RESOLUTION ON TECHNICAL TRAINING AND USE OF EXPERT ASSISTANCE

Resolution of 10 June (Document E/CN.11/111)

THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST

RECALLING its request to the Executive Secretary to enter into negotiations with Specialized Agencies with a view to the establishment of an office or other suitable machinery for carrying out a programme for the promotion of technical training facilities within the region, the exchange of trainees both within and without the region, and the use of expert assistance by Governments;

NOTING the interest expressed by Governments in the region in response to enquiries of the Executive Secretary in securing and providing opportunities for training;

NOTING with interest the decisions of the Governing Body of the ILO at its 104th Session to undertake at the request of the Economic Commission for Europe a practical programme in manpower problems, including technical training which it is intended to extend to other regions; and bearing in mind the competence and long experience of the ILO in these fields;

NOTING the activities of UNESCO and other agencies with regard to exchange of persons and administration of fellowships;

NOTING further the close relation between technical training, working conditions and social welfare,

RESOLVES

- 1. that the efforts of the Executive Secretary in close collaboration with the Specialized Agencies concerned be renewed and expedited in order that machinery be established to carry out the programme in Resolution E/CN.11/70;
- 2. pending formal agreement on the machinery to which paragraph (1) refers, the Secretariat create a working section to:
 - (a) actively pursue its efforts to secure opportunities for technical training and the use of expert assistance within countries of the region and abroad.
 - (b) continue to disseminate information to Member and Associate Member Governments and, in particular, issue as quickly as possible a summary of information collected so far;
 - (c) recommend to them that they encourage trainees to take advantage of exchange opportunities; and
 - (d) give due attention to those conditions of work and social