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Report of the Second Committee (Part I)

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I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 4th and 5th plenary meetings, on 22 September 1978, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, included in its agenda the item entitled:

"United Nations Industrial Development Organization:

- (a) Report of the Industrial Development Board;
- (b) Strengthening of operational activities in the field of industrial development in the least developed among the developing countries: report of the Secretary-General;
- (c) United Nations Conference on the Establishment of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as a Specialized Agency: report of the Secretary-General;
- (d) Confirmation of the appointment of the Executive Director"

and allocated subitems (a) to (c) to the Second Committee. 1/

2. The Second Committee considered this item at its 18th meeting, on 26 October, at its 21st to 24th meetings, from 31 October to 2 November, and at its 40th and 42nd meetings, on 17 and 21 November 1978. An account of the Committee's

1/ Subitem (d) was allocated to the plenary.

discussion of the item is contained in the relevant summary records (A/C.2/33/SR.18, 21-24, 40 and 42).

3. For its consideration of this item, the Committee had before it the following documents:

- (a) Report of the Industrial Development Board on the work of its twelfth session; 2/
- (b) Report of the Economic and Social Council on its organizational session for 1978 and its first and second regular sessions of 1978, 3/ chapter IV, section E;
- (c) Report of the Secretary-General on the strengthening of operational activities in the field of industrial development in the least developed among the developing countries (A/33/138);
- (d) Letter dated 14 June 1978 from the Permanent Representative of Senegal to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions of the Ninth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers, held at Dakar from 24 to 28 April 1978 (A/33/151);
- (e) Report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization on industrial redeployment in favour of developing countries (A/33/182);
- (f) Report of the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on the Establishment of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as a Specialized Agency (A/33/239).

4. At its 18th meeting, on 26 October, the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization made an introductory statement.

II. CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS

A. Draft resolutions A/C.2/33/L.6, A/C.2/33/L.7 and A/C.2/33/L.8

5. At its 22nd meeting, on 1 November, the representative of Tunisia, on behalf of the States Members of the United Nations which are members of the Group of 77, introduced three draft resolutions (A/C.2/33/L.6, A/C.2/33/L.7 and A/C.2/33/L.8).

6. Draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.6, entitled "Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization", read as follows:

2/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-third Session, Supplement No. 16 (A/33/16).

3/ Ibid., Supplement No. 3 (A/33/3).

"The General Assembly,

"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, and resolution 3281 (XXIX) of 12 December 1974 containing the Charter of Economic Rights and Duties of States, as well as resolution 3362 (S-VII) of 16 September 1975 on development and international economic co-operation,

"Recalling also its resolutions 31/164 of 21 December 1976 and 32/164 of 19 December 1977 to the effect that the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization should be convened in 1980,

"Accepting with appreciation the offer of the Government of India to act as host to the Third General Conference, 4/

"Taking note of Economic and Social Council resolution 1978/65 of 4 August 1978, on industrial development co-operation,

"Noting with appreciation the report of the Industrial Development Board on the work of its twelfth session, in particular the recommendations of the Board contained in chapter V of its report, 5/ on the preparatory arrangements for the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization,

"Stressing that the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization should promote the realization of policies and measures for international co-operation in the field of industrial development and the acceleration of industrialization of developing countries as approved in the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action on Industrial Development and Co-operation, 6/

"1. Decides to convene the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization at New Delhi, from 21 January to 8 February 1980;

"2. Endorses the provisional agenda for the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as contained in the annex to the present resolution;

"3. Requests the Secretary-General to invite:

"(a) All States to participate in the Conference;

4/ See A/32/232.

5/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-third Session, Supplement No. 16 (A/33/16), paras. 68-108.

6/ See A/10112, chap. IV.

"(b) Representatives of organizations that have received a standing invitation from the General Assembly to participate in the sessions and the work of all international conferences convened under its auspices, in the capacity of observers, to participate in the Conference in that capacity, in accordance with Assembly resolutions 3237 (XXIX) of 22 November 1974 and 31/152 of 20 December 1976;

"(c) Representatives of the national liberation movements recognized in its region by the Organization of African Unity to participate in the Conference in the capacity of observers, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 3280 (XXIX) of 10 December 1974;

"(d) The United Nations Council for Namibia to participate in the Conference in accordance with paragraph 5 of General Assembly resolution 32/9 E of 4 November 1977;

"(e) The specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency, the regional commissions and the interested organs of the United Nations to be represented at the Conference;

"(f) Interested intergovernmental organizations to be represented by observers at the Conference;

"(g) Directly concerned non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council to be represented by observers at the Conference;

"4. Requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the necessary arrangements are made for the effective participation in the Conference of the representatives referred to in paragraph 3 (b) and (c) above, including the requisite financial provisions for their travel expenses and per diem;

"5. Decides that the languages of the Conference shall be those used in the General Assembly and its Main Committees;

"6. Requests the Secretary-General to make the necessary financial provisions in terms of paragraph 108 of the report of the Industrial Development Board 5/ regarding the balance of the estimated costs of the Conference;

"7. Requests the Industrial Development Board and the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization to report to the General Assembly at its thirty-fourth session, through the Economic and Social Council, on the progress of the preparatory work for the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization."

ANNEX

/Same text as draft resolution I, annex, in paragraph 17 below, with the exception of paragraph 5 (b) (v) which read as follows:

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"Measures for effective utilization of foreign investment for industrial growth in accordance with national objectives of economic and social development and for the supervision and regulation of such investment channelled through transnational corporations"^{7/}

7. Draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.7, entitled "Industrial development co-operation", read as follows:

"The General Assembly,

"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 and 3362 (S-VII) of 16 September 1975 on development and international economic co-operation,

"Recalling also the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action ^{7/} adopted at the Second General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, which established the main measures and principles on industrial development and co-operation within the framework of the establishment of the New International Economic Order,

"Emphasizing the decisive contribution of industrialization to economic and social development in developing countries,

"Stressing the need to overcome constraints impeding the implementation of the measures proposed for the attainment of the targets contained in the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action on Industrial Development and Co-operation,

"Reaffirming the role of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as the central co-ordinating organ within the United Nations system for the promotion of industrial development co-operation,

"Taking note of Economic and Social Council resolution 1978/68 of 4 August 1978, on industrial development co-operation,

"Having considered the report of the Industrial Development Board on the work of its twelfth session, ^{8/}

"Aware of the need for additional resources and expanded programmes to accelerate the pace of industrialization of developing countries,

^{7/} See A/10112, chap. IV.

^{8/} A/33/16.

"Convinced of the importance of measures for the development and strengthening of the industrial technological capabilities of developing countries through, inter alia, the transfer and acquisition of technology and access to information on industrial technology, including advanced technology,

"Taking note of the report of the Executive Director on industrial redeployment from developed to developing countries 9/ in pursuance of General Assembly resolution 31/163 of 21 December 1976,

"Recalling also its resolution 32/163 of 19 December 1977 on strengthening of operational activities in the field of industrial development of the least developed among the developing countries,

"Noting with appreciation the statement made by the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization,

I

"1. Reaffirms that the desirable annual funding level for the Industrial Development Fund is \$US 50 million and that this level should be achieved during 1979;

"2. Urges those countries, especially the developed countries, which have not so far contributed to the Fund to do so;

"3. Calls upon all States, in particular the developed countries, to take appropriate action to increase their voluntary contributions to the Fund;

"4. Requests the countries currently making special purpose contributions to make the utilization of such contributions more flexible;

"5. Stresses the need to optimize utilization of the Fund for financing operational activities, including pilot projects, in priority areas - inter alia, strengthening technological capability of the developing countries; co-operation among the developing countries; training programmes; and special measures for the least developed, land-locked, island and the most seriously affected countries;

"6. Recommends an increase in the annual volume of financial resources under the Special Industrial Services Programme (SIS) from \$US 3.5 million to at least \$US 5 million;

II

"1. Reaffirms its resolutions 3086 (XXVIII) of 6 December 1973, 31/162 of 21 December 1976 and 32/165 of 19 December 1977 calling for strengthening of the industrial development field advisers network;

"2. Requests that pending the completion of the appraisal of ways of increasing the effectiveness of the system of industrial development field advisers, the momentum of recruitment of industrial development field advisers be maintained in order to attain the recommended level of country coverage at the earliest possible date;

III

"Decides that the system of consultations in the United Nations Industrial Development Organization should be strengthened and made action-oriented in order to contribute effectively to the achievement of the objectives and targets set out in the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action 7/ and that the system should be established on a permanent basis and that the participation in the consultations should be at the governmental level;

IV

"1. Requests that suitable measures be carried out to establish within the secretariat of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization an appropriate institutional mechanism to handle activities relating to the development of the technological capability of and the transfer of technology to the developing countries;

"2. Reaffirms its support for the Co-operative Programme of Action on Appropriate Industrial Technology being undertaken by the United Nations Industrial Development Organization;

"3. Requests the Industrial Development Board at its thirteenth session to examine and suggest ways to strengthen and increase the effectiveness of the pilot operation of the Industrial and Technological Information Bank;

V

"1. Stresses the need to initiate new actions in the field of industrial manpower training in developing countries;

"2. Emphasizes, in that context, the need for the full integration of women and youth in the industrial development process;

VI

"Requests the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization to submit to the General Assembly at its thirty-fourth session through the Industrial Development Board a more

comprehensive and analytical report on industrial redeployment in accordance with the guidelines contained in Assembly resolution 31/163;

VII

"1. Commends the Secretary-General for his report on the implementation of the provisions of Assembly resolution 32/163; 10/

"2. Reaffirms the need for the implementation of the provisions of paragraph 3 of Assembly resolution 32/163 of 19 December 1977;

"3. Requests the Executive Director to prepare a report on the implementation of Assembly resolution 32/163 for consideration by the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization."

8. Draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.8, entitled "Conversion of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization into a specialized agency", read as follows:

"The General Assembly,

"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 and 3362 (S-VII) of 16 September 1975 on development and international economic co-operation,

"Recalling also in this context the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action on Industrial Development and Co-operation 11/ and particularly section V on institutional arrangements thereof, adopted at the Second General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization held in March 1975,

"Further recalling that the conversion of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization into a specialized agency was endorsed by the Assembly in resolution 3362 (S-VII) of 16 September 1975 on development and international economic co-operation and reiterated in its resolutions 31/161 of 21 December 1976 and 32/176 of 19 December 1977,

"Emphasizing that the conversion of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization into a specialized agency would serve to reinforce the role and capacity of that Organization in promoting the industrialization of developing countries as well as international industrial co-operation,

10/ A/33/138.

11/ See A/10112, chap. IV.

"Regretting that despite the progress made at the United Nations Conference on the Establishment of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as a Specialized Agency in New York from 20 February to 10 March 1978, the Conference was unable to reach agreement, although the decision to convert that Organization into a specialized agency was taken over three years ago,

"Taking note of the report of the Conference contained in document A/CONF.90/12 12/ as well as the report of the Secretary-General on the Conference,

"1. Reaffirms the urgent need to convert the United Nations Industrial Development Organization into a specialized agency so as to extend the scope and functions of the Organization, enhance its autonomy, increase its resources and improve its operational efficiency and effectiveness;

"2. Decides to convene a plenipotentiary conference in 1979 in New York for a period of two weeks in order to finalize and adopt the constitution of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as a specialized agency;

"3. Requests the Secretary-General to make the necessary arrangements for the Conference in accordance with paragraphs 2, 3, 4 and 5 of General Assembly resolution 32/167."

9. Statements by the Secretary-General on the administrative and financial implications of the three draft resolutions were circulated in documents A/C.2/33/L.16, L.17 and L.42, respectively.

10. Also at the 22nd meeting, the representative of Tunisia orally revised draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.8 by substituting a blank for the words: "for a period of two weeks" in operative paragraph 2. At the time of the submission of the present report, consultations are continuing on the draft resolution.

B. Draft resolutions A/C.2/33/L.19 and Corr.1 and A/C.2/33/L.24

11. At the 40th meeting, on 17 November, Mr. J. Kinsman (Canada), Vice-Chairman of the Committee, who had co-ordinated the informal consultations on this item, introduced, in his name, two draft resolutions A/C.2/33/L.19 and Corr.1 and A/C.2/33/L.24, which were to replace draft resolutions A/C.2/33/L.6 and A/C.2/33/L.7, respectively. Draft resolutions A/C.2/33/L.6 and A/C.2/33/L.7 were consequently withdrawn by the sponsors.

12. The statement of administrative and budgetary implications prepared for draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.6 was equally applicable to draft resolution

A/C.2/33/L.19 and Corr.1. Draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.24 had no budgetary or financial implications. Accordingly, as the Chairman explained at the 42nd meeting on 21 November, the statement of financial implications contained in document A/C.2/33/L.17 should be ignored.

13. Also at the 40th meeting, the Vice-Chairman orally revised draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.24 by introducing several changes in the ninth preambular paragraph so that the paragraph would read:

"Convinced of the need for the United Nations system to use the resources available to it for industrial development in an effective manner".

14. At the same meeting the Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.19 and Corr.1, and draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.24 as orally revised (see para. 17 below, draft resolutions I and II).

15. Statements on the draft resolutions were made by the representatives of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the United States of America, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Poland (on behalf of Bulgaria, the Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic, Czechoslovakia, the German Democratic Republic, Hungary, Mongolia, Poland, the Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics), France and the Federal Republic of Germany.

C. Draft resolution A/C.2/33/L.12

16. At the 40th meeting, the Committee considered and adopted a draft resolution submitted by the Chairman (A/C.2/33/L.12) entitled "Revision of the lists of States eligible for membership in the Industrial Development Board" (see para. 17 below, draft resolution III).

III. RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SECOND COMMITTEE

17. The Second Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft resolutions:

DRAFT RESOLUTION I

Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization

The General Assembly,

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, and resolution 3281 (XXIX) of 12 December 1974 containing the Charter of Economic Rights and Duties of States, as well as

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resolution 3362 (S-VII) of 16 September 1975 on development and international economic co-operation,

Recalling also its resolutions 31/164 of 21 December 1976 and 32/164 of 19 December 1977 to the effect that the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization should be convened in 1980,

Accepting with appreciation the offer of the Government of India to act as host to the Conference, 13/

Taking note of Economic and Social Council resolution 1978/65 of 4 August 1978 on industrial development co-operation,

Noting with appreciation the report of the Industrial Development Board on the work of its twelfth session, in particular the recommendations of the Board contained in chapter V of its report 14/ on the preparatory arrangements for the Conference,

Stressing that the Conference should promote the realization of policies and measures for national action and international co-operation in the field of industrial development and the acceleration of industrialization of developing countries as adopted in the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action on Industrial Development and Co-operation, 15/

1. Decides to convene the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization at New Delhi, from 21 January to 8 February 1980;

2. Endorses the provisional agenda for the Conference as contained in the annex to the present resolution;

3. Requests the Secretary-General to invite:

(a) All States to participate in the Conference;

(b) Representatives of organizations that have received a standing invitation from the General Assembly to participate in the sessions and the work of all international conferences convened under its auspices, in the capacity of observers, to participate in the Conference in that capacity, in accordance with Assembly resolutions 3237 (XXIX) of 22 November 1974 and 31/152 of 20 December 1976;

13/ See A/32/232.

14/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-third Session, Supplement No. 16 (A/33/16), paras. 68-108.

15/ See A/10112, chap. IV.

(c) Representatives of the national liberation movements, recognized in its region by the Organization of African Unity, to participate in the Conference in the capacity of observers, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 3280 (XXIX) of 10 December 1974;

(d) The United Nations Council for Namibia to participate in the Conference in accordance with paragraph 3 of General Assembly resolution 32/9 E of 4 November 1977;

(e) The specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency, the regional commissions and the interested organs of the United Nations to be represented at the Conference;

(f) Interested intergovernmental organizations to be represented by observers at the Conference;

(g) Directly concerned non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council to be represented by observers at the Conference;

4. Also requests the Secretary-General to ensure that the necessary arrangements are made for the effective participation in the Conference of the representatives referred to in paragraph 3 (b) and (c) above, including the requisite financial provisions for their travel expenses and per diem;

5. Decides that the languages of the Conference shall be those used in the General Assembly and its Main Committees;

6. Requests the Industrial Development Board and the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization to report to the General Assembly at its thirty-fourth session, through the Economic and Social Council, on the progress of the preparatory work for the Conference.

ANNEX

Provisional agenda for the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization

1. Opening of the Conference.
2. Organization of the Conference:
 - (a) Election of the President;
 - (b) Adoption of the agenda;
 - (c) Adoption of the rules of procedure;
 - (d) Election of officers other than the President;

- (e) Organization of committees;
 - (f) Credentials of representatives to the Conference.
3. General debate (statements by heads of delegations).
4. Review and appraisal of the world industrial situation, with specific reference to the industrialization of the developing countries:
- (a) Review of progress in the implementation of the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action on Industrial Development and Co-operation;
 - (b) Review and appraisal of major policies, problems and obstacles affecting the implementation of the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action, and steps taken and proposed to resolve them.
5. Strategy for further industrialization as an essential element of the development process in the 1980s and beyond:
- (a) Adoption of appropriate industrialization policies and strategies aimed at achieving the Lima target;
 - (b) Recommendations for policies, procedures and frameworks to foster, develop and strengthen:
 - (i) Domestic industrial processing of natural resources;
 - (ii) Industrial skills;
 - (iii) International co-operation in the field of transfer and development of industrial technologies with a view to increasing the technological capabilities of the developing countries;
 - (iv) Improved mechanisms for industrial co-operation to promote the flow of integrated technical and financial assistance to developing countries, including regional co-operation and special measures for the least developed, land-locked and island countries.
 - (c) Industrial co-operation among developing countries, recommendations of policies, procedures and strategies;
 - (d) Redeployment of industries from developed to developing countries;
 - (e) System of consultation;
 - (f) Creation of appropriate industrial structures in developing countries, with a view to accelerating their economic growth and increasing their share in world industrial production in order fully to realize their economic potential within their national interests, in accordance with the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action and the resolutions of the seventh special session of the General Assembly;

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- (g) Role of foreign investment, including that channelled through transnational corporations in promoting industrial growth in accordance with national objectives of economic and social development and regulations and other conditions applicable to such investment.
6. Institutional arrangements:
- (a) Review of the effectiveness of co-ordination and follow-up on matters concerning industrial production, international industrial co-operation, and related issues covered by other organizations within the United Nations;
 - (b) Review of the effectiveness of the institutional arrangements for the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, with reference to the long-range strategy for the Organization, to meet the challenge of industrialization in the 1980s and beyond.
7. Conclusions and recommendations.
8. Adoption of the report of the Conference.
9. Closure of the Conference.

DRAFT RESOLUTION II

Industrial development co-operation

The General Assembly,

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 and 3362 (S-VII) of 16 September 1975 on development and international economic co-operation,

Recalling also the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action on Industrial Development and Co-operation 16/ adopted at the Second General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, which established the main measures and principles for industrial development and co-operation within the framework of the establishment of the new international economic order,

Emphasizing the decisive contribution of industrialization to economic and social development in developing countries,

16/ See A/10112, chap. IV.

Stressing the need to overcome constraints impeding the implementation of the measures proposed for the attainment of the targets contained in the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action,

Reaffirming the role of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization as the central co-ordinating organ within the United Nations system for the promotion of industrial development co-operation,

Taking note of Economic and Social Council resolution 1978/65 of 4 August 1978 on industrial development co-operation,

Having considered the report of the Industrial Development Board on the work of its twelfth session, 17/ including the decisions and resolutions contained in the report,

Aware of the need for additional resources and expanded programmes to accelerate the pace of industrialization of developing countries,

Convinced of the need for the United Nations system to use the resources available to it for industrial development in an effective manner,

Convinced of the importance of measures for the development and strengthening of the industrial technological capabilities of developing countries through, inter alia, the transfer and acquisition of technology and access to information on industrial technology, including advanced technology,

Taking note of the report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization on industrial redeployment from developed to developing countries, 18/ submitted in pursuance of General Assembly resolution 31/163 of 21 December 1976,

Recalling also is resolution 32/163 of 19 December 1977 on the strengthening of operational activities in the field of industrial development in the least developed among the developing countries,

Noting the statement made by the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, 19/

I

1. Reaffirms that the desirable annual funding level for the Industrial Development Fund is \$US 50 million and that this level should be achieved in so far as possible during 1979;

17/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-third Session, Supplement No. 16 (A/33/16).

18/ A/33/182.

19/ See A/C.2/33/SR.18.

2. Urges those countries, especially the developed countries, which have not so far contributed to the Fund to do so;

3. Calls upon all States, in particular the developed countries, to take appropriate action to increase their voluntary contributions to the Fund;

4. Requests the countries currently making special-purpose contributions to make the utilization of such contributions as flexible as possible and requests the Secretariat to suggest suitable projects;

5. Stresses the need to optimize utilization of the Fund for financing operational activities, including pilot projects, in priority areas such as:

- (a) strengthening technological capability of the developing countries;
- (b) co-operation among the developing countries;
- (c) training programmes;
- (d) special measures for the least developed, land-locked, island and most seriously affected countries;

6. Recommends to the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme an appropriate increase in the annual volume of financial resources under the Special Industrial Services Programme;

II

1. Reaffirms the need to strengthen the effectiveness of the industrial development field advisers network, taking into account General Assembly resolutions 3086 (XXVIII) of 6 December 1973, 31/162 of 21 December 1976 and 32/165 of 19 December 1977;

2. Requests that, pending the completion of the appraisal of ways of increasing the effectiveness of the system of industrial development field advisers, as requested by the Economic and Social Council in its resolution 1978/65, the momentum of recruitment of industrial development field advisers be maintained in order to attain the recommended level of country coverage and on the basis of assured finances at the earliest possible date, bearing in mind the desirability of efforts to recruit such field advisers from all regions and especially from the developing countries;

III

Decides that the system of consultations in the United Nations Industrial Development Organization should contribute effectively through concrete measures to the achievement of the objectives and targets set out in the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action 16/ and that the participation from each country in the consultations might be at the governmental level and at the other levels

mentioned in the relevant decision taken by the Industrial Development Board at its twelfth session; 20/

IV

1. Requests that suitable measures be carried out, in accordance with established practice, including consideration by the Industrial Development Board when required, to strengthen, within the secretariat of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, its activities relating to the development of the technological capability of and the transfer of technology to the developing countries in the industrial field;

2. Reaffirms its support for the co-operative programme of action on appropriate industrial technology being undertaken by the United Nations Industrial Development Organization;

3. Requests the Industrial Development Board at its thirteenth session to suggest, on the basis of the results of its analysis of the pilot operation of the Industrial and Technological Information Bank, ways for further effective action in this sphere;

V

1. Stresses the need to initiate new actions in the field of industrial manpower training in developing countries;

2. Emphasizes, in that context, the need for the full integration of women and youth in the industrial development process;

VI

Requests the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization to submit to the General Assembly at its thirty-fourth session, through the Industrial Development Board, a more comprehensive and analytical report on industrial redeployment in favour of developing countries, taking into account General Assembly resolution 31/163;

VII

1. Commends the Secretary-General for his report on the implementation of the provisions of General Assembly resolution 32/163; 21/

2. Reaffirms the need to implement the provisions of paragraph 3 of resolution 32/163.

20/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-third Session, Supplement No. 16 (A/33/16), para. 167.

21/ A/33/138.

3. Requests the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization to prepare a report on the implementation of resolution 32/163 for consideration at the Third General Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization.

DRAFT RESOLUTION III

Revision of the lists of States eligible for membership
in the Industrial Development Board

The General Assembly,

Recalling Section II, paragraph 4, of its resolution 2152 (XXI) of 17 November 1966 on the United Nations Industrial Development Organization,

Having regard to subparagraph (i) of the operative part of its resolution 32/39 of 2 December 1977 concerning the change in status of the Holy See from representative to observer to the United Nations Industrial Development Organization with effect from December 1975,

1. Decides to include Solomon Islands in list A of the annex to General Assembly resolution 2152 (XXI);
2. Also decides to delete the Holy See from list B of the annex to General Assembly resolution 2152 (XXI).