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OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES FOR DEVELOPMENT

Report of the Second Committee

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1. At its 1758th meeting, on 20 September 1969, the General Assembly allocated to the Second Committee agenda item 45 entitled:
"Operational activities for development:
(a) Activities of the United Nations Development Programme: reports of the Governing Council;
(b) Activities undertaken by the Secretary-General."
2. The Committee considered this item at its 1279th to 1282nd meetings, held on 13 and 14 November 1969. At the 1279th meeting, the Committee heard statements by Mr. Paul G. Hoffman, Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme, and by Mr. Victor Hoo, Commissioner for Technical Co-operation.^{1/}
3. The following documents were before the Committee:
A/7685 and - Notes by the Secretary-General
A/7704
Economic and Social Council resolution 1432 (XLVII) on procedures for implementation of new arrangements for regional and inter-regional projects under the Technical Assistance component of the United Nations Development Programme - which transmitted a draft resolution for adoption by the General Assembly

^{1/} See A/C.2/SR.1279.

Economic and Social Council resolution 1434 (XLVII) on programming and budgetary procedures for the United Nations regular programme of technical co-operation - which recommended to the General Assembly the adoption of certain programming and budgetary procedures for part V of the United Nations budget

A/C.2/L.1064 - Note by the Secretariat, which reproduced resolution 23 (III) of the Industrial Development Board of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization concerning financial questions relating to the regular programme of technical assistance of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization

E/4609 and
E/4706 - Reports of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme on its seventh and eighth sessions 2/

A/7603 - Report of the Economic and Social Council to the General Assembly (chapter X, sections A and B) 3/

4. At its 1282nd meeting, the Committee took note of the reports of the Governing Council on its seventh and eighth sessions (see paragraph 8 below, draft resolution I).

5. The Committee unanimously approved the draft resolution on procedures for implementation of new arrangements for regional and inter-regional projects under the Technical Assistance component of the United Nations Development Programme, which had been recommended by the Economic and Social Council in its resolution 1432 (XLVII) (see paragraph 8 below, draft resolution II).

6. At the same meeting, the Chairman orally proposed a draft resolution concerning programme and budgetary procedures for part V of the United Nations budget. The proposed resolution took into account certain of the procedures recommended by the Economic and Social Council in its resolution 1434 (XLVII) and the draft resolution which the Committee had approved at its 1275th meeting, under item 38, concerning the regular programme of technical assistance for industrial development.^{4/}

2/ Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Forty-seventh Session, document E/4609; and *ibid.*, document E/4706.

3/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 3 (A/7603).

4/ See A/7774, para. 9, draft resolution II.

7. The Committee approved the draft resolution proposed by the Chairman (see paragraph 8 below, draft resolution III).

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SECOND COMMITTEE

8. The Second Committee therefore recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft resolutions:

DRAFT RESOLUTION I

Reports of the Governing Council of the United Nations
Development Programme

The General Assembly

Takes note of the reports of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme on its seventh and eighth sessions.^{5/}

DRAFT RESOLUTION II

Procedures for implementation of new arrangements for
regional and inter-regional projects under the Technical
Assistance component of the United Nations Development
Programme

The General Assembly,

Having considered the report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme on its eighth session^{6/} and Economic and Social Council resolution 1432 (XLVII) of 25 July 1969 concerning the revised programming procedures for regional and inter-regional projects for the Technical Assistance component of the Programme,

Recalling its resolution 2279 (XXII) of 4 December 1967 concerning the new programming procedures for the Technical Assistance component of the Programme,

Approves the procedures recommended by the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme for regional and inter-regional projects under the Technical Assistance component of the Programme beginning with the year 1971.^{7/}

5/ Official Records of the Economic and Social Council. Forty-seventh Session, document E/4609; and ibid., document E/4706.

6/ Ibid., document E/4706.

7/ Ibid., para. 68.

DRAFT RESOLUTION III

Programming and budgetary procedures for the United Nations
regular programme of technical co-operation

The General Assembly,

Having considered chapter X, section B, of the report of the Economic and Social Council^{8/} dealing with the technical co-operation activities undertaken by the Secretary-General of the United Nations,

Having reviewed the notes by the Secretary-General on operational activities for development undertaken by him and on the United Nations Industrial Development Organization,^{9/}

Having noted resolution 1434 (XLVII) of 25 July 1969 of the Economic and Social Council recommending revised programming and budgetary procedures for the United Nations regular programme of technical co-operation,

Keeping in mind General Assembly resolution ____ (XXIV) on the regular programme of technical assistance for industrial development, which reaffirmed its resolution 2298 (XXII) of 12 December 1967 providing for programming and budgetary procedures for the regular programme of technical assistance in the field of industrial development,

Approves the application of the programming and budgetary procedures contained in Economic and Social Council resolution 1434 (XLVII) to the United Nations technical co-operation activities other than industrial development, which is provided for under part V (Technical programmes) of the United Nations budget.

^{8/} Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 3 (A/7603).

^{9/} A/7704 and A/7705.