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AD HOC COMMITTEE ON PROPOSED ECONOMIC COMMISSION
FOR LATIN AMERICA

RESOLUTION ADOPTED ON 15 JANUARY 1948 BY THE INTER-AMERICAN ECONOMIC
AND SOCIAL COUNCIL OF THE PAN AMERICAN UNION

THE INTER-AMERICAN ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

1. Resolves to support the immediate establishment of the proposed Economic Commission for Latin America, under the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations.
2. The Inter-American Economic and Social Council, in giving its support to the proposed immediate establishment of a Latin American Commission of the United Nations Economic and Social Council, authorizes the Inter-American Economic and Social Council, in agreement with the Governing Board of the Pan American Union, to collaborate with the ad hoc Committee on the Proposed Economic Commission for Latin America and in due course with the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations, in order to co-ordinate the work of that Committee with that of the Inter-American Economic and Social Council, the latter retaining its present independence and competence within the Inter-American System, and without prejudice to any decisions which may be taken by the Ninth International Conference of American States when it draws up the Constituent Pact of the Inter-American System (Pacto Constitutivo del Sistema Interamericano).

The Inter-American Economic and Social Council assumes that the expenses of the proposed Economic Commission for Latin America will be met from the general United Nations budget.
