to enlarge, with effect from 1 January 1967, the Commission on Human Rights, the Commission for Social Development and the Commission on the Status of Women to thirty-two members each, these members to be elected on the basis of an equitable geographical distribution according to the following pattern :

- (a) Eight members from African States ;
- (b) Six members from Asian States ;
- (c) Six members from Latin American States ;
- (d) Eight members from western European and other States ;
- (e) Four members from socialist States of eastern Europe ;

2. *Decides* to enlarge, with effect from 1 January 1967, the Population Commission and the Committee on Housing, Building and Planning to twenty-seven members each, to be elected on the basis of an equitable geographical distribution according to the following pattern :

- (a) Seven members from African States ;
- (b) Five members from Asian States ;
- (c) Five members from Latin American States ;
- (d) Seven members from western European and other States ;
- (e) Three members from socialist States of eastern Europe ;