

especially financial and technical support, for more commonly defined human resources development activities.

*37th plenary meeting  
28 July 1989*

**1989/121. Target for World Food Programme pledges for the period 1991-1992**

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Noting* the comments of the Committee on Food Aid Policies and Programmes of the World Food Programme concerning the minimum target for voluntary contributions to the Programme for the period 1991-1992,<sup>103</sup>

*Recalling* General Assembly resolutions 2462 (XXIII) of 20 December 1968 and 2682 (XXV) of 11 December 1970, in which the Assembly recognized the experience gained by the World Food Programme in the field of multilateral food aid,

1. *Recommends* to the General Assembly the adoption of the draft resolution annexed to the present resolution;

2. *Urges* States Members of the United Nations and members and associate members of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations to undertake the necessary preparations for the announcement of pledges at the Fourteenth Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme.

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<sup>103</sup> See WFP/CFA: 27/15 (transmitted to the Economic and Social Council as document E/1989/107), paras. 80 and 81.

ANNEX

**Target for World Food Programme pledges for the period 1991-1992**

*The General Assembly,*

*Recalling* the provisions of its resolutions 2095 (XX) of 20 December 1965 to the effect that the World Food Programme is to be reviewed before each pledging conference,

*Recalling also* the provisions of paragraph 4 of its resolution 42/164 of 11 December 1987 stipulating that, subject to the review mentioned above, the next pledging conference, at which Governments and appropriate donor organizations should be invited to pledge contributions for 1991 and 1992, with a view to reaching such a target as may then be recommended by the General Assembly and by the Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, should be convened, at the latest, early in 1990,

*Noting* that the Programme was reviewed by the Committee on Food Aid Policies and Programmes of the World Food Programme at its twenty-seventh session and by the Economic and Social Council at its second regular session of 1989,

*Having considered* Economic and Social Council resolution 1989/121 of 28 July 1989 and the recommendation of the Committee on Food Aid Policies and Programmes,

*Recognizing* the value of and continuing need for multilateral food aid as provided by the World Food Programme, both as a form of capital investment and for meeting emergency food needs,

1. Establishes for the period 1991-1992 a target for voluntary contributions to the World Food Programme of \$1.5 billion, of which not less than one third should be in cash and/or services, and expresses the hope that those resources will be substantially augmented by additional contributions from other sources in view of the prospective volume of sound project requests and the capacity of the Programme to operate at a higher level;

2. *Urges* States Members of the United Nations and members and associate members of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations and appropriate donor organizations to make every effort to ensure that the target is fully attained;

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General, in co-operation with the Director-General of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, to convene a pledging conference for this purpose at United Nations Headquarters early in 1990.

DECISIONS

**1989/163. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters**

1. At its 17th plenary meeting, on 5 July 1989, the Economic and Social Council adopted the agenda of its second regular session of 1989<sup>104</sup> and approved the organization of work for the session.<sup>105</sup>

2. At its 21st plenary meeting, on 7 July 1989, the Council approved the requests made by non-governmental organizations to be heard by the Council at its second regular session of 1989.<sup>106</sup>

<sup>104</sup> E/1989/100, sect. I.

<sup>105</sup> E/1989/100, sect. III.

<sup>106</sup> See E/1989/124.

**1989/164. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees**

At its 17th plenary meeting, on 5 July 1989, the Economic and Social Council decided to transmit the report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees<sup>107</sup> to the General Assembly at its forty-fourth session.

**1989/165. Participation of intergovernmental organizations in the work of the Economic and Social Council**

At its 34th plenary meeting, on 24 July 1989, the Economic and Social Council, having considered the

<sup>107</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 12 (A/44/12).*