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Thirty-fourth session  
SECOND COMMITTEE

ORGANIZATION OF WORK

Note by the Chairman

1. The items on the agenda for the General Assembly that have been allocated to the Second Committee for its consideration are the following:\*

1. Report of the Economic and Social Council [chaps. II-IV, VI-XVI, XXVI-XXVIII, XXX-XXXV and XXXIX/ (item 12)].
2. Development and international economic co-operation (item 55):
  - (b) Report of the Preparatory Committee for the New International Development Strategy;
  - (c) Network for the exchange of technological information and the industrial and technological information bank: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (d) Multilateral development assistance for the exploration of natural resources: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (e) Economic co-operation among developing countries: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (f) Preparations for the special session of the General Assembly in 1980: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (g) Effective mobilization of women in development: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (h) Restructuring of the economic and social sectors of the United Nations system: report of the Secretary-General.

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\* A/C.2/34/1.

3. United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (item 56):
  - (a) Report of the Conference on its fifth session;
  - (b) Report of the Trade and Development Board;
  - (c) Action programme in favour of developing island countries: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (d) Reverse transfer of technology:
    - (i) Report of the Secretary-General;
    - (ii) Report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development;
  - (e) Assistance to Antigua, St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla, St. Lucia and St. Vincent: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (f) Multilateral trade negotiations: report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development.
4. United Nations Industrial Development Organization (item 57):
  - (a) Report of the Industrial Development Board;
  - (b) United Nations Conference on the Establishment of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as a Specialized Agency: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (c) Preparations for the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization: report of the Executive Director;
  - (d) Industrial redeployment in favour of developing countries: report of the Executive Director.
5. United Nations Institute for Training and Research: report of the Executive Director (item 58).
6. Operational activities for development (item 59):
  - (a) United Nations Development Programme;
  - (b) United Nations Capital Development Fund;
  - (c) Technical co-operation activities undertaken by the Secretary-General;
  - (d) United Nations Volunteers programme;
  - (e) United Nations Fund for Population Activities;

- (f) United Nations Children's Fund: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (g) World Food Programme;
  - (h) United Nations Special Fund for Land-locked Developing Countries.
7. United Nations Environment Programme (item 60):
- (a) Report of the Governing Council;
  - (b) Co-operation in the field of the environment concerning natural resources shared by two or more States: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (c) Measures to be taken for the benefit of the Sudano-Sahelian region:
    - (i) Report of the Governing Council;
    - (ii) Report of the Secretary-General;
  - (d) Additional measures and means of financing for the implementation of the Plan of Action to Combat Desertification: report of the Secretary-General.
8. Food problems: report of the World Food Council (item 61).
9. United Nations Special Fund (item 62).
10. United Nations University (item 63):
- (a) Report of the Council of the United Nations University;
  - (b) Fund-raising efforts for the United Nations University: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (c) Question of the establishment of a University for Peace: report of the Secretary-General.
11. Office of the United Nations Disaster Relief Co-ordinator (item 64):
- (a) Activities of the Office of the Co-ordinator: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (b) Assistance to the drought-stricken areas of Ethiopia: report of the Secretary-General.
12. Human settlements (item 65):
- (a) Report of the Commission on Human Settlements;
  - (b) Report of the Secretary-General.

13. Examination of long-term trends in economic development (item 66).
14. Unified approach to development analysis and planning: report of the Secretary-General (item 67).
15. Technical co-operation among developing countries (item 68):
  - (a) Report of the Secretary-General;
  - (b) Report of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme.
16. Acceleration of the transfer of real resources to developing countries (item 69):
  - (a) Increased transfer of resources: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (b) Finance for development: report of the Secretary-General.
17. United Nations Conference on Science and Technology for Development (item 70).
18. United Nations Conference on New and Renewable Sources of Energy (item 71).
19. Assistance for the reconstruction of Nicaragua (item 124).
20. Measures to assist the Dominican Republic and Dominica following the severe disasters caused in those countries by hurricane "David" and hurricane "Frederick" (item 125).

2. Detailed background information on these items may be found in the annotations to the agenda (A/34/100 and Add.1). In addition, annex II to this note contains, under each item, a list of the documents which will be before the Assembly in response to requests made by the Assembly or in accordance with decisions taken to that effect by the Economic and Social Council. (The documents indentified by an asterisk (\*) have not been issued as of 21 September 1979. The Secretariat will issue a forecast report concerning those documents for the information of the Committee.) Annex II also indicates, under each item, the actions called for by the relevant resolutions of the Assembly, as well as the questions arising from the report of the Economic and Social Council 1/ for action by the General Assembly - as set out in chapter I thereof - and other references to matters which may be relevant to the work of the Committee.

3. The organization of its work has been a matter of increasing concern to the Committee over the last years, the main problem being that the Committee is required

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1/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 3 (A/34/3).

to deal with an increasingly long list of items within a limited period of time. The Committee has sought to achieve this on the basis of a system of work adopted many years ago, when its agenda consisted of not more than six or seven items. The fact that the membership of the United Nations has tripled since that system was adopted compounds the difficulties of planning the Committee's work in such a way as to ensure that all Member States are able to participate fully in the Committee's decision-making process.

4. At the outset of this session, the General Assembly adopted a number of decisions designed to streamline and rationalize its work. The following decisions have a particular bearing on the work of the Main Committees:

(a) That both plenary and committee meetings should begin at 10.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. and that in order to expedite the work of the Assembly, all meetings should begin promptly at the scheduled time;

(b) That explanations of vote should be limited to 10 minutes; that when the same draft resolution is considered in a Main Committee and in the plenary, a delegation should, as far as possible, explain its vote only once, i.e., either in the Committee or in the plenary unless that delegation's vote in the plenary is different from its vote in the Committee;

(c) That delegations should exercise their right of reply at the end of the day whenever two meetings have been scheduled for that day and whenever such meetings are devoted to the consideration of the same item; the number of interventions in the exercise of the right of reply for any delegation at a given meeting should be limited to two per item; the first intervention in the exercise of the right of reply for any delegation on any item at a given meeting should be limited to 10 minutes and the second intervention should be limited to five minutes;

(d) That the Main Committees which require the largest number of meetings should be encouraged to hold more meetings early in the session in order to ensure a better distribution of meetings over the whole session;

(e) That a mandatory deadline, not later than 1 December, should be established for the submission to the Fifth Committee of all draft resolutions with financial implications,

(f) That firm deadlines should be set for the early submission of the reports of subsidiary bodies which require consideration by the Fifth Committee;

(g) That a minimum period of 48 hours should be allowed between the submission and the voting of a proposal involving expenditure in order to allow the Secretary-General to prepare and present the related statement of administrative and financial implications.

5. The Chairman suggests that consideration be given to a programme, set out in Annex I, which seeks to strike a balance between the need to combine a larger number of items, particularly for the purpose of the general debate, and the desire

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expressed by the Committee to hold separate debates on certain items. It is suggested that the heads of all organizations, organs and programmes be invited to address the Committee during the general debate - even if their respective items are not integrated therein - in order to facilitate the preparation of delegations' statements during the session, and thus enhance the ability of the Committee to adhere to the agreed schedule of work.

6. In submitting this programme - which the Committee might wish to discuss at an informal meeting at the outset of the session - it would be the Chairman's assumption that, given the difficulties faced in the past owing to the tendency of the Committee to adopt a large number of decisions towards the end of the session, a special effort will be made this year to adopt as many decisions as possible throughout the session so that they be processed as soon as possible through the ACABQ and the Fifth Committee.

7. Accordingly, it is proposed that after the general debate is concluded, at least one meeting each week be devoted for the consideration of proposals. To that end, the Committee may wish, at the conclusion of the general debate to fix deadlines for the submission of proposals under the items covered by the general debate and likewise to establish deadlines for all other items at the outset of their consideration. It is also suggested that, once the programme has been adopted, arrangements be made, as in past years, for the co-ordination of informal consultations through the Vice-Chairmen of the Committee. The Committee should complete its work on 7 December.

8. With regard to documentation, the Committee's attention is drawn to the recommendation concerning the reduction in its volume made by the Special Committee on the Rationalization of the Procedures and Organization of the General Assembly (para. 106 (a) of annex V to the rules of procedure of the Assembly). For reasons of efficiency and economy, the General Assembly, on a number of occasions, has called for restraint on the part of delegations in requesting reports, studies and meetings records. In view of the problems that the Economic and Social Council is facing in this respect (see Council resolutions 1979/1, 1979/41 and 1979/69) it is also suggested that the Committee should reduce the requests for submission of documents to the Council, or to the Assembly through the Council, to a minimum. (It may be noted in this context that, in order to comply with the six-weeks rule, a document for the Council's first regular session of 1980 will have to be ready by 29 January 1980, and that a document for the second regular session will have to be ready by 23 April 1980.)

9. Further, the General Assembly, in resolution 2538 (XXIV), of 11 December 1969, indicated that, for committees receiving summary records, statements made by delegations or others should not be reproduced in extenso in the summary records, or as separate documents unless the committee concerned, having been informed of the financial implications, so decides. The Assembly also decided that "the reports of the Main Committee should be as concise as possible and, save in exceptional cases, should not contain a summary of the debates" (A/520/Rev.12, annex V, para. 43).

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Annex I

PROPOSED TIME-TABLE FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF ITEMS

<u>Weeks of:</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	<u>Programme</u>
24-28 September 1-5 October 8-12 October		<u>General debate</u> covering items: 12. (ECOSOC) 55. (Development and international economic co-operation, except subitem (a)) 58. (UNITAR) 62. (Special Fund) 63. (University) 64. (UNDRO) 66. (Long-term trends in economic development) 67. (Unified approach to development analysis and planning) 69. (Transfer of real resources) 126. (Nicaragua) 127. (Dominican Republic and Dominica)
	26 September, 6 p.m.:	Closure of the list of speakers in the general debate
	12 October:	Consideration of deadlines for submission of proposals on all items listed above
15-19 October	(Reserved, in principle, for consideration of item 55 (a) in plenary)	
22-26 October		61. (Food problems) 65. (HABITAT)
29 October- 2 November		57. (UNIDO) 60. (UNEP)
5-9 November	6-7 November: Pledging Conference	59. (Operational activities) 68. (TCDC)
12-16 November		56. (UNCTAD)*
19-23 November	20 November: Pledging Conference	70. (UNCSTD) 71. (Energy Conference)
26-30 November and 3-7 December		Consideration of pending proposals  (1 December: Deadline for submission of all draft resolutions with financial implications to the Fifth Committee)

\* The General Assembly decided that the Second Committee should consider the question of the periodicity of future sessions of the Trade and Development Board and report thereon to the Assembly as a matter of priority. A recommendation on the subject is contained in UNCTAD resolution 114 (V), para. 5. The Committee may wish to consider this matter at an appropriate time during the general debate.

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Annex II

DOCUMENTATION BEFORE THE SECOND COMMITTEE AND SYNOPTIC ANNOTATIONS

Item 12. Report of the Economic and Social Council

Documentation

A/34/3 and addenda 1/ Relevant chapters of the report of the Economic and Social Council on the work of its organizational session for 1979; its first and second regular sessions for 1979, and of its resumed second regular session for 1979

1/ In accordance with paragraph 5 of Economic and Social Council resolution 1979/41 of 10 May 1979, the annual report of the Council to the General Assembly has been issued in separate fascicles. Each fascicle contains a chapter of the report consisting of a repertorial summary of the relevant proceedings of the Council in chronological order, and the texts of the resolutions and decisions adopted by the Council on the matter. The chapters of the report, which have been allocated to the Second Committee, and the fascicles in which they appear, are as follows:

- Chapter II. General discussion of international economic and social policy including regional and sectoral developments (Add.2)
- III. Regional co-operation (Add.3)
- IV. Transport and Communications Decade in Africa (Add.4)
- VII. Transnational corporations (Add.7)
- XV. Natural resources (Add.15)
- XXVI. Co-operation and co-ordination within the United Nations system (Add.26)
- XXVIII. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations (Add.28)
- XXX. Implementation of the medium-term and long-term recovery and rehabilitation programme in the Sudano-Sahelian region (Add.30)
- XXXI. Assistance to Botswana, Lesot, Mozambique and Zambia (Add.31)
- XXXII. Assistance in emergency situations (Add.32).

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- A/34/96 Letter dated 16 February from the Permanent Representative of France, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General
- A/34/115 Letter dated 28 February 1979 from the Permanent Representative of the Federal Republic of Germany to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General
- A/34/205 Letter dated 19 April 1979 from the Permanent Representative of the German Democratic Republic to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General
- A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979
- A/34/361 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to the Comoros (General Assembly resolution 33/123)
- A/34/362 and  
Corr.1  
(French only) Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Djibouti (General Assembly resolution 33/132)
- A/34/370 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Guinea-Bissau (General Assembly resolution 33/124)
- A/34/371 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Sao Tome and Principe (General Assembly resolution 33/125)
- A/34/372 and  
Corr.1 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Cape Verde (General Assembly resolution 33/127)
- A/34/373 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Seychelles (General Assembly resolution 33/129)
- A/34/377 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Mozambique (General Assembly resolution 33/126)
- A/34/393 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Lesotho (General Assembly resolution 33/128)
- A/34/419 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Botswana (General Assembly resolution 33/130)

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- A/34/407 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Zambia (General Assembly resolution 33/131)
- \*A/34/504 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance for the reconstruction and development of Lebanon (General Assembly resolution 33/146)
- A/34/432 Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the medium-term and long-term recovery and rehabilitation programme in the Sudano-Sahelian region (General Assembly resolution 33/133)
- A/34/485 Report of the World Conference on Agrarian Reform and Rural Development convened by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (Council decision 1979/50)
- E/1979/61 and Add.1-2 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to the Palestinian people (General Assembly resolution 33/147 and Council decision 1979/53)
- E/1979/50 and Corr.1 and E/1979/50/Add.1 Suppl. No. 15 Report of the Economic Commission for Africa for the period 5 May 1978 to 28 March 1979 (part II, sect. D) (Council decision 1979/72)
- E/1979/77 (E/CN.14/726) Progress report of the Secretary-General on the Transport and Communications Decade in Africa (General Assembly resolution 32/160)
- E/1979/74 Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the Charter of Economic Rights and Duties of States (Council resolution 1978/64)
- E/1979/91 Follow-up to, and implementation of, the Mar del Plata Action Plan - Report of the Secretary-General on the results of the special session of the Committee on Natural Resources (General Assembly resolution 32/158) and Council decision 1978/58)
- E/1979/99 Note by the Secretary-General on the promotion of tourism (General Assembly resolution 33/122)
- E/1979/66 Report of the Secretary-General on the role of the public sector in promoting the economic development of developing countries (General Assembly resolution 32/179 and 33/144)

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- A/34/3/Add.7           Text of Economic and Social Council decision 1979/73 transmitting a draft resolution entitled "Transnational corporations: code of conduct on transnational corporations and international agreement on illicit payments" and a draft resolution entitled "International agreement on illicit payments"
- A/34/3/Add.4           Text of draft resolution entitled "United Nations Transport and Communications Decade in Africa, 1978-1988 recommended by the Economic and Social Council for adoption by the General Assembly (Council resolution 1979/61)

Resolutions and decisions of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which are relevant to the work of the Committee

Matters related to the general discussion of international economic and social policy, including regional and sectoral developments (decision 1979/51)

Assistance to Botswana, Lesotho, Mozambique and Zambia (decision 1979/46)

Assistance in emergency situations (decision 1979/47)

Implementation of the medium-term and long-term rehabilitation and development programme in the Sudano-Sahelian region (resolution 1979/51)

Report of the World Conference on Agrarian Reform and Rural Development

Assistance to the Palestinian people (decision 1979/53)

Annual report of the Economic Commission for Africa (decision 1979/72)

United Nations Transport and Communications Decade in Africa, 1978-1988 (resolution 1979/61)

Follow-up to, and implementation of, the Mar del Plata Action Plan (resolution 1979/70)

Report of the World Tourism Organization (decision 1979/61)

The role of the public sector in promoting the economic development of developing countries (resolution 1979/48)

Future work of the Intergovernmental Working Group on a Code of Conduct, code of conduct on transnational corporations, and international agreement on illicit payments (decision 1979/73)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the relevant chapters of the report of the Economic and Social Council, and in particular the following draft resolutions which call for action by the General Assembly:

- (i) Consideration of the draft resolution entitled "Transnational corporations: code of conduct on transnational corporations and international agreement on illicit payments" and draft resolution entitled "International agreement on illicit payments" transmitted by the Economic and Social Council in its decision 1979/73. (For text, see report of the Economic and Social Council, A/34/3/Add.7, chap. VII);
- (ii) Consideration of the draft resolution entitled "United Nations Transport and Communications Decade in Africa, 1978-1988" recommended by the Economic and Social Council in its resolution 1979/61 for adoption by the General Assembly. (For text, see report of the Economic and Social Council, A/34/3/Add.4, chap. IV).

(b) Consideration of the reports requested by the General Assembly or transmitted by the Economic and Social Council, as listed above.

(c) Review of the report of the Secretary-General on the role of the public sector in promoting the economic development of developing countries (E/1979/66), in order to determine which aspects of the role of the public sector require further in-depth study, as recommended by the Economic and Social Council in its resolution 1979/48. (See report of the Economic and Social Council, A/34/3/Add.2, chap. II.)

Item 55. Development and international economic co-operation

- (b) Report of the Preparatory Committee for the New International Development Strategy
- (c) Network for the exchange of technological information and the industrial and technological information bank: report of the Secretary-General
- (d) Multilateral development assistance for the exploration of natural resources: report of the Secretary-General
- (e) Economic co-operation among developing countries. report of the Secretary-General
- (f) Preparations for the special session of the General Assembly in 1980: report of the Secretary-General
- (g) Effective mobilization of women in development: report of the Secretary-General
- (h) Restructuring of the economic and social sectors of the United Nations system: report of the Secretary-General

Documentation

- A/34/3/Add.2 and 35      Report of the Economic and Social Council  
(Chap. II - General discussion of international economic and social policy including regional and sectoral developments)  
(Chap. XXXV - Restructuring of the economic and social sectors of the United Nations system)
- A/34/330                Letter dated 20 June 1979 from the Permanent Representative of Austria to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General
- A/34/397                Letter dated 2 August 1979 from the Acting Permanent Representative of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General
- A/34/389                Letter dated 27 July 1978 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers

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- \*A/34/467 Letter dated 12 September 1979 from the Permanent Representative of the United Republic of Tanzania to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General transmitting the report on the symposium "Toward a New International Development Strategy" held in Scheveningen, the Netherlands, from 25 to 28 July 1979
- A/34/44 and Add.1  
Suppl. No. 44 Report of the Preparatory Committee for the New International Strategy on its first, second and third sessions (General Assembly resolution 33/193) (Parts I-IV\*)
- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on a network for the exchange of technological information and the industrial and technological information bank (General Assembly resolution 32/178)
- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on multilateral development assistance for the exploration of natural resources (General Assembly resolution 33/194)
- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on economic co-operation among developing countries (General Assembly resolution 33/195)
- A/34/418 and Corr.1 Note by the Secretary-General on the Tokyo round of multilateral trade negotiations
- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on the preparations for the special session of the General Assembly (General Assembly resolution 33/198)
- \*A/34/484 Reports of the governing bodies of the organs and organizations within the United Nations system on the progress made towards the establishment of the new international economic order - Report submitted by the International Labour Organisation (General Assembly resolution 33/198, para. 3)
- E/1979/81 First progress report by the Secretary-General for 1979 on the restructuring of the economic and social sectors of the United Nations system (General Assembly resolution 33/202)
- \*A/34/ Second progress report by the Secretary-General on the restructuring of the economic and social sectors of the United Nations system (General Assembly resolution 33/202 and Council decision 1979/57)

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- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on the effective mobilization of women in development (General Assembly resolution 33/200)
- E/AC.54/22 and Corr.1 and Add.1 Report prepared by the Secretariat on the review of progress made in the implementation of the International Development Strategy for the Second United Nations Development Decade and in relation to General Assembly resolutions 3202 (S-VI), 3281 (XXIX) and 3362 (S-VII) (Council resolution 1768 (LIV))

Decisions of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which are relevant to the work of the Committee

Matters related to the general discussion of international economic and social policy, including regional and sectoral developments (decision 1979/51)

Restructuring of the economic and social sectors of the United Nations system (decision 1979/57)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the relevant chapters of the report of the Economic and Social Council.

(b) Consideration of the reports requested by the General Assembly or transmitted by the Economic and Social Council, as listed above.

Item 56. United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

- (a) Report of the Conference on its fifth session
- (b) Report of the Trade and Development Board
- (c) Action programme in favour of developing island countries: report of the Secretary-General
- (d) Reverse transfer of technology:
  - (i) Report of the Secretary-General
  - (ii) Report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
- (e) Assistance to Antigua, St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla, St. Lucia and St. Vincent: report of the Secretary-General
- (f) Multilateral trade negotiations: report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

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| TD/268 and Add.1                     | Report of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on its fifth session, Parts I and II (General Assembly resolution 33/154)  |
| A/34/15<br>Suppl. No. 15<br>Vol. I   | Report of the Trade and Development Board on its tenth special session (General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX), sect. II, para. 22)   |
| *A/34/15<br>Suppl. No. 15<br>Vol. II | Report of the Trade and Development Board on the first part of its nineteenth session (General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX), sect. II, para. 22)  |
| A/34/389                             | Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers, held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979 |
| *A/34/                               | Report of the Secretary-General on the action programme in favour of developing island countries (General Assembly resolution 32/185)   |
| *A/34/                               | Report of the Secretary-General on the "brain drain" problem (General Assembly resolution 33/151, para. 3)  |

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- \*A/34/425 Report of the Secretary-General of UNCTAD on reverse transfer of technology (General Assembly resolution 33/151, para. 6)
- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to Antigua, St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla, St. Lucia and St. Vincent (General Assembly resolution 33/152)
- \*A/34/443 Report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on the multilateral trade negotiations (General Assembly resolution 33/199)
- E/1979/96 Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Intergovernmental Preparatory Group on a Convention on International Multimodal Transport on its sixth session (Council resolution 1734 (LIV))
- TD/MT/CONF.1 and Add.1 Draft Convention on International Multimodal Transport
- TD/B/AC.15/56 and Add.1 Report of the Intergovernmental Preparatory Group on a Convention on International Multimodal Transport on its sixth session
- A/34/3/Add.2 Report of the Economic and Social Council (Chap. II - General discussion of international economic and social policy, including regional and sectoral developments)

Decisions of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which are relevant to the work of the Committee

Transmittal of reports to the General Assembly for consideration (decision 1979/87)

Report of the Intergovernmental Preparatory Group on a Convention on International Multimodal Transport (decision 1979/83)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the report of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on its fifth session (General Assembly resolution 33/154).

(b) Attention is also drawn in particular to the following resolutions adopted by the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development requiring action by the Assembly:

- (i) Conference resolution 112 (V) entitled "Strengthening the technological capacity of developing countries including accelerating their technological transformation" (sect. C, para. 35);

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- (ii) Conference resolution 114 (V) entitled "Institutional issues" (sect. I and sect. III, para. 5);
- (iii) Conference resolution 115 (V) entitled "Use of the Arabic language" (para. 1);
- (iv) Conference resolution 122 (V) entitled "Comprehensive new Programme of Action for the least developed countries" (sect. III, para. 11 (e)).

(c) Consideration of the report of the Trade and Development Board. (Para. 22 of General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX), sect. II, provides that the Board "shall report annually on its activities to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council. By decision 1979/87, the Council transmitted the report of the Trade and Development Board to the General Assembly at its thirty-fourth session.)

(d) Consideration of the reports requested by the General Assembly or transmitted by the Economic and Social Council, as listed above.

Item 57. United Nations Industrial Development Organization:

- (a) Report of the Industrial Development Board
- (b) United Nations Conference on the Establishment of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as a Specialized Agency: report of the Secretary-General
- (c) Preparations for the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization: report of the Executive Director
- (d) Industrial redeployment in favour of developing countries: report of the Executive Director

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- A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979
- A/34/3/Add.12 Report of the Economic and Social Council (Chap. XII - Industrial development co-operation)
- A/34/16  
Suppl. No. 16 Report of the Industrial Development Board on the work of its thirteenth session (General Assembly resolution 2152 (XXI), sect. II, para. 7 (h))
- A/34/237 Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Conference on the Establishment of UNIDO as a specialized agency (General Assembly resolution 33/161)

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- A/34/288 Report of the Executive Director of UNIDO on the industrial redeployment in favour of developing countries (General Assembly resolution 33/78)
- E/1979/82 Report of the Executive Director of UNIDO on the preparations for the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (General Assembly resolution 33/77)

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which is relevant to the work of the Committee

Industrial development co-operation (resolution 1979/54)

Action required

- (a) Consideration of the report of the Industrial Development Board and of the relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council (General Assembly resolution 2152 (XXI), sect. II, para. 7 (h) provides that the Board shall "report annually to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council; the Council may transmit to the Organization and to the General Assembly such comments on the report as it may deem necessary");
- (b) Consideration of the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Conference on the Establishment of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as a Specialized Agency and the proposed draft resolution on transitional arrangements (A/34/237, annex I, pp. 1-3);
- (c) Consideration of the other reports requested by the General Assembly listed above;
- (d) Revision of the list of States eligible for membership in the Industrial Development Board in the light of recent admissions of States to membership in the United Nations or the specialized agencies (General Assembly resolution 2152 (XXI)).

Item 58. United Nations Institute for Training and Research

Documentation

- A/34/14  
Suppl. No. 14 Report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (General Assembly resolution 2044 (XX), para. 3)
- A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979

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Action required

Consideration of the report of the Executive Director (General Assembly resolution 2044 (XX), para. 3, provides that the Executive Director "reports" annually to the General Assembly and, as appropriate, to the Economic and Social Council on the activities of the Institute").

Item 59. Operational activities for development

- (a) United Nations Development Programme
- (b) United Nations Capital Development Fund
- (c) Technical co-operation activities undertaken by the Secretary-General
- (d) United Nations Volunteers programme
- (e) United Nations Fund for Population Activities
- (f) United Nations Children's Fund: report of the Secretary-General
- (g) World Food Programme
- (h) United Nations Special Fund for Land-locked Developing Countries

Documentation

- A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979
- A/34/3/Add.9, 26 and 27 Report of the Economic and Social Council (Chap. IX - Food problems) (Chap. XXVI - Co-operation and co-ordination within the United Nations system) (Chap. XXVII - Operational activities)
- \*E/1979/40 Suppl. No. 10 Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme on its twenty-sixth session
- DP/376 Report of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme on the United Nations Volunteers
- E/1979/80 Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the progress report of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme on the role of qualified national personnel in the social and economic development of developing countries (General Assembly resolution 33/135)

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- E/1979/41 Report of the Executive Board of UNICEF
- \*A/34/463 Report of the Secretary-General on the health needs of Palestinian refugee children (General Assembly resolution 33/81)
- DP/387 Report of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme on the United Nations Special Fund for Land-locked Developing Countries (General Assembly resolution 33/85)
- A/34/430 Note by the Secretary-General on the United Nations Special Fund for Land-locked Developing Countries
- E/1979/34 and Add.1/  
Rev.1 Annual report of the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination for 1978/79
- A/34/38 (Part IV) Report of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination on the work of its nineteenth session (chap. V, paras. 14-15)

Resolutions and decisions of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which are relevant to the work of the Committee

Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme (decision 1979/55)

Report of the Committee for Programme and Co-ordination (decision 1979/66)

Role of qualified national personnel in the social and economic development of developing countries (resolution 1979/52)

Target for World Food Programme pledges for the period 1981-1982 (resolution 1979/55)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council (General Assembly resolution 2029 (XX), para. 4 provides that the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme "shall submit reports and recommendations to the Economic and Social Council". General Assembly resolution 57 (I), para. 7, provides that "the Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund shall make periodic reports of its operations to the Economic and Social Council". In resolution 802 (VIII), para. 4, the General Assembly requested the Economic and Social Council to continue to review periodically the work of the United Nations Children's Fund and to make recommendations to the Assembly as appropriate.)

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(b) Consideration of the reports requested by the General Assembly or transmitted by the Economic and Social Council, as listed above.

(c) By decision 1979/66, the Economic and Social Council decided to recommend that the General Assembly examine at its thirty-fourth session the question of the responsibilities of the resident co-ordinator of the United Nations system's operational activities for development including the text of the standard letter of designation (E/1979/34, annex) and the arrangements for the exercise of the functions of the resident co-ordinator, as proposed by the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination, set out in its annual report for 1978/79 (E/1979/34 and Add.1/Rev.1).

(d) Consideration of the draft resolution entitled "Target for World Food Programme pledges for the period 1981-1982" recommended for adoption by the General Assembly, annexed to Council resolution 1979/55. (For text, see report of the Economic and Social Council, A/34/3/Add.27, chap. XXVII).

Item 60. United Nations Environment Programme

- (a) Report of the Governing Council
- (b) Co-operation in the field of the environment concerning natural resources shared by two or more States: report of the Secretary-General
- (c) Measures to be taken for the benefit of the Sudano-Sahelian region:
  - (i) Report of the Governing Council
  - (ii) Report of the Secretary-General
- (d) Additional measures and means of financing for the implementation of the Plan of Action to Combat Desertification: report of the Secretary-General

Documentation

- A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979
- A/34/3/Add.13 Report of the Economic and Social Council (chap. XIII - International co-operation on the environment)
- \*A/34/25  
Suppl. No. 25 Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on the work of its seventh session (General Assembly resolution 2997 (XXVII))

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- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on co-operation in the field of the environment concerning natural resources shared by two or more States (General Assembly resolution 33/87)
- A/34/406 Report of the Secretary-General on measures to be taken for the benefit of the Sudano-Sahelian region (General Assembly resolution 33/88, para. 5)
- \*A/34/405 Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on the implementation of the Plan of Action to Combat Desertification (General Assembly resolution 33/88, para. 6)
- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on additional measures and means of financing for the implementation of the Plan of Action to Combat Desertification (General Assembly resolution 33/89)
- A/34/296 Note by the Secretary-General on International Conventions and Protocols in the field of the environment (General Assembly resolution 3436 (XXX))
- A/C.2/34/L.2 Note by the Secretary-General transmitting text of a draft resolution entitled "Marine pollution" in accordance with General Assembly decision 33/421

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which is relevant to the work of the Committee

International co-operation on the environment (resolution 1979/56)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme and of the relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council (General Assembly resolution 2997 (XXVII), sect. I, para. 3, provides that "the Governing Council shall report annually to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council, which will transmit to the Assembly such comments on the report as it may deem necessary", particularly with regard to questions of co-ordination and to the relationship of environmental policies and programmes within the United Nations system to over-all economic and social policies and priorities).

(b) Consideration of the reports requested by the General Assembly which are listed above.

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(c) Consideration of the draft resolution entitled "Marine pollution" (A/C.2/34/L.2) transmitted to the General Assembly in accordance with its decision 33/421.

Item 61. Food problems: report of the World Food Council

Documentation

- \*A/34/19  
Suppl. No. 19                      Report of the World Food Council on the work of its fifth session (General Assembly resolution 3348 (XXIX), para. 7)
- A/34/389                              Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from 3 to 12 May 1979

Decision of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which is relevant to the work of the Committee

Transmittal of reports to the General Assembly for consideration (decision 1979/87)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the report of the World Food Council and of the relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council (General Assembly resolution 3348 (XXIX), para. 7, provides that the World Food Council shall report "to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council"). By decision 1979/87, the Council, inter alia, authorized the Secretary-General to transmit the report of the World Food Council on its fifth session directly to the General Assembly at its thirty-fourth session.

Item 62. United Nations Special Fund

Action required

By decision 33/431, the General Assembly decided to suspend the activities of the United Nations Special Fund, ad interim, since the Fund could not carry out its main function of providing assistance to the most seriously affected countries because the situation with regard to contributions to the Fund continued to be unfavourable; decided to request the Secretary-General to look into the feasibility of entrusting the monitoring of assistance to those countries to an existing service within the United Nations system; and decided to perform the functions of the Board of Governors of the Special Fund pending subsequent consideration of the question by the Assembly at its thirty-fourth session.

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Item 63. United Nations University

- (a) Report of the Council of the United Nations University
- (b) Report of the Secretary-General: fund-raising efforts for the United Nations University
- (c) Report of the Secretary-General: question of the establishment of a University for Peace

Documentation

- A/34/31  
Suppl. No. 31                      Report of the Council of the United Nations University (art. IV, para. 4 (h) of the Charter of the United Nations University (General Assembly resolution 31/118))
- \*A/34/                                Report of the Secretary-General on fund-raising efforts for the United Nations University (General Assembly resolution 33/108)
- \*A/34/496                            Report of the Secretary-General on the question of the establishment of a University for Peace (General Assembly resolution 33/109)

Decision of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which is relevant to the work of the Committee

Transmittal of reports to the General Assembly for consideration (decision 1979/87)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the report of the Council of the United Nations University and the relevant section of the report of the Economic and Social Council (art. IV, para. 4 (h) of the Charter of the United Nations University provides that the Council shall "report annually to the General Assembly, the Economic and Social Council and the Executive Board of UNESCO, through the Secretary-General of the United Nations and the Director General of UNESCO, respectively, on the work of the University"). By decision 1979/87 the Council inter alia authorized the Secretary-General to transmit the report of the Council of the United Nations University and his report on the establishment of a University for Peace directly to the General Assembly at its thirty-fourth session, unless the Council should be invited, at the request of either a member or the Secretary-General, to consider either of these reports at its resumed second regular session of 1979.

(b) Consideration of the reports of the Secretary-General requested by the General Assembly, listed above.

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Item 64. Office of the United Nations Disaster Relief Co-ordinator

- (a) Activities of the Office of the Co-ordinator: report of the Secretary-General
- (b) Assistance to the drought-stricken areas of Ethiopia: report of the Secretary

Documentation

- A/34/3/Add.26 Report of the Economic and Social Council (Chap. XXVI - Co-operation and co-ordination within the United Nations system)
- A/34/190 Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of the Co-ordinator (General Assembly resolution 2816 (XXVI), 3532 (XXX), 32/56 and 33/22)
- A/34/198 Report of the Secretary-General on assistance to the drought stricken areas of Ethiopia (General Assembly resolution 33/21)

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which is relevant to the work of the Committee

Office of the United Nations Disaster Relief Co-ordinator (resolution 1979/59)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the report of the Secretary-General and of the relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council (General Assembly resolution 2816 (XXVI), para. 1 (j), provides that the "Disaster Relief Co-ordinator will be authorized, on behalf of the Secretary-General, to prepare an annual report for the Secretary-General, to be submitted to the Economic and Social Council and to the General Assembly").

(b) Consideration of the report requested by the General Assembly mentioned above.

Item 65. Human settlements

- (a) Report of the Commission on Human Settlements
- (b) Report of the Secretary-General

Documentation

- A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers

Item 65 (continued)

- A/34/3/Add.14 Report of the Economic and Social Council, chapter XIV (Chap. XIV - International co-operation in the field of human settlements)
- A/34/8  
Suppl. Report of the Commission on Human Settlements on the work of its second session (General Assembly resolution 33/111)
- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on the living conditions of the Palestinian people in the occupied Arab territories (General Assembly resolution 33/110)

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which is relevant to the work of the Committee

International co-operation in the field of human settlements (resolution 1979/46)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the report of the Commission on Human Settlements and of the relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council (General Assembly resolution 32/162, sect. II, inter alia, provides that the reports of the Commission on Human Settlements would be submitted to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council). Attention is drawn in particular to draft resolution 2/3 entitled "Global report on human settlements and periodic reports on international co-operation and assistance on human settlements"; draft resolution 2/4 entitled "United Nations Audio-Visual Information Centre on Human Settlements (Vision Habitat); and draft resolution 2/6 entitled "Strengthening of human settlements activities" contained in annex I of the report of the Commission on Human Settlements, recommended by the Economic and Social Council in decision 1979/46 for consideration by the General Assembly at its thirty-fourth session.

(b) Consideration of the report of the Secretary-General mentioned above.

Item 66. Examination of long-term trends in economic development

Documentation

- A/34/450 Note by the Secretary-General on the examination of long-term trends in the economic development of world regions (General Assembly resolution 32/57)
- A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers, held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979

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Action required

Consideration of the report of the Secretary-General on the examination of long-term trends in the economic development of world regions.

Item 67. Unified approach to development analysis and planning

Documentation

E/CN.5/566 Report of the Secretary-General on a unified approach to development analysis and planning (General Assembly decision 32/418)

A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers, held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979

A/34/3/Add.16 Report of the Economic and Social Council, chapter XVI

Decision of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which is relevant to the work of the Committee

Transmittal of reports on social development questions for consideration by the General Assembly (decision 1979/22)

Action required

Consideration of the report of the Secretary-General mentioned above.

Item 68. Technical co-operation among developing countries

(a) Report of the Secretary-General

(b) Report of the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme

Documentation

A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979

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Item 68 (continued)

- A/34/3/Add.27 Report of the Economic and Social Council  
(Chap. XXVII - Operational activities)
- \*A/34/415 Report of the Administrator of the United Nations  
Development Programme on the organizational and substantive  
arrangements for the high-level meeting to review technical  
co-operation among developing countries to be held in 1980  
(General Assembly resolution 33/134)
- E/1979/40 Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations  
Suppl. No. 10 Development Programme on its twenty-sixth session
- E/1979/80 Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the progress  
report of the Administrator of the United Nations  
Development Programme on the role of qualified national  
personnel in the social and economic development of  
developing countries (General Assembly resolution 33/135)

Action required

Consideration of the reports requested by the General Assembly, as listed above, and the relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council.

Item 69. Acceleration of the transfer of real resources to developing countries

- (a) Increased transfer of resources: report of the Secretary-General
- (b) Finance for development: report of the Secretary-General

Documentation

- A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i.  
of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations  
addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text  
of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth  
Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from  
8 to 12 May 1979
- \*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General on increased transfer of  
resources (General Assembly resolution 33/136)
- \*A/34/494 Report of the Secretary-General on finance for development  
(General Assembly resolution 33/137)

Action required

Consideration of the reports of the Secretary-General, listed above.

Item 70. United Nations Conference on Science and Technology for Development

Documentation

- A/34/389 Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions and final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979
- A/34/3/Add.10 and 26 Report of the Economic and Social Council (Chap. X - Science and technology for development) (Chap. XXVI - Co-operation and co-ordination within the United Nations system)
- \*A/34/ Report of the United Nations Conference on Science and Technology for Development
- \*A/34/ Reports required under target area (c) of the Programme of Action; strengthening of the role of the United Nations system in the field of science and technology and the provision of increased financial resources

Decision of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which is relevant to the work of the Committee

Reports of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Science and Technology for Development (decision 1979/48)

Designation of an intergovernmental year for science and technology for development (decision 1979/65)

Action required

Consideration of the report of the United Nations Conference on Science and Technology for Development, as well as the report requested by the Conference.

Item 71. United Nations Conference on New and Renewable Sources of Energy: report of the Secretary-General

Documentation

- A/34/3/Add.15 Report of the Economic and Social Council (Chap. XV - Natural resources)
- E/1979/98 Progress report of the Secretary-General on preparations for the United Nations Conference on New and Renewable Sources of Energy (General Assembly resolution 33/148)

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Item 71 (continued)

E/1979/69 Report of the Chairman of the Committee on Natural Resources on its work at the sixth session (Council resolution 1979/66)

\*A/34/ Report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on New and Renewable Sources of Energy on the preparatory process for the Conference (Council resolution 1979/66, para. 7)

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council brought to the attention of the General Assembly which is relevant to the work of the Committee

United Nations Conference on New and Renewable Sources of Energy (resolution 1979/66)

Action required

(a) Consideration of the relevant chapter of the report of the Economic and Social Council:

(b) By resolution 1979/66, the Economic and Social Council recommended that the General Assembly:

- (i) Designate an intergovernmental preparatory body for the United Nations Conference on New and Renewable Sources of Energy which would be open to the participation of all States as full members and would report to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council, taking into account in this connexion the corresponding recommendations contained in the report of the Chairman of the Committee on Natural Resources on the work of its sixth session (E/1979/69, para. 28 and chap. I, draft resolution II);
- (ii) Consider measures to enhance the readiness of developing countries for the Conference and further recommended that the Assembly consider ways in which, pending the holding of the Conference, the United Nations system could more effectively assist the developing countries in the area of new and renewable sources of energy, including research and information relating to the latest technologies and development in this vital area;
- (iii) Consider the report of the Secretary-General of the Conference on the preparatory process for the Conference, including a detailed programme and calendar of proposed activities of other measures which may be required to meet fully the objectives of General Assembly resolution 33/148.

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Item 124. Assistance for the reconstruction of Nicaragua

Documentation

A/34/241 Letter dated 4 September 1979 from the Acting Permanent Representative of Panama to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

Item 125. Measures to assist the Dominican Republic and Dominica following the severe disasters caused in those countries by hurricane "David" and hurricane "Frederick"

Documentation

A/34/242 Letter dated 17 September 1979 from the Permanent Representative of Panama to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

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