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TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES

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## CHAPTER XI

### GIBRALTAR\*

#### I. ACTION PREVIOUSLY TAKEN BY THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

1. Following its consideration of Gibraltar at its meetings in 1964, the Special Committee, on 16 October 1964, adopted a consensus as contained in its report to the General Assembly at its nineteenth session.<sup>1/</sup> At its meetings in 1965, the Special Committee included relevant information on the Territory in its report to the General Assembly at its twentieth session.<sup>2/</sup>
2. On 16 December 1965, the General Assembly adopted resolution 2070 (XX) which, in its operative paragraphs, reads as follows:

- "1. Invites the Governments of Spain and of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to begin without delay the talks envisaged under the terms of the consensus adopted on 16 October 1964 by the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples;
- "2. Requests the two Governments to inform the Special Committee and the General Assembly at its twenty-first session of the outcome of their negotiations."

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<sup>1/</sup> Official Records of the General Assembly, Nineteenth Session, annex No. 8 (A/5800/Rev.1), chapter X.

<sup>2/</sup> A/6000/Add.7, chapter XI.