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IMPLEMENTATION OF ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL DECISION 1996/302

1. The Committee considered item 5 of its agenda at its 65th meeting, on 21 May 1998. It had before it an informal paper containing applications from non-governmental organizations on the Roster for the purposes of the work of the Commission on Sustainable Development to expand their participation in other fields of the Economic and Social Council (E/C.2/1997/R.4).
2. At the same meeting, the Committee decided to recommend that the Economic and Social Council approve the requests of eight non-governmental organizations.

IMPLEMENTATION OF ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL RESOLUTION 1995/32

3. At its 656th meeting, on 21 May 1998, the Committee, in accordance with Council resolution 1995/32, continued its consideration of applications from organizations of indigenous people not in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council that were interested in participating in the Working Group of the Commission on Human Rights to elaborate a draft declaration on the rights of indigenous people.
4. At the same meeting, the Committee decided to recommend that the Economic and Social Council authorize four organizations of indigenous people not in consultative status with the Council to participate in the Working Group.
