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INFORMATION FROM NON-SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES
TRANSMITTED UNDER ARTICLE 73 e OF THE CHARTER

General questions relating to the transmission and
examination of information

Draft resolution adopted by the Fourth Committee
at its 832nd meeting on 5 December 1958

The General Assembly,

Having regard to the provisions of Chapter XI of the Charter,

Recalling that, by its resolution 334 (IV) of 2 December 1949, the General Assembly considered that it is within its responsibility to express its opinion on the principles which have guided, or which may in future guide, the Administering Members in enumerating the Territories for which the obligation exists to transmit information under Article 73 e of the Charter,

Noting that Members of the United Nations have expressed differing opinions as to the application of the provisions of Chapter XI to Territories whose peoples have not yet attained a full measure of self-government, including the obligation to transmit information called for in Article 73 e of the Charter,

Considering that it is desirable for the General Assembly, in conformity with resolution 334 (IV), to express its opinion on the principles which underlie the enumeration of Territories for which the obligation exists to transmit information under Article 73 e of the Charter,

1. Invites the Secretary-General to prepare a summary of the opinions as furnished in the replies of Members to the communications of the Secretary-General regarding the transmission of information, in the relevant deliberations of the plenary meetings of the General Assembly or of the Committees concerned, and in the relevant legal treatises on the interpretation of the Charter;

2. Decides to refer the Secretary-General's summary to the Committee on Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories so that at its next regular session it can study and analyse it, formulate conclusions on the subject and report thereon to the General Assembly.
