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## ELECTION OF MEMBERS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

## Report of the General Committee

1. Rule 86 of the Rules of Procedure requires the General Committee to determine the number of elective places on the Board of Governors which must be filled by the General Conference so as to ensure compliance with the provisions of Article VI.A.3 of the Statute. The Committee accordingly notifies the Conference that it has determined that five Members must be elected to the Board during the present session. In this connection, the Committee invites attention to the last provision in the Article, which stipulates that

".... no member in the category \( \sigma \) of members elected to the Board by the General Conference \( \sigma \) in any one term of office shall be eligible for re-election in the same category for the following term of office. "2/

2. Rule 86 further requires the General Committee to specify the geographical areas in respect of which a Member or Members must be elected so as to ensure that after the end of the session the Board shall include three Members each elected by the Conference from the areas of Latin American and of Africa and the Middle East, and one Member from each of the remaining areas, except North America, specified in Rule 83. In compliance with this provision, the Committee hereby specifies that elections are required at the current session in respect of three geographical areas, as follows:

2 Members from Latin America,

1 Member from Africa and the Middle East, and

1 Member from South East Asia and the Pacific

 $<sup>\</sup>underline{1}$ / GC(VII)/INF/60.

The Members to which this provision at present applies are Brazil, the Federal Republic of Germany, Indonesia, Lebanon and Mexico - see document GC(X)/RESOLUTIONS, Other Decisions, decision number GC(X)/DEC/9, and Article VI.D of the Statute.

The remaining Member may be elected from any geographical area in so far as its election is not precluded by the provisions of Article VI of the Statute.

3. In view of the provision in Rule 83 that the Conference shall conduct the elections with due regard to equitable representation on the Board as a whole of the Members in the geographical areas specified in that Rule, it may wish to have before it the following list of Members that have already been elected by the Conference or designated by the Board to serve on the Board after the end of the present session:

Algeria Madagascar

Australia Peru

Belgium Philippines

Brazil Poland

Bulgaria South Africa

Canada Turkey

Ceylon . Union of Soviet Socialist

Finland Republics

France United Kingdom of Great Britain and

Northern Ireland

India United States of America

Japan

<sup>3/</sup> See document GC(XI)/RESOLUTIONS, Other Decisions, decision number GC(XI)/DEC/8.

<sup>4/</sup> GC(XII)/379.