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FORWARD-LOOKING STRATEGIES FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF WOMEN TO THE YEAR 2000

Australia, Cuba, Cyprus, Greece, Guatemala, India, Indonesia, Italy, New Zealand, Nicaragua, United States of America, Venezuela and Yugoslavia: draft resolution

Improvement of the status of women in the Secretariat

The General Assembly,

Taking into consideration the decision of the Secretary-General, 1/ in order to implement the action programme on the status of women in the Secretariat 2/ by 1990 and the commitments to further action referred to in General Assembly resolution 42/62 of 30 November 1987, to deploy on a full-time basis a senior level position with appropriate support, within existing resources, to the Office of the Assistant Secretary-General for Human Resources Management,

- 1. <u>Invites</u> the Secretary-General, as a matter of high priority, to implement fully the above-mentioned decision;
- 2. <u>Urges</u> the Secretary-General to consider, in accordance with the priorities contained in the fourth report of the Steering Committee for the Improvement of the Status of Women in the Secretariat, 3/ the appointment of a senior-level woman to the position designated as a focal point to ensure the implementation of the action programme on the status of women in the Secretariat;

^{1/} See A/C.5/43/14.

^{2/} A/C.5/40/30, sect. III.B.

^{3/} A/C.5/43/14, annex I.

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3. Requests also that the Secretary-General report to the General Assembly at its forty-fourth session on the progress achieved in the implementation of the action programme on the status of women in the Secretariat and that such information be submitted for comment to the Commission on the Status of Women at its thirty-third session.
