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**AGENDA FOR THE THIRTY-FIRST SESSION\***

**adopted by the Council at its 1138th meeting, on 19 April 1961**

1. Election of President and Vice-Presidents for 1961.
2. Adoption of the agenda.
3. Report of the International Monetary Fund.
4. (a) Report of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development;  
(b) Report of the International Finance Corporation.
5. Economic development of under-developed countries.
6. Question of a declaration on international economic co-operation.
7. Transport and communications.
8. International co-operation on cartography.
9. Report of the Population Commission.
10. Freedom of information.
12. Establishment by the Secretary-General of a list of national parks and equivalent reserves.
14. Non-governmental organizations.
15. Question of meetings of the Council at the ministerial level.
16. Elections.
17. Confirmation of members of functional commissions of the Council.
18. Financial implications of actions of the Council.
19. Consideration of the provisional agenda for the thirty-second session and establishment of dates for opening debate on items.

\* At its 1138th meeting, on 19 April 1961, the Council decided to postpone the consideration of item 11 of its provisional agenda (United Nations Children's Fund) to its thirty-second session and item 13 (Membership of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees) to its resumed thirty-second session.





## RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL DURING ITS THIRTY-FIRST SESSION

### ECONOMIC QUESTIONS

#### 808 (XXXI). Report of the International Monetary Fund

*The Economic and Social Council*

Takes note of the report of the International Monetary Fund.<sup>1</sup>

1140th plenary meeting,  
24 April 1961.

#### 809 (XXXI). Reports of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development and the International Finance Corporation

*The Economic and Social Council*

Takes note of the report of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development<sup>2</sup> and of the report of the International Finance Corporation.<sup>3</sup>

1141st plenary meeting,  
24 April 1961.

#### 812 (XXXI). Question of a declaration on international economic co-operation

*The Economic and Social Council,*

Recognizing the importance of the promotion of international co-operation to economic and social well-being,

Noting paragraph 53 of the report dated 14 December 1960 of the Second Committee of the General Assembly,<sup>4</sup>

Noting also General Assembly resolution 1515 (XV) of 15 December 1960,

Having considered a revised draft declaration on international economic co-operation,<sup>5</sup>

<sup>1</sup> *International Monetary Fund, Annual Report of the Executive Directors for the Fiscal Year ended April 30, 1960, Washington, D.C. (E/3431), and document E/3431/Add.1.*

<sup>2</sup> *International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, Fifteenth Annual Report, 1959-1960, Washington, D.C. (E/3432), and document E/3432/Add.1.*

<sup>3</sup> *International Finance Corporation, Fourth Annual Report, 1959-1960, Washington, D.C. (E/3433), and document E/3433/Add.1.*

<sup>4</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifteenth Session, Annexes, agenda items 12, 29 and 74, document A/4648.*

<sup>5</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Thirty-first Session, Annexes, agenda item 6, document E/3467.*

Considering that the Governments of all States Members of the United Nations and members of the specialized agencies and of the International Atomic Energy Agency should have a suitable opportunity to examine the question and to inform the Council of their general views, including whether a declaration on this subject would be a suitable means of furthering the aims of international economic co-operation and, if so, what the declaration should contain,

1. Requests the Secretary-General to transmit to the said Governments, for the purpose of ascertaining their views, the draft declaration on international economic co-operation and the amendment thereto,<sup>6</sup> General Assembly resolution 1515 (XV) and the records of the discussions on the subject in the Council at its thirty-first session;<sup>7</sup>

2. Further requests the Secretary-General to put before the Council the replies received from the said Governments in order that they may be taken into consideration during the discussion of this item at the thirty-third session.

1146th plenary meeting,  
27 April 1961.

#### 813 (XXXI). Development of international travel and tourism

*The Economic and Social Council,*

Noting the report submitted by the Secretary-General<sup>8</sup> in compliance with Council resolution 724 B (XXVIII) of 17 July 1959,

Bearing in mind the importance of international travel in promoting international understanding and cultural relationships, in fostering international trade and in furthering economic development, particularly in the developing countries,

Taking into account the useful work already performed in this field at national, regional and international levels,

Noting that a substantial majority of those Governments which have replied to the questionnaire issued

<sup>6</sup> *Ibid.*, document E/1.899.

<sup>7</sup> *Ibid.*, Thirty-first Session, 1142nd to 1146th meetings.

<sup>8</sup> *Ibid.*, Thirty-first Session, Annexes, agenda item 7, document E/3438; document E/3438/Add.1.

by the Secretary-General in August 1960 have expressed themselves in favour of holding a conference on international travel and tourism as early as possible,

1. *Requests* the Secretary-General, in consultation if necessary with a group of not more than seven experts, to prepare recommendations concerning the nature, scope and location of the conference on international travel and tourism, including a provisional agenda, for the consideration of the Council at its thirty-third session;

2. *Further requests* the Secretary-General to call the conference as soon as possible, but not later than the autumn of 1963;

3. *Recommends* that in the preparation of his report on this subject the Secretary-General consult with the appropriate specialized agencies, interested inter-governmental organizations and competent non-governmental organizations in consultative status;

4. *Requests* the Governments which have not yet replied to the United Nations questionnaire to do so as soon as possible.

*1147th plenary meeting,  
27 April 1961.*

#### **817 (XXXI). Report of the Committee for Industrial Development on its first session**

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Reiterating* its firm belief that it is necessary to accelerate the process of industrial development in the developing countries,

*Reaffirming* that the United Nations system has a valuable and effective role to play in this process,

*Recalling* its resolution 751 (XXIX) of 12 April 1960 and General Assembly resolution 1525 (XV) of 15 December 1960,

1. *Approves* the report of the Committee for Industrial Development;<sup>9</sup>

2. *Endorses* the programme of work and the priorities set out in the report;

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General to take the necessary steps to implement the programme and other recommendations for action by the United Nations contained in the report;

4. *Invites* the executive heads of the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency to take note of the report and to implement the proposals contained therein for action by their respective organizations, separately, jointly or in collaboration with the United Nations.

*1148th plenary meeting,  
28 April 1961.*

#### **818 (XXXI). Question of meetings of the Council at the ministerial level**

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Recalling* its resolution 782 (XXX) of 3 August 1960, and taking note of the replies which have been sent by Governments in connexion with this resolution,<sup>10</sup>

*Bearing in mind* the importance of meetings of the Council at the ministerial level for promoting United Nations activity in the economic and social fields,

*Decides* to consider at its resumed thirty-second session preparations for a meeting of the Council at the ministerial level at the thirty-fourth session.

*1149th plenary meeting,  
28 April 1961.*

<sup>9</sup> *Ibid.*, *Thirty-first Session, Supplement No. 2 (E/3476).*

<sup>10</sup> E/3454.

## **QUESTIONS RELATING TO HUMAN RIGHTS**

### **819 (XXXI). Freedom of information**

#### **A**

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Recalling* General Assembly resolution 1313 (XIII) of 12 December 1958 and part I of resolution 718 (XXVII) of 24 April 1959, which requested the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization to forward its report and recommendations to the Commission on Human Rights and the Economic and Social Council,

1. *Expresses its appreciation* to the Director-General of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization for the report and recommendations concerning the development of information media in under-developed countries;<sup>11</sup>

2. *Commends* the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization for the work it is doing in furthering the development of information media in less developed countries, and in particular commends it for stressing the importance of the part played in education and in economic and social progress generally by the development of information media;

3. *Requests* the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization to continue actively to further this programme, in consultation with the United Nations and other specialized agencies concerned;

4. *Draws the attention* of Member States to the possibilities of action and international co-operation in promoting the development of national information media in the less developed countries, such as those dealt with in the report and recommendations prepared by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization on the establishment and expansion of national news agencies, newspapers and periodicals, radio broadcasting, film and television in the less developed countries by:

<sup>11</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Thirty-first Session, Annexes, agenda item 10 (part I), documents E/3437 and Add.1.*

(a) Programmes for the development of their national information media as part of their planning for economic and social development;

(b) The establishment of national committees to assist in formulating and carrying out programmes for the development of information media;

(c) The inclusion of appropriate mass communication development projects in their technical assistance programmes and in bilateral and multilateral aid programmes for economic and social development;

(d) The establishment of national training programmes for professional and technical personnel and research in the use of information media;

(e) The consideration of their present and future needs for information media in planning their communication and transport services;

(f) The examination of the possibility of concluding bilateral and multilateral agreements and of the desirability of adopting fiscal, tariff and other measures designed to facilitate the development of national information media and the free flow of accurate and undistorted information within and between countries in the light of the over-all financial and material resources;

(g) The establishment or extension of national professional associations as essential elements in their mass media programmes;

5. *Recommends* that the Governments of the more developed countries co-operate with less developed countries with a view to meeting the urgent needs of the less developed countries in the development of independent national information media, with due regard for the culture of each country;

6. *Invites* the Technical Assistance Board, the Special Fund, the specialized agencies concerned, the regional economic commissions and other public and private agencies and institutions to assist, as appropriate, the less developed countries in developing and strengthening their national information media;

7. *Requests* the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization to prepare, in consultation with the United Nations and other specialized agencies concerned, a further report containing specific recommendations to the Commission on Human Rights on additional concrete measures that might be undertaken through international co-operation to meet the difficulties with which less developed countries are confronted, taking into account the results of the regional meeting held at Santiago in February 1961 and the one to be held at Addis Ababa in 1962.

*1149th plenary meeting,  
28 April 1961.*

## B

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Having considered* the report on the developments in the field of freedom of information since 1954,<sup>11</sup>

1. *Notes* the importance of the findings and conclusions contained in the report;

2. *Notes further* that a relatively small number of countries and non-governmental organizations contributed information for the report;

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General to circulate the report to States Members of the United Nations, to the interested specialized agencies and to the non-governmental organizations in consultative status for their comments and any additional information which they may consider pertinent;

4. *Requests* the Commission on Human Rights at its eighteenth session to consider the report together with the comments submitted in response to the present resolution.

*1149th plenary meeting,  
28 April 1961.*

<sup>11</sup> *Ibid.*, agenda item 10 (part II), document E/3443.

## SOCIAL QUESTIONS

### 820 (XXXI). Report of the Population Commission

#### A

#### REPORT OF THE COMMISSION

*The Economic and Social Council*

*Takes note with appreciation* of the report of the Population Commission (eleventh session)<sup>13</sup> and endorses the work programme and priorities contained therein.

*1149th plenary meeting,  
28 April 1961.*

#### B

#### 1960 WORLD POPULATION CENSUS PROGRAMME

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Taking note* of that part of the report of the Population Commission (eleventh session)<sup>13</sup> which deals with the 1960 World Population Census Programme, with special reference to the evaluation, analysis and utilization of the results of the censuses,

<sup>13</sup> *Ibid.*, Thirty-first Session, Supplement No. 3 (E/3451 and Corr.1).

*Having in mind* the necessity of ensuring a rapid rate of growth of employment and production, particularly in economically less developed areas,

*Considering* that adequate information on population trends and characteristics and their interrelations with economic and social factors in each country form a necessary part of the basis for constructing sound national policies and programmes of action for developing and utilizing human resources and satisfying the needs of the people,

*Emphasizing* the value of the information relevant to these questions which can be obtained from appropriate studies of the results of national censuses taken in connexion with the 1960 World Population Census Programme,

1. *Invites* Governments of Member States taking part in this programme to consider the utility of making whatever arrangements may be necessary and practicable in each country to ensure that essential analyses of the census results will be carried out, particularly as they relate to important national problems of economic and social development and to questions of national demographic, economic and social policy;

2. *Requests* the Secretary-General:

(a) To intensify, during the next few years, efforts to ensure international co-operation in the evaluation, analysis and utilization of population census results and related data, especially in less developed countries:

- (i) By expanding and diversifying existing internationally sponsored facilities for demographic training and research;
- (ii) By developing such facilities in regions where they do not yet exist, especially in Africa;
- (iii) By making available to Governments of under-developed countries, at their request, the services of expert consultants to advise and assist in national projects of evaluation, analysis and utilization of census results and related data, and in national or sub-regional seminars for the discussion of relevant problems of research;
- (iv) By assisting such Governments, at their request, to establish continuing, institutionalized programmes of demographic research in the government services or in research institutions or universities;

(b) To explore the possibilities of increasing the amounts of technical assistance funds which may be made available for activities of the types listed above, and the possibilities of obtaining supplementary funds from other sources;

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General to report to the Population Commission, at its twelfth session, on the progress of the activities of the United Nations and the Governments of Member States along the lines indicated above.

*1149th plenary meeting,  
28 April 1961.*

C

## WORLD POPULATION CONFERENCE

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Recalling* that a World Population Conference was held in Rome in 1954 under the auspices of the United Nations, as approved by the Council in its resolutions 435 (XIV) of 10 June 1952 and 471 E (XV) of 14 April 1953,

*Noting* the views expressed by the Population Commission at its eleventh session with regard to the proposal that another such conference should be held,

*Considering* that the exchange of ideas and experience among the experts attending the World Population Conference in 1954 aided the advancement of scientific knowledge relating to population problems of interest to the United Nations and to Member States,

*Noting* that the censuses of population taken in 1960 or to be taken in 1961 in many countries will furnish much new information which should be utilized for further studies of these problems, particularly those relating to the interrelationships between economic and social conditions and demographic trends in the economically less developed countries,

*Having regard* to the rules for the calling of non-governmental conferences by the Council approved by the General Assembly in its resolution 479 (V) of 12 December 1950,

1. *Approves* the holding in 1964 or 1965, under the auspices of the United Nations, of a second world population conference of experts, in close collaboration with the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population and interested specialized agencies;

2. *Decides* that the conference shall be devoted to the exchange of ideas and experience on population matters among experts in the relevant fields;

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General to explore the financial arrangements for the conference and in particular the possibility of obtaining the participation in its financing of any interested specialized agencies, non-governmental organizations and foundations;

4. *Authorizes* the Secretary-General, in association with the executive heads of interested specialized agencies and with the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, to establish a small preparatory committee to assist him in formulating an agenda based on the suggestions of the Population Commission as set forth in its report<sup>14</sup> and in making the necessary arrangements for the conference;

5. *Requests* the Secretary-General to invite, in their individual capacity, experts nominated by: (a) Governments of States Members of the United Nations or members of the specialized agencies, (b) interested non-governmental scientific organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council, or (c) the specialized agencies and the Department of Economic and Social Affairs;

<sup>14</sup> *Ibid.*, paras. 100-109.

6. *Authorizes* the Secretary-General in consultation with the Interim Committee on Programme of Conferences of the Economic and Social Council to convene the conference during 1964 or 1965;

7. *Requests* the Secretary-General to present to the Population Commission at its twelfth session, for trans-

mission with its comments to the Economic and Social Council, a report on the action taken pursuant to the present resolution.

*1149th plenary meeting,  
28 April 1961.*

## OTHER QUESTIONS

### 810 (XXXI). Establishment by the Secretary-General of a list of national parks and equivalent reserves

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Having considered* the report entitled "List of national parks and equivalent reserves"<sup>16</sup> prepared by the Secretary-General in response to Council resolution 713 (XXVII) of 22 April 1959, and his recommendations for maintaining and developing the list on a current basis,

1. *Notes with satisfaction* that fifty-five Governments have already submitted replies to the Secretary-General's memorandum of inquiry inviting them to furnish information about national parks and equivalent reserves, and that further replies are expected;

2. *Commends* the Secretary-General for the thoroughness of the report;

3. *Expresses its appreciation* to the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization and to the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations for their co-operation and collaboration in the preparation of the report;

4. *Notes with satisfaction* that the International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources has played a major role in the preparation of the report and has agreed to undertake the preparation of part II and subsequent additions thereto;

5. *Requests* the Secretary-General, to this end, to transmit the documentation to the International Union and to undertake the necessary consultations with the Union;

6. *Reiterates* its belief that national parks and equivalent reserves contribute to the inspiration, culture and welfare of mankind and are valuable for economic and scientific reasons;

7. *Urges* the Members of the United Nations or members of its related agencies, and the interested specialized agencies to continue to co-operate with the International Union in this respect;

8. *Recommends* that the Secretary-General, Governments of Member States and the International Union take the steps necessary to bring this report, together with part II of it, to the attention of the proposed World Conference on National Parks to be convened in 1962 by the Union.

*1141st plenary meeting,  
24 April 1961.*

<sup>16</sup> E/3436.

### 811 (XXXI). Non-governmental organizations : applications and re-applications for consultative status

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Having considered* the report of its Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations,<sup>16</sup>

1. *Decides* to grant the request of the following organizations for category B consultative status:

Credit Union National Association, Inc.;

International Federation of Women in Legal Careers;

Union of International Fairs;

2. *Requests:*

(a) The Secretary-General to communicate once again with the General Union of Workers of Black Africa, inviting the organization to supply the additional information requested by the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations;<sup>17</sup>

(b) The Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations to reconsider the application of the Union at the first session of the year following the receipt of such information.

*1141st plenary meeting,  
24 April 1961.*

### 814 (XXXI). International co-operation in the standardization of geographical names

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Having considered* the report of the Group of Experts on Geographical Names,<sup>18</sup>

*Recognizing* the continuing need for international co-operation in the standardization of geographical names and noting the recommendations contained in the report,

1. *Commends* the Group of Experts on Geographical Names for an excellent report on a complex problem;

2. *Recommends* that the Governments of Member States:

(a) Adopt as appropriate the recommendations of the Group of Experts and take steps for their early implementation;

(b) Give emphasis to field investigation and checking with local authorities in standardizing place names, to the determination of the accurate latitude and longitude of these places and to showing them on maps;

<sup>16</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Thirty-first Session, Annexes, agenda item 14, document E/3449.*

<sup>17</sup> See E/C.2/SR.184.

<sup>18</sup> E/3441 and Corr.1.

(c) Transmit to the Secretary-General information on the progress being made in the standardization of geographical names, copies of gazetteers, maps and information concerning technical procedures being used in the standardization of domestic names, information on the techniques and systems used in the transliteration of names of other countries, and as appropriate their comments on the report of the Group of Experts;

3. *Requests the Secretary-General:*

(a) To publish the report of the Group of Experts in the series entitled *World Cartography*;

(b) To provide clearing-house functions for collecting information on the standardization of geographical names being carried out by Member States and for periodically supplying Member States with information on the material received and on where it may be obtained;

(c) To assist Governments of Member States, when requested, in the establishment of national organizations for standardizing geographical names and in the solution of specific problems concerning geographical names, calling upon experts in the practical application of nomenclature when desirable;

(d) To assist, when requested, in the creation of working groups of representatives from countries using the same linguistic system;

(e) To report to the Council within two years on the progress being made by the Governments of Member States in the domestic standardization of geographical names and on the desirability of convening an international conference on this question.

*1147th plenary meeting,  
27 April 1961.*

**815 (XXXI). Convening of an international technical conference on the International Map of the World on the Millionth Scale**

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Having examined* the report on the convening of an international technical conference on the International Map of the World on the Millionth Scale<sup>19</sup> prepared by the Secretary-General in pursuance of Council resolution 761 C (XXIX) of 21 April 1960,

*Recognizing* that thirty Governments responded favourably to, or showed interest in, the idea of holding an international technical conference to review and, if necessary, revise the specifications of the International Map of the World on the Millionth Scale,

<sup>19</sup> *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Thirty-first Session, Annexes*, agenda item 8, documents E/3448 and Add.1 and 2.

*Noting* that the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany has offered to assume responsibility for the arrangements for the conference in accordance with paragraph 2 (e) of General Assembly resolution 1202 (XII), of 13 December 1957, dealing with meetings away from Headquarters,

*Requests the Secretary-General:*

(a) To take all necessary measures for an international technical conference to review the specifications of the International Map of the World on the Millionth Scale to be held at Bonn in the second half of 1962;

(b) To consult the Governments of States Members of the United Nations and members of the specialized agencies, as well as the interested specialized agencies themselves, on the proposed amendments to the specifications of the International Map of the World on the Millionth Scale, and to prepare a report on the basis of these consultations in time for consideration by the conference;

(c) To invite States Members of the United Nations and members of the specialized agencies, as well as the interested specialized agencies, to attend the conference.

*1147th plenary meeting,  
27 April 1961.*

**816 (XXXI). Convening of a United Nations regional cartographic conference for Africa**

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Having considered* the report of the Secretary-General concerning the convening of a United Nations regional cartographic conference for Africa,<sup>20</sup>

*Noting* that the Governments of the States members of the Economic Commission for Africa, at the third session of the Commission, expressed their desire that such a conference should be convened,

*Requests* the Secretary-General, in co-operation with the Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Africa and in consultation with interested specialized agencies, to take the necessary steps to convene, not later than the end of 1962, a United Nations regional cartographic conference for Africa, including the sending of invitations to the members and associate members of the Economic Commission for Africa, to the specialized agencies concerned and to other interested inter-governmental organizations, and the preparation of a provisional agenda on the basis of that outlined in the above-mentioned report.

*1147th plenary meeting,  
27 April 1961.*

<sup>20</sup> *Ibid.*, documents E/3465 and Add.1.

## OTHER DECISIONS TAKEN BY THE COUNCIL DURING ITS THIRTY-FIRST SESSION

### Election of officers of the Council for 1961

At its 1138th meeting, on 19 April 1961, the Council elected Mr. Foss Shanahan (New Zealand) President of the Council for 1961, Mr. Eurico Pentecado (Brazil) First Vice-President, and Mr. Yordan Tchobanov (Bulgaria) Second Vice-President.

### Election of members of the functional commissions of the Council

At its 1149th meeting, on 28 April 1961, the Council elected one-third of the membership of the Statistical Commission, the Population Commission, the Social Commission, the Commission on Human Rights, the Commission on the Status of Women and the Commission on International Commodity Trade. It also elected India to the Population Commission to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Norway before the expiration of its term of office on 31 December 1963.

The composition of these functional commissions for 1962 will therefore be as follows:

#### STATISTICAL COMMISSION

	<i>Term of office expires on 31 December</i>
Australia . . . . .	1963
Brazil . . . . .	1963
Canada . . . . .	1965
China . . . . .	1965
Cuba . . . . .	1964
France . . . . .	1964
India . . . . .	1963
Ireland . . . . .	1965
New Zealand . . . . .	1963
Norway . . . . .	1964
Romania . . . . .	1964
Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republics . . . . .	1963
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics . . . . .	1965
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . . . . .	1964
United States of America . . . . .	1965

#### POPULATION COMMISSION

	<i>Term of office expires on 31 December</i>
Belgium . . . . .	1964
Ceylon . . . . .	1964
China . . . . .	1963
El Salvador . . . . .	1965
France . . . . .	1963

*Term of  
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India . . . . .	1963
Italy . . . . .	1963
Japan . . . . .	1965
Mexico . . . . .	1964
Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic . . . . .	1963
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics . . . . .	1965
United Arab Republic . . . . .	1964
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . . . . .	1965
United States of America . . . . .	1965
Uruguay . . . . .	1964

#### SOCIAL COMMISSION

*Term of  
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expires on  
31 December*

Albania . . . . .	1964
Austria . . . . .	1965
Brazil . . . . .	1963
Canada . . . . .	1964
China . . . . .	1964
Ecuador . . . . .	1964
Federation of Malaya . . . . .	1965
Finland . . . . .	1963
France . . . . .	1965
Iraq . . . . .	1965
Israel . . . . .	1964
Sudan . . . . .	1964
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics . . . . .	1965
United Arab Republic . . . . .	1963
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . . . . .	1963
United States of America . . . . .	1965
Uruguay . . . . .	1963
Yugoslavia . . . . .	1963

#### COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS

*Term of  
office  
expires on  
31 December*

Afghanistan . . . . .	1963
Argentina . . . . .	1962
Austria . . . . .	1962
China . . . . .	1963
Denmark . . . . .	1962
France . . . . .	1964
India . . . . .	1964
Lebanon . . . . .	1964
Netherlands . . . . .	1963
Pakistan . . . . .	1962
Panama . . . . .	1963
Philippines . . . . .	1964

### COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS (*cont.*)

	<i>Term of office expires on 31 December</i>
Poland . . . . .	1963
Turkey . . . . .	1964
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics . . . . .	1964
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . . . . .	1963
United States of America . . . . .	1962
Venezuela . . . . .	1962

### COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

	<i>Term of office expires on 31 December</i>
Argentina . . . . .	1963
Australia . . . . .	1963
China . . . . .	1963
Colombia . . . . .	1962
Cuba . . . . .	1962
Czechoslovakia . . . . .	1963
Finland . . . . .	1962
France . . . . .	1962
Indonesia . . . . .	1964
Japan . . . . .	1963
Mexico . . . . .	1962
Netherlands . . . . .	1964
Philippines . . . . .	1963
Poland . . . . .	1962
Spain . . . . .	1964
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics . . . . .	1964
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . . . . .	1964
United States of America . . . . .	1964

### COMMISSION ON INTERNATIONAL COMMODITY TRADE

	<i>Term of office expires on 31 December</i>
Argentina . . . . .	1962
Australia . . . . .	1964
Belgium . . . . .	1964
Brazil . . . . .	1962
Bulgaria . . . . .	1963
Ceylon . . . . .	1963
Czechoslovakia . . . . .	1962
Ecuador . . . . .	1964
Federation of Malaya . . . . .	1963
France . . . . .	1964
Madagascar . . . . .	1964
New Zealand . . . . .	1963
Pakistan . . . . .	1962
Peru . . . . .	1964
Sweden . . . . .	1963
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics . . . . .	1962
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . . . . .	1962
United States of America . . . . .	1963

### Election of members of the Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund

At its 1149th meeting, on 28 April 1961, the Council elected one-third of the membership of the Executive

Board of the United Nations Children's Fund. The composition of the Board for 1962 will therefore be as follows:

	<i>Term of office expires on 31 December</i>
Afghanistan . . . . .	1963
Brazil . . . . .	1963
Bulgaria . . . . .	1964
Canada . . . . .	1964
Chile . . . . .	1964
China . . . . .	1963
Ecuador . . . . .	1962
El Salvador . . . . .	1963
Federal Republic of Germany . . . . .	1964
France . . . . .	1963
Greece . . . . .	1962
India . . . . .	1964
Indonesia . . . . .	1962
Iran . . . . .	1962
Israel . . . . .	1964
Italy . . . . .	1964
Japan . . . . .	1963
Mexico . . . . .	1962
Nigeria . . . . .	1964
Pakistan . . . . .	1964
Poland . . . . .	1963
Republic of Viet-Nam . . . . .	1962
Sweden . . . . .	1962
Switzerland . . . . .	1962
Tunisia . . . . .	1963
Turkey . . . . .	1962
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics . . . . .	1963
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . . . . .	1962
United States of America . . . . .	1963
Uruguay . . . . .	1964

### Confirmation of members of the functional commissions of the Council

At its 1149th meeting, on 28 April 1961, the Council confirmed the following representatives of members of the functional commissions nominated by their Governments:

#### POPULATION COMMISSION

- Mr. Andrés Landa y Piña (Mexico)
- Mr. V. F. Burlin (Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic)
- Mr. P. G. Podyachikh (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics)
- Mr. Enrique Rodríguez Fabregat (Uruguay)

#### SOCIAL COMMISSION

- Mr. N. Corbett Tritton (Australia)
- Mr. C. Vianna Moog (Brazil)
- Mr. Pericles Gallegos (Ecuador)
- Mr. John Ross (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)



Mr. Enrique Rodríguez Fabregat (Uruguay)  
Mrs. Jane W. Dick (United States of America)

**COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS**

The Reverend L. J. C. Beaufort (Netherlands)  
Mr. Maksum-ul Hakim (Pakistan)  
Mr. Eugeniusz Kulaga (Poland)  
Mrs. Marietta P. Tree (United States of America)

**COMMISSION OF THE STATUS OF WOMEN**

Mrs. Blanca Stábile (Argentina)  
Miss Alba Griñán (Cuba)  
Miss J. C. H. H. de Vink (Netherlands)  
Mrs. Gladys Avery Tillett (United States of America)

**Date of meeting of the Technical Assistance Committee**

At its 1149th meeting, on 28 April 1961, the Council decided that the Technical Assistance Committee should convene on 26 June 1961.

**Provisional agenda for the thirty-second session**

At its 1149th meeting, on 28 April 1961, the Council decided to approve as the provisional agenda for its thirty-second session the items contained in documents E/3455 and Add.1.

**Financial implications of actions of the Council**

At its 1149th meeting, on 28 April 1961, the Council took note of the financial implications of the decisions taken at its thirty-first session.<sup>21</sup>

<sup>21</sup> E/3481.

## CHECK LIST OF RESOLUTIONS

NOTE. The resolutions of the Economic and Social Council are numbered in the order of their adoption. The check list includes all the resolutions adopted by the Council during its thirty-first session.

<i>Resolution No.</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Item</i>	<i>Date of adoption</i>	<i>Page</i>
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809 (XXXI)	Reports of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development and the International Finance Corporation . . . . .	4	24 April 1961	1
810 (XXXI)	Establishment by the Secretary-General of a list of national parks and equivalent reserves . . . . .	12	24 April 1961	5
811 (XXXI)	Non-governmental organizations: applications and re-applications for consultative status . . . . .	14	24 April 1961	5
812 (XXXI)	Question of a declaration on international economic co-operation . . . . .	6	27 April 1961	1
813 (XXXI)	Development of international travel and tourism . . . . .	7	27 April 1961	1
814 (XXXI)	International co-operation in the standardization of geographical names . . . . .	8	27 April 1961	5
815 (XXXI)	Convening of an international technical conference on the International Map of the World on the Millionth Scale . . . . .	8	27 April 1961	6
816 (XXXI)	Convening of a United Nations regional cartographic conference for Africa . . . . .	8	27 April 1961	6
817 (XXXI)	Report of the Committee for Industrial Development on its first session . . . . .	5	28 April 1961	2
818 (XXXI)	Question of meetings of the Council at the ministerial level . . . . .	15	28 April 1961	2
819 (XXXI)	Freedom of information			
	Resolution A . . . . .	10	28 April 1961	2
	Resolution B . . . . .	10	28 April 1961	3
820 (XXXI)	Report of the Population Commission			
	Resolution A. Report of the Commission . . . . .	9	28 April 1961	3
	Resolution B. 1960 World Population Census . . . . .	9	28 April 1961	3
	Resolution C. World conference on population . . . . .	9	28 April 1961	4



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