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ON THE STATUS OF REFUGEES AND
STATELESS PERSONS

(Items 6 and 7 of the agenda)

DECISIONS TAKEN BY THE CONFERENCE UP TO17 JULY 1951NOTE BY THE SECRETARIAT

The attached table shows the action taken by the Conference up to 17 July 1951 in respect of each article of the draft Convention relating to the Status of Refugees.

It will be noted that the following Articles or sections of articles remain to be acted upon:

Preamble

Article 1, Sections B, C, E and F

Article 3 (b)

Article 5

Articles 31 - 40

Schedule paragraph 13 and the Travel Document

DRAFT CONVENTION RELATING TO THE STATUS OF REFUGEES

<u>Preamble</u>	Not yet discussed
<u>Article 1</u>	
<u>Section A</u>	Adopted, with the understanding that the U.K. amendment to para. 2 (A/CONF.2/27) might be later incorporated after redrafting.
<u>Section B</u>	Discussed but not voted. Amendments to subparas. (5) and (6) by Israel (A/CONF.2/81 and 82/Rev.1)
<u>Section C</u>	Deferred. Amendments by Egypt (A/CONF.2/13)
<u>Section D</u>	Adopted
<u>Section E</u>	Referred to Working Group (France, Federal Republic of Germany, Israel, U.K., and High Commissioner for Refugees)
<u>Section F</u>	Deferred pending a decision on Section E. Amendments by Belgium (A/CONF.2/78 and Yugoslavia (A/CONF.2/79)
<u>Article 2</u>	Adopted
<u>Article 3</u>	Adopted
<u>Article 3 (a)</u>	Adopted
<u>Article 3 (b)</u>	Deferred
<u>Article 4</u>	Adopted
<u>Article 5</u>	Deferred
<u>Articles 6 - 30</u>	Adopted
<u>Article 31</u>	Currently being discussed
<u>Articles 32 - 39</u>	Have not been discussed
<u>Article 40</u>	Second paragraph adopted. First paragraph with sub-paragraphs (a) - (e) has not been discussed.

Schedule

Paragraphs 1 - 12

Adopted

Paragraph 13

Referred to Working Group
(Canada, France, Italy, U.K., U.S.A.,
Venezuela and High Commissioner for
Refugees).

Paragraphs 14 - 16

Adopted

Travel Document

Referred to Working Group
(See under paragraph 13 above)

DRAFT PROTOCOL RELATING TO THE STATUS OF
STATELESS PERSONS

Not yet discussed.