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DISCRIMINATIONS PRACTISED BY CERTAIN STATES
AGAINST IMMIGRATING LABOUR, AND IN PARTICULAR,
AGAINST LABOUR RECRUITED FROM THE RANKS OF
REFUGEESReport of the Third Committee

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1. The delegation of Poland proposed that the question of discriminations practised by certain States against immigrating labour (A/614) be placed on the agenda of the third regular session of the General Assembly. The General Assembly at its 142nd plenary meeting on 24 September 1948 referred the item to the Third Committee for consideration and report. The Committee was not, however, able to take up consideration of the item during the first part of the third session.
2. The representative of Poland informed the Third Committee at its 229th meeting that his delegation wished to postpone examination of the item to the fourth regular session of the General Assembly.
3. Accordingly, the Third Committee unanimously decided at that meeting to recommend the General Assembly to adopt the following resolution:

DISCRIMINATIONS AGAINST IMMIGRATING LABOUR

The General Assembly,

Considering the statement made by the Polish delegation to the effect that it wishes to postpone examination of the item to the fourth regular session of the General Assembly.

Withdraws from the agenda of its third session the item entitled: "Discriminations practised by certain States against immigrating labour, and in particular against labour recruited from the ranks of refugees".

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