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United Nations Institute for Training and Research

The Economic and Social Council,

Recalling General Assembly resolution 62/210 of 19 December 2007 and Council resolutions 2009/27 of 30 July 2009 and 2011/11 of 22 July 2011,

Acknowledging the pursuit by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research of innovation in the field of training and capacity development, its continued effort to improve the high quality and effectiveness of its output, and the emphasis the Institute has put on generating multiple effects from training, including enhancement of the capabilities of learning centres in developing countries,

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General;¹
2. *Also takes note* that initial discussions have been held between the Secretary-General and the Board of Trustees of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research to explore the implications of the proposed consolidation of some United Nations entities dedicated to research, training and knowledge services, including the Institute, and in this regard requests the Secretary-General to submit to the General Assembly, within existing resources, a report on the ongoing consultations.

¹ E/2013/63.

