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ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE

Report of the Third Committee

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1. The General Assembly, at its 1843rd plenary meeting, on 18 September 1970, allocated to the Third Committee agenda item 54 entitled:
"Elimination of all forms of religious intolerance:
(a) Draft Declaration on the Elimination of All Forms of Religious Intolerance;
(b) Draft International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Intolerance and of Discrimination Based on Religion or Belief."
2. The Committee had before it a note by the Secretary-General (A/7930) referring to the decisions taken by the General Assembly at its previous session regarding the draft Declaration on the Elimination of All Forms of Religious Intolerance and the draft International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Intolerance and of Discrimination Based on Religion or Belief.

RECOMMENDATION OF THE THIRD COMMITTEE

3. At its 1820th meeting, on 11 December 1970, the Committee decided, owing to lack of time at the current session, to recommend to the General Assembly that the consideration of the item entitled "Elimination of all forms of religious intolerance" should be deferred to the twenty-sixth session.
