

including the suggestion to establish a working group of the Sixth Committee after one of the existing working groups accomplishes its mandate;

3. *Further requests* the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its fortieth session a report containing the comments and observations received pursuant to paragraphs 1 and 2 above with a view to taking a final decision on the procedure to be followed;

4. *Decides* to include in the provisional agenda of its fortieth session the item entitled "Consideration of the draft articles on most-favoured-nation clauses".

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### **38/128. Progressive development of the principles and norms of international law relating to the new international economic order**

*The General Assembly,*

*Bearing in mind* that, in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations, the General Assembly is called upon to initiate studies and make recommendations for the purpose of encouraging the progressive development of international law and its codification,

*Recalling* its resolutions 3201 (S-VI) and 3202 (S-VI) of 1 May 1974, containing the Declaration and the Programme of Action on the Establishment of a New International Economic Order, 3281 (XXIX) of 12 December 1974, containing the Charter of Economic Rights and Duties of States, 3362 (S-VII) of 16 September 1975 on development and international economic co-operation and 35/56 of 5 December 1980, the annex to which contains the International Development Strategy for the Third United Nations Development Decade,

*Recalling* its resolutions 34/150 of 17 December 1979 and 35/166 of 15 December 1980, entitled "Consolidation and progressive development of the principles and norms of international economic law relating in particular to the legal aspects of the new international economic order", and its resolutions 36/107 of 10 December 1981 and 37/103 of 16 December 1982, entitled "Progressive development of the principles and norms of international law relating to the new international economic order",

*Taking note* of the report of the Secretary-General,<sup>7</sup> particularly of the progress report prepared by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research,<sup>8</sup> of the analytical papers and analysis of texts of relevant instruments,<sup>9</sup> prepared by the consultants and the Institute in accordance with paragraph 4 of General Assembly resolution 37/103, of the views submitted by States in response to resolution 37/103<sup>10</sup> and of the report of the Panel of Experts,<sup>11</sup>

*Taking note*, in particular, of the recommendation of the Panel of Experts that the United Nations Institute for Training and Research should complete, in 1984, the analytical study on the progressive development of the principles and norms of international law relating to the new international economic order,<sup>12</sup>

*Recognizing* the need for a systematic and progressive development of the principles and norms of international law relating to the new international economic order,

1. *Requests* the United Nations Institute for Training and Research to continue preparing the third and final

phase of the analytical study and to complete it in time for the Secretary-General to submit it to the General Assembly at its thirty-ninth session;

2. *Also requests* the United Nations Institute for Training and Research to prepare a summary and an outline of the study in order to facilitate debate on the item;

3. *Urges* Member States to submit, not later than 31 May 1984, relevant information with respect to the study, including proposals concerning further action to be taken on the final study to be submitted to the General Assembly at its thirty-ninth session;

4. *Requests* the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law, the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, the regional commissions, the United Nations Centre on Transnational Corporations and other relevant intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations active in this field, as determined by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research, to submit relevant information and to cooperate fully with the Institute in the implementation of the present resolution;

5. *Requests* the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly at its thirty-ninth session a report on the final study prepared by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research for its consideration, on a priority basis, under the item entitled "Progressive development of the principles and norms of international law relating to the new international economic order" to be included in the provisional agenda of that session.

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### **38/129. United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law**

*The General Assembly,*

*Noting with appreciation* the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law<sup>13</sup> and the recommendations made to the Secretary-General by the Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law, which are contained in that report,

*Considering* that international law should occupy an appropriate place in the teaching of legal disciplines at all universities,

*Noting with appreciation* the efforts made by States at the bilateral level to provide assistance in the teaching and study of international law,

*Convinced*, nevertheless, that States and international organizations and institutions should be encouraged to give further support to the Programme and to increase their activities to promote the teaching, study, dissemination and wider appreciation of international law, in particular those activities which are of special benefit to persons from developing countries,

*Recalling* that, in the conduct of the Programme, it is desirable to use as far as possible the resources and facili-

<sup>7</sup> A/38/366 and Corr.1 and 2 and Add.1.

<sup>8</sup> A/38/366 and Corr.1 and 2, sect. II.

<sup>9</sup> See UNITAR/DS/6.

<sup>10</sup> A/38/366/Add.1.

<sup>11</sup> A/38/366 and Corr.1 and 2, annex.

<sup>12</sup> *Ibid.*, para. 23.

<sup>13</sup> A/38/546.