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AND PUNISHMENT OF THE CRIME OF APARTHEID

Note by the Secretary-General

Addendum

The following information is drawn to the attention of the Commission on Human Rights in connexion with the requests contained in its resolution 7 (XXXIV) of 22 February 1978.

The Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples, at its 1133rd meeting on 12 September 1978, decided, subject to any directives which it might receive from the General Assembly at its thirty-third session, to request the administering Powers concerned to include the information requested by the Commission in their annual reports to the Secretary-General under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations. At its thirty-third session the General Assembly, in paragraph 5 of its resolution 33/44 of 13 December 1978, approved the report of the Special Committee covering its work during the year, including the decision referred to above. Accordingly the Chairman, on 21 December 1978, drew the attention of the administering Powers concerned to the aforementioned decision of the Special Committee for appropriate action.

As regards the Trusteeship Council, General Assembly resolution 33/103 of 16 December 1978, together with all the relevant documentation, has been brought to the attention of the Council's President. Consultations are currently in progress concerning the agenda of the forty-sixth session of the Council, which is scheduled to convene in May 1979. An account of any action which may be taken by the Trusteeship Council in the light of the results of these consultations will be reported in due course.