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Respect of the privileges and immunities of officials of the United Nations and the specialized agencies

German Democratic Republic: amendments to the draft resolution contained in document A/C.5/36/L.16

- 1. Replace the first preambular paragraph by the following:
 - 1. Recalling its resolution 35/212 of 17 December 1980,
- 2. In the third preambular paragraph delete and noting in particular paragraph 6 of the report,
- 3. Replace the fifth preambular paragraph by the following:
 - 5. Mindful of Article 100 of the Charter of the United Nations, under which each Member State has undertaken to respect the exclusively international character of responsibilities of the Secretary-General and the staff and not to seek to influence them in the discharge of their responsibilities,
 - 6. <u>Mindful also</u> that under the same Article of the Charter, the Secretary-General and the staff shall not, in the performance of their duties, seek or receive instructions from any Government or from any other authority external to the Organization,
 - 7. Reaffirming the relevant staff regulations,
 - 8. Aware of the absolute necessity that staff members be enabled to discharge their tasks as assigned to them by the Secretary-General without interference on the part of any Member State or any other authority external to the Organization,

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9. Recalling that, under Article 105 of the Charter, officials of the Organization shall enjoy in the territory of each of its Members such privileges and immunities as are necessary for the independent exercise of their functions in connexion with the Organization, which is indispensable for a proper discharge of their duties.