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NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

LIST OF COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED FROM NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS
GRANTED CATEGORY (b) or (c) CONSULTATIVE STATUS

(Note: This list is submitted in accordance with paragraph 4,
Part IV, of the Report of the Committee on Arrangements for
Consultation with Non-Governmental Organizations adopted
by the Council, 21 June 1946 (E/43/Rev.2, 1 July 1946)

International Council of Women (Conseil international des Femmes)

In Resolutions adopted at the Philadelphia Conference, 5-12 September 1947, the Council protests against war, condemns crimes committed against humanity, particularly those against sexual morality, the settlement of international disputes by legal procedures, supports the proposed Convention on genocide; calls for maximum support among its members for the United Nations Appeal for Children, urges ratification of the Constitution of the International Refugee Organization; urges governments to admit non-repatriable displaced persons, that such persons be given United Nations passports, urges the adoption of Conventions, to apply in time of war, granting a precise international status to certain clauses of civilians such as those arrested for political offenses, providing conditions of normal life as far as possible for interned enemy aliens, providing protection for hospitals and for wounded civilians as much as for wounded soldiers, and for a central office for the reconstitution of dispersed families; supports the principles on which UNESCO is based, proclaims freedom of information necessary for true democracy, urges appointment of women to international organizations as full delegates and to international administrative posts, upholds the principle of equality of citizenship and rights of both sexes as well as equal treatment in the labour market, urges ratification of the conventions of 1904, 1910, 1921, 1933 on traffic in women and children and other measures against prostitution; endorses the objectives of the World Health Organization, urges ratification of its Constitution, urges WHO to consider programmes for children's health, maternal care, and the protection of the health of industrial workers, urges all nations to collaborate in controlling narcotics, suggests that the name of the Permanent Central Opium

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Board be changed to the Permanent Control Narcotics Board in view of the increasing use of other narcotics than opium, supports the proposal for a World Food Council to be set up by FAO as a means of eliminating hunger from the world, asserts that world agreement on food problems may be a most realistic approach to political agreement, expresses its grave concern over housing conditions and "asserts its firm determination to give the unconditional support of its constructive force and power to the solution of all human problems".
