lutions 1749 (LIV) of 16 May 1973 and 1926 (LVIII) of 6 May 1975, in which the Council affirmed the need for the United Nations to consider the situation of migrant workers in an interrelated manner and in relation with general factors which have a bearing on human rights and human dignity,

Aware that the situation of migrant workers is of major importance to many countries and is becoming increasingly serious in certain regions, and that the Commission on Human Rights and other relevant organs of the United Nations should take immediate measures to ensure the human rights and dignity of all migrant workers,

Bearing in mind General Assembly resolution 31/127 of 16 December 1976, in which the Assembly recommended that the Commission on Human Rights and the Economic and Social Council should consider the question at their forthcoming sessions,

Emphasizing the serious concern expressed by the General Assembly at the de facto discrimination suffered by alien workers in some countries despite the legislative and other efforts exerted to prevent and punish it,

Aware of the work done in the field of migrant workers by the specialized agencies, particularly the International Labour Organisation, and by other organizations of the United Nations system,

Having taken note of the work of the Commission on Human Rights at its thirty-third session on this question, 98

1. Recommends to the Commission on Human Rights that at its thirty-fourth session, in collaboration with the International Labour Organisation and other interested organizations of the United Nations system, and in the light of any recommendations which the General Assembly may transmit to it on the subject at its thirty-second session, it should make a complete and thorough study of the questions mentioned in Assembly resolution 31/127 under an agenda item en-

98 See Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Sixty-second Session, Supplement No. 6 (E/5927), chap. XIII.

titled "Measures to improve the situation and ensure the human rights and dignity of all migrant workers";

2. Decides to study this question at its sixty-fourth session in the context of its consideration of the report of the Commission on Human Rights.

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### 2084 (LXII). Report of the Commission on Human Rights

The Economic and Social Council

Takes note of the report of the Commission on Human Rights on its thirty-third session.<sup>99</sup>

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# 2085 (LXII). Question of the violation by Israel of human rights in the occupied Arab territories

The Economic and Social Council,

Having considered the report of the Commission on Human Rights on its thirty-third session, 99

Taking note of the action of the Commission concerning the question of the violation by Israel of human rights in the occupied Arab territories,

- 1. Commends the Commission on Human Rights for its vigilance and for the action taken in connexion with the protection of human rights in the occupied Arab territories;
- 2. Requests the Commission on Human Rights to pursue its efforts for the protection of human rights in the occupied Arab territories, and to continue to take the appropriate measures in this respect.

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#### **DECISIONS**

### 223 (LXII). Report of the Commission on the Status of Women

1. At its 2058th plenary meeting, on 12 May 1977, the Council, having considered draft resolutions VII, entitled "Involvement of non-governmental organizations in the implementation of the World Plan of Action for the Implementation of the Objectives of the International Women's Year and the Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women", and X, entitled "Communications concerning the status of women", contained in the report of the Commission on the Status of Women on its twenty-sixth and resumed twenty-sixth sessions, <sup>100</sup> decided to defer action on those draft resolutions, taking into account, in particular, its resolution 2058 (LXII), by which the Council decided to submit to the General Assembly at its thirty-second session, for consideration and approval, the draft Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women.

2. At the same meeting, the Council took note of the report of the Commission on the Status of Women.

#### 224 (LXII). Report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs

- 1. At its 2059th plenary meeting, on 13 May 1977, the Council decided to defer until the sixty-third session consideration of the draft decision entitled "Calendar of conferences for 1978 and 1979" contained in chapter I, section B, of the report of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs on its twenty-seventh session. 101
- 2. At the same meeting, the Council took note of the report of the Commission.

## 225 (LXII). Report of the Commission for Social Development

At its 2059th plenary meeting, on 13 May 1977,

<sup>99</sup> Ibid., Supplement No. 6 (E/5927).

<sup>101</sup> Ibid., Supplement No. 7 (E/5933 and Corr.1 and 2).

<sup>100</sup> Ibid., Supplement No. 3 (E/5909).