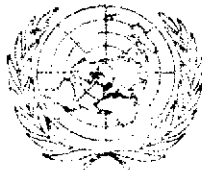


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Report of the Second Committee

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I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 4th plenary meeting, on 21 September 1979, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, included in its agenda the item entitled "United Nations Institute for Training and Research: report of the Executive Director" and allocated it to the Second Committee.
2. The Second Committee considered this item during its general debate at its 3rd to 18th meetings, from 1 to 15 October, and at its 21st and 24th meetings, on 25 and 29 October. An account of the discussion of the Committee is contained in the relevant summary records (A/C.2/34/SR.3-18, 21 and 24).
3. For its consideration of the item the Committee had before it the following documents:
 - (a) Report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research; 1/
 - (b) Letter dated 27 July 1979 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the text of the resolutions and Final Communiqué of the Tenth Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers held at Fez from 8 to 12 May 1979 (A/34/389 and Corr. 1).
4. At the 16th meeting, on 12 October, the Executive Director of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research made an introductory statement.

1/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 14 (A/34/14).

II. CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT RESOLUTION A/C.2/34/L.7

5. At the 21st meeting, on 25 October, the representative of Singapore, on behalf of Argentina, Austria, Canada, Chile, Ecuador, India, Italy, Kuwait, Norway, Panama, Portugal, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Sweden and Zambia, introduced a draft resolution (A/C.2/34/L.7) entitled "United Nations Institute for Training and Research". Subsequently, Egypt, the Gambia, the Ivory Coast, Sierre Leone and Venezuela joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

6. At the 24th meeting, on 29 October, the Committee adopted the draft resolution (see para. 7).

III. RECOMMENDATION OF THE SECOND COMMITTEE

7. The Second Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft resolution:

United Nations Institute for Training and Research

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 3201 (S-VI) and 3202 (S-VI) of 1 May 1974, containing the Declaration and the Programme of Action on the Establishment of a New International Economic order,

Recalling also its resolution 3281 (XXIX) of 12 December 1974, containing the Charter of Economic Rights and Duties of States,

Considering its resolution 3362 (S-VII) of 16 September 1975, which set in motion measures that form the basis and framework for the work of the competent bodies and organizations of the United Nations system,

Recalling further its resolution 33/20 of 29 November 1978 on the United Nations Institute for Training and Research,

Acknowledging the value of the research and "futures studies" undertaken by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research,

Recognizing the role of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research in assisting, through training and other services within its mandate, members of permanent missions to the United Nations and other national officials concerned with the work of the United Nations,

1. Notes with appreciation the report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research 2/ and the introductory statement made by the Executive Director; 3/

2. Welcomes the emphasis on and urges the continuation of the concentration of the work of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research in the sphere of economic and social training and research and the inclusion of specific projects on the problems in the areas identified by the General Assembly at its sixth and seventh special sessions and in the relevant decisions at its twenty-ninth session;

3. Calls upon Member States and organizations to provide greater and wider financial support to the United Nations Institute for Training and Research.

2/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Thirty-fourth Session, Supplement No. 14 (A/34/14).

3/ See A/C.2/34/SR.16.