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DRAFT RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE SITUATION
OF THE JEWISH CHILDREN IN THE ASSEMBLY CAMPS
OF CYPRUS AND OF EUROPE, SUBMITTED BY THE
REPRESENTATIVE OF URUGUAY

Without examining the substance of the matter, and as an emergency measure which by reason of its obviously serious nature, the Committee sets apart from the problem under its consideration, and

In an endeavour to avoid the terrible physical and moral injury so often irreparable, which now besets thousands of Jewish children who have survived the Nazi persecution, and many of which are orphans deprived of the most elementary care human beings should receive,

THE COMMITTEE DECLARES:

1) That free entry into Palestine be forthwith permitted to the Jewish children at present in the assembly camps of the Island of Cyprus, in the displaced persons' camps of Europe, and on the boat or boats of Jewish immigrants detained in the Mediterranean;

2) That similarly entry be permitted to the parents of the said children, if necessary, on issue of provisional certificates pending final settlement of the problem;

3) That these children and their parents, if any, should be placed under the guardianship of the Zionist Organization described as a public body in Article IV et seq. of the text of the Mandate for Palestine.

RECEIVED THE COMMITTEE LIKEWISE RESOLVES:

That this Declaration be forthwith communicated to the Secretary-General of the United Nations in order that it may be transmitted to the Government of the Mandatory Power for Palestine for consideration.