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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON UNRRA (THE UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND PEHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION)

REPORT OF THE SECOND COMMITTEE Rapporteur: Mr. Ernesto SANJINES (Bolivia)

At its twenty-first plenary meeting on 1 February 1946 the General Assembly established a Committee: Linda de 194

"(a) to consult with States signatory to the UNRRA agreement which have not made or arranged to make the further contributions to UNRRA recommended in Council resolution number 80 of August 1945, and to urge upon them that they make such contributions with the least possible delay; "(b) to urge upon Members of the United Nations who are not signatories to the UNRRA agreement to join that organization and thereby to make their contributions to this great humanitarian

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task."

The General Assembly appointed as members of this Committee the representatives of the following countries: Canada, China, Dominican Republic, France, Greece, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, United Kingdom and the United States.

The General Assembly, at its forty-sixth plenary meeting on the 31 October 1946, decided to refer to the Second Committee for consideration the report of this Committee, which appeared as the first part of item 20 on the Agenda.

The Second Committee considered the report of the Committee on UNRRA (document A/94) at its twenty-sixth meeting on 5 December 1946.

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The representatives of many countries spoke during the meeting in praise of the work of UNRRA and in appreciation of the efforts of the Committee and, in particular, of its Chairman, the Honourable Sol Bloom. The representative of the United Kingdom moved a resolution, which was seconded by the representative of Canada and adopted unanimously by the Committee for submission to the General Assembly.

The Second Committee, accordingly, recommends the adoption by the General Assembly of the following resolution:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON UNRRA

The General Assembly, at its twenty-first plenary meeting on 1 February 1946, established a Committee to encourage support of UNRRA during the final stages of its work.

The General Assembly has now received a report on the work of the Committee and has noted with satisfaction the extent to which Member Governments have supported the activities of UNRRA and have thus contributed so substantially to the relief and rehabilitation of those countries which had been devastated by the war.

The General Assembly has learned from the report of the Committee that, although expected contributions have been realized in very large measure, a small proportion has not yet been made available, and that the Chairman of the Committee has been requested to draw the attention of the Governments concerned to the desirability of completing their contributions in order that UNRRA might receive the full amount required for the completion of its activities.

#### THEREFORE

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### THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Warmly thanks the Chairman and members of the Committee on

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for their efforts in fulfillment of the task entrusted to them and urges Member Governments concerned to consider sympathetically the communication from the Chairman of the Committee on UNRRA and to make available the balance of their expected contributions in order that UNRRA may have at its disposal for the completion of its task the full amount recommended by the UNRRA Council.