
SOCIAL COMMITTEE

RELATIONS WITH INTERNATIONAL PENAL AND
PENITENTIARY COMMISSION

New Zealand: Draft Resolution

THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL,
HAVING APPROVED in its Resolution No. 43 (IV) of 29 March 1947
the action of the Social Commission in not giving effect to the Council's
request that the Commission should consult with the International Penal
and Penitentiary Commission, so long as that Commission has not severed
its relations with the Franco Government;

TAKING NOTE of the statement in the Report of the Social Commission's
Second Session (E/578, page 24) and the legal opinion advanced by the
Secretary-General that the Spanish Government is not now a member of the
IPPC (E/AC.7/66);

REQUESTS the Social Commission to undertake consultations with the
IPPC providing that the Franco Government is not readmitted to membership
of the Commission;

DRAWS the attention of the Social Commission to the Secretary-General's
recommendation that to acquire effective control of admissions and of the
right to expel members the IPPC should give consideration to the question
of revising its constitutional regulations;

REQUESTS the Social Commission to report to the Council at its
Seventh Session on the result of these consultations and on how
international activities in the field of prevention of crime and the
treatment of offenders can best be carried out; and

AUTHORIZES the Secretary-General to make any preliminary administrative
arrangements which may be necessary.

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