

its fourth session¹⁰ and Economic and Social Council resolution 1250 (XLIII) of 26 July 1967 on the programming procedures for the Technical Assistance component of the United Nations Development Programme,

Recalling its resolutions 831 B (IX) of 26 November 1954 dealing with the country programming procedures of the Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance and 2029 (XX) of 22 November 1965 on the consolidation of the Special Fund and the Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance in a United Nations Development Programme,

Approves the procedures recommended by the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme for the preparation, approval and implementation of the projects of the Technical Assistance component of the Programme for 1969 and future years.

*1618th plenary meeting,
4 December 1967.*

2280 (XXII). Operational activities for development

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 2029 (XX) of 22 November 1965 on the consolidation of the Special Fund and the Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance in a United Nations Development Programme,

Recalling also its resolution 2093 (XX) of 20 December 1965, in which it fixed the target of \$200 million for the financial resources of the United Nations Development Programme,

Taking note of the reports of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme,¹¹

Having heard the statement that the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme made to the Second Committee on 30 October 1967,¹²

Recalling the Secretary-General's suggestion in the introduction to his annual report on the work of the Organization submitted to the General Assembly at its twenty-first session¹³ and in his statement to the United Nations Pledging Conference on the United Nations Development Programme on 9 October 1967¹⁴ regarding the annual resources of the Programme,

Noting with concern the increasing disproportion between the assistance needs of the developing countries and the resources available to the United Nations Development Programme,

1. *Appeals* to Member States to do everything possible to increase the resources of the United Nations Development Programme, bearing in mind the target suggested by the Secretary-General in the introduction to his annual report to the General Assembly at its twenty-first session;

2. *Requests* the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme to examine the means whereby the Programme could do more to stimulate and facilitate the financing of projects which have already

¹⁰ *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 6A (E/4398).

¹¹ *Ibid.*, Supplement No. 6 (E/4297) and Supplement No. 6A (E/4398).

¹² A/C.2/L.968 and Corr.1. For the summary of this statement, see *Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-second Session, Second Committee*, 1137th meeting, paras. 31-38.

¹³ See *Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-first Session, Supplement No. 1A* (A/6301/Add.1).

¹⁴ See A/CONF.36/SR.1.

been the recipients of the Programme pre-investment, and to report thereon to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council.

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4 December 1967.*

2281 (XXII). Report of the Enlarged Committee for Programme and Co-ordination

The General Assembly

1. *Takes note with appreciation* of the report of the Enlarged Committee for Programme and Co-ordination on its first session;¹⁵

2. *Requests* the members of the United Nations family of organizations to continue to extend their co-operation to the Enlarged Committee.

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4 December 1967.*

2290 (XXII). Review of the World Food Programme

The General Assembly,

Recalling that according to the provisions of its resolution 2095 (XX) of 20 December 1965 the World Food Programme would be reviewed before each pledging conference and that, subject to the review so provided for, the next pledging conference should be convened in 1967, at which time Governments would be invited to pledge contributions for 1969 and 1970, with a view to reaching such targets as might be recommended by the General Assembly and the Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations,

Noting that a review of the Programme was undertaken by the United Nations/FAO Intergovernmental Committee of the World Food Programme at its eleventh session and by the Economic and Social Council at its forty-third session,

Having considered Economic and Social Council resolution 1255 (XLIII) of 2 August 1967, as well as the recommendations contained in the report of the Intergovernmental Committee,¹⁶ and the report of the Executive Director of the World Food Programme,¹⁷

Recognizing the value of multilateral food aid both as a form of capital investment and for meeting food needs,

1. *Establishes* for the two years 1969 and 1970 a target for voluntary contributions of \$200 million, of which not less than one third should be in cash and services, and urges States Members of the United Nations and members and associate members of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations to make every effort to ensure the full attainment of the target;

2. *Requests* the Secretary-General, in co-operation with the Director-General of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, to convene a pledging conference at United Nations Headquarters early in 1968;

¹⁵ *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, Resumed Forty-third Session, Supplement No. 10* (E/4435).

¹⁶ *Ibid.*, Forty-third Session, Annexes, agenda items 2 and 13, document E/4378.

¹⁷ E/4332.

3. *Urges* Governments that have pledged contributions of commodities or services for the period 1966-1968 to make every possible effort to carry over and make available for the period 1969-1970 any portion of such pledges that may remain unused at the end of 1968, and to indicate their readiness to effect such carry-over when announcing pledges at the 1968 pledging conference;

4. *Decides* that the following pledging conference, subject to the review provided for in General Assembly resolution 2095 (XX), should be convened, at the latest, early in 1970, at which time Governments would be invited to pledge contributions for 1971 and 1972, with a view to reaching whatever target may be recommended by the General Assembly and the Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations.

*1623rd plenary meeting,
8 December 1967.*

2296 (XXII). Second session of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 2085 (XX) of 20 December 1965 on the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, 2206 (XXI) of 17 December 1966 on the second session of the Conference and 2209 (XXI) of 17 December 1966 on the implementation of the recommendations made by the Conference at its first session,

Taking note of Economic and Social Council resolutions 1266 (XLIII) of 3 August 1967 and 1282 (XLIII) of 1 November 1967,

Having considered the annual report of the Trade and Development Board for the period from 25 September 1966 to 9 September 1967,¹⁸

Noting with great interest the Charter of Algiers adopted by the ministerial meeting of the group of seventy-seven developing countries, submitted to the General Assembly at its twenty-second session,¹⁹ in particular part two entitled "Programme of action", regarded by the developing countries as the most urgent and immediate step to be taken by the Conference,

Expressing serious concern at the lack of progress in solving, in the light of the Final Act adopted by the Conference at its first session, substantive problems of international trade and development with which the Conference was faced and at the adverse economic trends, which have contributed to the continuing unsatisfactory economic situation of the developing countries.

Recognizing the urgent need for improving the economic situation of the developing countries through the adoption of appropriate measures on the part of both developed and developing countries, thus contributing to the elaboration of an international development strategy,

Recognizing further the need for the Conference at its second session to concentrate on fundamental and specific subjects with a view to achieving practical and concrete results by means of negotiation aimed at securing the greatest measure of agreement in order to solve

the urgent problems of international trade and development, in particular those of developing countries,

1. *Takes note with satisfaction* of the report of the Trade and Development Board for the period from 25 September 1966 to 9 September 1967 and, in particular, of the agreement reached at the fifth session of the Board on the various aspects of the preparatory work for the second session of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development;

2. *Invites* the Governments of the States members of the Conference to give serious consideration, in their preparations for the second session of the Conference, to the Charter of Algiers, in particular to part two entitled "Programme of action", bearing in mind that special measures are to be worked out for the less developed of the developing countries, as suggested in that Charter;

3. *Draws the attention* of the Conference to the statement made by the President of the Trade and Development Board at its fifth session,²⁰ which was commended by the spokesmen for the groups of member States as a valuable guide to the work of the Conference, in particular the following part:

"Our discussions have above all enabled us to clarify the objectives of the Conference. These have been defined with certain shades of meaning. I think, however, that a consensus has emerged on three basic objectives that can be stated thus:

"(a) To re-evaluate the economic situation and its implications for the implementation of the recommendations of the first session of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development;

"(b) To achieve, through appropriate forms of negotiation, specific results that ensure real progress in international co-operation for development;

"(c) To explore and investigate matters requiring more thorough study before agreements can be envisaged";

4. *Renews its appeal* to the Governments of the States members of the Conference to make the maximum efforts, both in their preparations for the second session and during the deliberations of the Conference, to ensure its success with a view to the fulfilment of its basic objectives;

5. *Decides* to consider at its twenty-third session, as a matter of high priority, the results of the second session of the Conference.

*1626th plenary meeting,
12 December 1967.*

2297 (XXII). International Trade Centre

The General Assembly,

Conscious of the particular needs of the developing countries for international assistance in promoting their exports,

Considering that several recommendations of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development at its first session call for international action to help the developing countries in marketing and promoting their exports, in particular the recommendations con-

¹⁸ Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-second Session, Supplement No. 14 (A/6714).

¹⁹ Ibid., Twenty-second Session, Annexes, agenda item 38, document A/C.2/237.

²⁰ Ibid., Twenty-second Session, Supplement No. 14 (A/6714) para. 31.