2320 (XXII). Outflow of trained personnel from developing countries

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 1824 (XVII) of 18 December 1962, 2090 (XX) of 20 December 1965 and 2259 (XXII) of 3 November 1967 on the role of the United Nations in training national technical personnel for the accelerated industrialization of the developing countries,

Recalling also Economic and Social Council resolution 1274 (XLIII) of 4 August 1967 on the development and utilization of human resources,

Noting with satisfaction that the Secretary-General intends to report on the studies undertaken within the United Nations system on the various aspects of the problem of the outflow of highly trained personnel from developing countries,

1. Invites the appropriate organs and bodies of the United Nations system to assist the developing countries, at their request, in adopting the necessary measures to identify and assess the obstacles in the way of the optimum employment and utilization of their technical and professional personnel;

2. Recommends that the United Nations, the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, the United Nations Development Programme and the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency intensify their support for the efforts of the Governments of the developing countries, at their request, to create national or regional institutions or to expand existing ones, including those where research would be carried out or professional personnel trained, in order that the acquired skills and experience may be placed at the service of their respective countries and regions;

3. Requests the Secretary-General to assemble and analyse the comments and information that have been received from Governments, specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency, the Advisory Committee on the Application of Science and Technology to Development and organs in the United Nations system pursuant to Economic and Social Council resolutions 1029 (XXXVII) of 13 August 1964 and 1274 (XLIII) of 4 August 1967 and General Assembly resolution 2090 (XX) and, when submitting the report, to highlight the advantages and disadvantages accruing to both the developed and the developing countries as a result of the tendency of trained personnel from the latter to remain in the industrialized countries or to leave their country after they have received their training;

4. Decides to keep the subject under constant review and to include in the provisional agenda of its twenty-third session a separate item on the outflow of trained professional and technical personnel at all levels from the developing to the developed countries, its causes, its consequences and practical remedies for the problems resulting from it.

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2321 (XXII). United Nations Capital Development Fund

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 2186 (XXI) of 13 December 1966 on the United Nations Capital Development Fund,

Considering that owing to the initial lack of financial resources it will not be possible in the first year to give full effect to that resolution,

Noting with interest the Secretary-General's suggestion that serious consideration should be given to the possibility of using, for the management of the new Fund, under some suitable arrangement, the experience and knowledge gained by the United Nations Development Programme,⁸⁷

1. Decides to adopt on a provisional basis the following measures in implementation of its resolution 2186 (XXI):

(a) The Secretary-General is invited to ask the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme to administer the United Nations Capital Development Fund by performing the functions of the Managing Director, as set forth in article IX of resolution 2186 (XXI);

(b) The Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme shall perform, as appropriate, the functions of the Executive Board of the United Nations Capital Development Fund, as set forth in article VIII of resolution 2186 (XXI);

(c) The United Nations Pledging Conference on the United Nations Capital Development Fund will be convened simultaneously with the annual Pledging Conference on the United Nations Development Programme;

2. Decides to review at its twenty-third session the institutional arrangements for the United Nations Capital Development Fund in the light of the experience gained during the first year of its operations.

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³⁷ See Official Records of the General Assembly, Twentysecond Session, Supplement No. 1A (A/6701/Add.1), para. 64.

Other decisions

United Nations Industrial Development Organization (Item 39)

At its 1592nd plenary meeting, on 25 October 1967, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Second Committee,³⁸ took note of chapter VI of

⁸⁸ Ibid., Twenty-second Session, Annexes, agenda item 39, document A/6874, para. 14.