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THE AGENCY'S PROGRAPTE, BUDGET AND JORKING CAPITAL FUND FOR 1960

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PREPARATION BY THE AGENCY OF MANUALS AND CODES OF PRACTICE ON HEADTH AND SAFETY

The General Conference,

- (a) Recognizing the primary importance of effective health and safety measures in the peaceful application of nuclear energy and radioactive materials; and
- (b) <u>Believing</u> that the Agency can play a leading role in promoting the adoption of such measures throughout the world;
- 1. Welcomes the publication of the Agency's manual on Safe Handling of Radioisotopes; $\frac{1}{2}$
- 2. <u>Commends</u> the manual to Member States as a basis for their domestic arrangements for the safe handling of radioactive isotopes;
- Requests the Director General similarly to prepare, in consultation with Member States and appropriate international organizations, manuals and codes of practice for other aspects of health and safety in the peaceful application of nuclear energy and radioactive materials; and
- 4. Requests the Director General to continue his efforts to promote research directed to this end.

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