

7. *Once again draws the attention* of the Security Council to the fact that the situation in South Africa constitutes a threat to international peace and security, that action under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations is essential in order to solve the problem of apartheid and that universally applied mandatory economic sanctions are the only means of achieving a peaceful solution;

8. *Invites* the Special Committee on the Policies of Apartheid of the Government of the Republic of South Africa to continue to take all steps to discharge its mandate more effectively and, to that end, authorizes it:

(a) To hold sessions away from Headquarters or to send a sub-committee on a mission to consult specialized agencies, regional organizations, States and non-governmental organizations on ways and means to promote the international campaign against apartheid and to investigate various aspects of the problem of apartheid;

(b) To continue and to increase co-operation with the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples with a view to the consideration of the activities of foreign economic interests in southern Africa which impede the efforts to eliminate apartheid, racial discrimination and colonialism in the region;

9. *Requests* the Secretary-General and the specialized agencies to consider appropriate assistance for the employment in their secretariats and programmes of qualified South Africans who are victims of apartheid;

10. *Invites* the specialized agencies, regional organizations, States and non-governmental organizations to co-operate with the Secretary-General and the Special Committee on the Policies of Apartheid of the Government of the Republic of South Africa in the accomplishment of their tasks under the present resolution.

*1496th plenary meeting,
16 December 1966.*

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The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 2054 B (XX) of 15 December 1965 establishing the United Nations Trust Fund for South Africa,

Taking note of the report of the Secretary-General,⁴ to which is annexed the report of the Committee of Trustees of the United Nations Trust Fund for South Africa,

1. *Commends* the Secretary-General and the Committee of Trustees of the United Nations Trust Fund for South Africa for their efforts to promote the Fund;

2. *Expresses its appreciation* to the Governments, organizations and individuals that have contributed to the Fund;

3. *Renews its appeal* to Governments, organizations and individuals to contribute generously to the Fund.

*1496th plenary meeting,
16 December 1966.*

⁴ *Official Records of the General Assembly, Twenty-first Session, Annexes, agenda item 34, document A/6494.*

2213 (XXI). Effects of atomic radiation

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 913 (X) of 3 December 1955, which established the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation, and its subsequent resolutions reaffirming the desirability of the Committee continuing its work,

Concerned about the potentially harmful effects to present and future generations resulting from the levels of radiation to which man is exposed,

Conscious of the continued need for compiling information about atomic radiation and for analysing its effects on man and his environment,

1. *Notes with appreciation* the report adopted by the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation at its sixteenth session;⁵

2. *Commends* the Scientific Committee for the valuable contributions it has made since its inception to the wider knowledge and understanding of the effects and levels of atomic radiation;

3. *Requests* the Scientific Committee to continue its programme, including its co-ordinating activities, to increase the knowledge of the levels and effects of atomic radiation from all sources;

4. *Notes* the intention of the Scientific Committee to hold its next session in 1967 and to report further to the General Assembly;

5. *Commends* the World Meteorological Organization for its work in carrying forward the scheme for monitoring and reporting levels of atmospheric radioactivity;

6. *Expresses its appreciation* for the assistance rendered to the Scientific Committee by the specialized agencies of the United Nations, the International Atomic Energy Agency and the non-governmental organizations concerned;

7. *Recommends* that all the parties concerned should continue their co-operation with the Scientific Committee;

8. *Requests* the Secretary-General to continue to provide the Scientific Committee with the assistance necessary for the conduct of its work and the dissemination of its findings to the public.

*1497th plenary meeting,
17 December 1966.*

2220 (XXI). Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects

The General Assembly

1. *Decides* to refer the report of the Special Political Committee on the comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects⁶ to the General Assembly at its fifth special session, to be held not later than 30 April 1967;

2. *Requests* the Special Committee on Peace-keeping Operations to continue the review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations and to report to the General Assembly at its fifth special session.

*1499th plenary meeting,
19 December 1966.*

⁵ *Ibid.*, Twenty-first Session, Supplement No. 14 (A/6314 and Corr.1).

⁶ *Ibid.*, Twenty-first Session, Annexes, agenda item 33, document A/6603.