Fifteenth regular session
Agenda item 18
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THE AGENCY'S RELATIONS WITH INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

Report of the Administrative and Legal Committee

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1. At its fifty-ninth meeting on 23 September 1971, the Committee considered item 18 of the agenda – The Agency's relations with intergovernmental organizations.

2. The Committee had before it:

(a) A draft resolution concerning a co-operation agreement between the Agency and the League of Arab States1/; and

(b) A draft resolution on the representation of intergovernmental organization at the sixteenth (1972) regular session of the General Conference2/.

3. The Committee unanimously recommended these resolutions, the texts of which are set out below, for adoption by the Conference.

A.

CO-OPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE AGENCY AND THE LEAGUE OF ARAB STATES

The General Conference

Approves the draft agreement providing for co-operation between the Agency and League of Arab States set out in document GC(XV)/452, Annex.

1/ GC(XV)/452.
2/ GC(XV)/461.

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B.

REPRESENTATION OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS AT THE SIXTEENTH (1972) REGULAR SESSION

The General Conference,

(a) Taking into account Rule 32(a) of the Rules of Procedure*, 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) Considering the fact that before its sixteenth regular session in 1972 such relationships will not have been established with all organizations the attendance of representatives of which may be in the interest of the Agency,

Authorizes the Board of Governors to invite intergovernmental organizations, other than those with which the Agency has established relationships 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 the Statute, to be represented by observers at the sixteenth regular session of the Conference in 1972.

* GC(VII)/INF/60