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GENERAL COMMITTEE

ALLOCATION OF AGENDA ITEMS TO COMMITTEES

(Memorandum by the Secretary-General)

In accordance with rules 103 and 109 of the Provisional Rules of Procedure, and upon the recommendation of the General Committee, the plenary meeting of the General Assembly will, immediately following the adoption of the agenda, refer appropriate items to Committees for study and report back to the plenary meeting.

The following suggested allocation of items to Committees is submitted by the Secretariat to the General Committee for its consideration in the drawing up of its recommendations on this subject to the plenary meeting.

FIRST COMMITTEE (POLITICAL AND SECURITY)

Admission of new Members to the United Nations (Provisional Agenda, Item 9).

Report of the Security Council (Provisional Agenda, Item 7).

Treatment of Indians in the Union of South Africa (Provisional Agenda, Item 31).

Application of Article 27 of the Charter dealing with the method of voting in the Security Council (Provisional Agenda, Item 32).

Calling of General Conference of Members of the United Nations under Article 109 of the Charter in order to eliminate the veto (Supplementary List, Item 1).

Calling of General Conference of Members of the United Nations under Article 109 of the Charter for the purpose of reviewing the present Charter (Supplementary List, Item 9).

The presence of troops of the United Nations on non-enemy territories (Supplementary List, Item 10).

Draft declaration on the rights and duties of states (in conjunction with the Sixth Committee) (Supplementary List, Second Part of Item 6).

SECOND COMMITTEE (ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL)

Report of the Secretary-General on action taken to implement the resolution on world shortage of cereals (Provisional Agenda, Item 21).

Report of the Committee on UNRRA (Provisional Agenda, First Part of Item 20).

Report from the Director General of UNRRA (Provisional Agenda, Second Part of Item 20).

Report of Economic and Social Council on the economic reconstruction of devastated areas (Provisional Agenda, Item 22). (Note: Section II of this report will be considered under Item 3 of the agenda of the Second Committee).

THIRD COMMITTEE (SOCIAL, HUMANITARIAN AND CULTURAL)

Report of the Economic and Social Council on the question of refugees and consideration of the constitution of the International Refugee Organization (Provisional Agenda, Item 23).

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council regarding the transfer of the welfare activities of UNRRA to the United Nations (Supplementary list, Item 12 (g)).

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council regarding the establishment of an International Children's Emergency Fund (Supplementary list, Item 12 (b)).

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council regarding the World Health Organization (Supplementary list, Item 12 (c)).

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council regarding national Red Cross Societies (Supplementary list, Item 12 (e)).

Report of the Economic and Social Council on the assumption of functions and powers previously exercised by the League of Nations under various international conventions on narcotic drugs (Provisional Agenda, Item 25). (In conjunction with the Sixth Committee).

Organization of an International Press Conference (Provisional Agenda, Item 30).

Draft declaration on fundamental human rights and freedoms (Supplementary list, first part of Item 6).

JOINT SECOND AND THIRD COMMITTEE

Report of the Economic and Social Council (Supplementary List, Item 12 (a)).

Relations between the United Nations and the specialized agencies (Supplementary list, Item 8).

Consideration and approval of agreements concluded with the specialized agencies (Provisional Agenda, Item 24). (In conjunction with the Sixth Committee).

Report of the Economic and Social Council and report of the Secretary-General on the transfer of other functions and activities of the League of Nations (Provisional Agenda, Item 26). (In conjunction with the Sixth Committee).

FOURTH COMMITTEE (TRUSTEESHIP)

Report of the Secretary-General on Trusteeship Agreements (Provisional Agenda, Item 12).

Statement by the Union of South Africa on the outcome of their consultations with the peoples of South West Africa as to the future status of the mandated territory and implementation to be given to the wishes thus expressed (Supplementary List, Item 2).

Report of the Secretary-General on information to be transmitted by Members concerning non-self-governing territories (Provisional Agenda, Item 14).

FIFTH COMMITTEE (ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY)

Consideration and approval of the first and second annual budgets of the Organization for the years 1946 and 1947 respectively (Provisional Agenda, Item 33).

Report of the Secretary-General on the organization and administration of the Secretariat (in conjunction with the Sixth Committee) (Provisional Agenda, Item 18(b)).

Report of the Secretary-General on budgetary and financial arrangements (Provisional Agenda, Item 18(a)).

Report of the Secretary-General on a system of simultaneous interpretation (Provisional Agenda, Item 18(d)).

Report of the Contributions Committee on a scale for the apportionment of expenses (Provisional Agenda, Item 19).

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council regarding the expenses of members of commissions of the Economic and Social Council (Supplementary List, Item 12(f)).

Resolution of the Economic and Social Council regarding the utilization of the property rights of the League of Nations in the International Institute of Intellectual Co-operation (Supplementary List, Item 12(d)).

Joint report of the Secretary-General and of the Negotiating Committee on the transfer to the United Nations of certain assets of the League of Nations (Provisional Agenda, Item 27(a)).

Amendment to the Provisional Rules of Procedure to change the date of the regular annual session of the General Assembly (Supplementary List, Item 11). (in conjunction with the Sixth Committee).

SIXTH COMMITTEE (LEGAL)

Report of the Secretary-General on changes in the Provisional Rules of Procedure required to give effect to decision taken regarding terms of office of members of councils (Provisional Agenda, Item 5).

Immunities and privileges for the judges and staff officials et alia of the International Court of Justice (Provisional Agenda, Item 28).

Regulations to give effect to Article 102 of the Charter regarding the registration of treaties (Provisional Agenda, Item 29).

Request of the Economic and Social Council to the General Assembly for authorization to the Council to request advisory opinions of the International Court of Justice. (Supplementary List, Item 12(b))

Report of the Secretary-General on the adoption of an official emblem by the United Nations. (Provisional Agenda, Item 18(e)).

Carrying out of the provisions of Article 13 of the Charter regarding the progressive development of international law and its codification. (Supplementary List, Item 3).

Interpretation of Articles 11 and 12 of the Statute of the International Court of Justice. (Supplementary List, Item 4).

Request for an advisory opinion from the International Court of Justice on the meaning of the word "meeting" in Articles 11 and 12 of the Statute of the Court. (Supplementary List, Item 5).

Joint report of the Secretary-General and the Negotiating Committee on the interim arrangements on privileges and immunities of the United Nations concluded with the Swiss Federal Council and on agreements concerning the Ariana site. (Provisional Agenda, Items 27(b) and (c)).

Joint report of the Secretary-General and the Committee on Negotiations with the competent authorities of the United States regarding the arrangements required as a result of the establishment of the seat in the United States of America. (Provisional Agenda, Item 16).

JOINT FIFTH AND SIXTH COMMITTEE

Report of the Secretary-General on recommendations concerning the administration of the International Court of Justice (Provisional Agenda, Item 18(c)).

Approval of agreement concerning the premises of the Peace Palace at the Hague (Provisional Agenda, Item 27(d)).

HEADQUARTERS COMMITTEE

Report of the Headquarters Commission and appointment of Planning Commission of Experts. (Provisional Agenda, Item 15).

GENERAL COMMITTEE

Measures to economize the time of the General Assembly. (Supplementary List, Item 7).

