

UNITED NATIONS

GENERAL
ASSEMBLY



Distr.
General

A/C.2/34/2
21 September 1979

ORIGINAL. ENGLISH

Thirty-fourth session
Item 56 of the provisional agenda

UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT

AMENDMENT TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1995 (XIX) ON THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON TRADE
AND DEVELOPMENT AS AN ORGAN OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AS
AMENDED BY GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 31/2 A OF
29 SEPTEMBER 1976 AND 31/2 B OF 21 DECEMBER 1976

Note by the Secretariat

1. The United Nations Conference on Trade and Development at its fifth session recommended "that the General Assembly at its thirty-fourth session should amend further its resolution 1995 (XIX), as amended, so that the Trade and Development Board should meet twice a year, preferably in shorter sessions (including the Ministerial session to be held between sessions of the Conference), in order to focus more clearly on the issues of substance and to provide greater direction to its permanent bodies." (Resolution 114 (V))
2. 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.
3. Accordingly, the Committee may wish to adopt the following draft resolution:

"The General Assembly,

"Having considered paragraph 5 of resolution 114 (V) relating to institutional issues, adopted by the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on 3 June 1979,

"Decides to amend General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) of 30 December 1964 on the establishment of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, as amended by Assembly resolutions 2904 (XXVII) of 26 September 1972, 31/2 A of 29 September 1976 and 31/2 B of 21 December 1976, as follows:

"In the second sentence of paragraph 13 of section II, the word 'once' is replaced by the word 'twice'."

79-24093

1p.