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**MEASURES TO OBTAIN VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE
GENERAL FUND INCLUDING THE CALLING OF A PLEDGING CONFERENCE**

Report of the Special Committee on Pledges of Voluntary
Contributions to the General Fund

Brazil, Canada, Japan, Norway, the United Arab Republic,
the United States of America: Joint draft resolution

**FINANCING OF THE OPERATIONAL PART OF THE AGENCY'S
BUDGET FOR 1959**

The General Conference,

Recalling its resolution of 26 September 1958 whereby it established and convened a special committee of the whole conference at which pledges of voluntary financial contributions to meet the expenses of the operational part of the Agency's budget for 1959 would be announced,

1. Takes note of the report of the special committee on pledges of voluntary contributions to the General Fund;
2. Expresses its appreciation to the Member States which pledged such contributions;
3. Takes note of the fact that in certain cases these pledges are subject to the approval of the legislative authorities of the Member States concerned;
4. Takes note with appreciation of the statements of other Member States that they contemplate submitting statements of the amounts of their contributions to the General Fund after the end of the second regular session of the General Conference; and
5. Requests the Director General to communicate to all Member States the additional amounts of the contributions notified to him after the end of the second regular session.

