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THE AGENCY'S RELATIONS WITH INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

Recommendation by the Board of Governors

1. The Agency has co-operation agreements with two intergovernmental organizations [1] which provide for their representatives to attend sessions of the General Conference. There are also other intergovernmental organizations whose main aim is the development of the peaceful uses of nuclear energy or research into the nuclear sciences, whose work on certain technical problems touches that of the Agency, the representation of which at the regular session of the General Conference in 1963 may be in the Agency's interest. In this connection the General Conference will recall that at previous sessions it has authorized the Board of Governors to invite particular intergovernmental organizations to be represented by observers at its subsequent regular session.[2]

2. In the Board's opinion it would be desirable for the General Conference again to follow the same course and to authorize the Board to extend invitations to particular intergovernmental organizations to be represented at the seventh regular session. The Board accordingly recommends the following draft resolution for adoption.

REPRESENTATION OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS AT THE SEVENTH REGULAR SESSION

The General Conference,

(a) <u>Taking into account Rule 32(a)</u> of its Rules of Procedure [1] which provides for the attendance at its sessions of representatives of intergovernmental organizations with which appropriate relationships have been established under Article XVI of the Statute, and

(b) <u>Considering</u> the fact that before its seventh regular session such relationships will not have been established with all organizations, the attendance of representatives of which may be in the interest of the Agency.

<u>Authorizes</u> the Board of Governors to invite intergovernmental organizations other than those with which the Agency has established relationship under Article XVI of the Statute, engaged in the peaceful uses of atomic energy in accordance with the objectives of the Agency as stipulated in its Statute, to be represented by observers at the seventh regular session of the General Conference.

[1] GC(V)/INF/35.

- [1] The European Nuclear Energy Agency and the Inter-American Nuclear Energy Commission. For the texts of the agreements, see document INFCIRC/25.
- [2] See, for example, resolution GC(V)/RES/94.