The General Conference

Sixteenth regular session

Agenda item 16
(GC(XVI)/490)

The Agency's relations with intergovernmental organizations

Report of the Administrative and Legal Committee

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1. On 27 September, at its sixty-first meeting, the Committee considered item 16 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 Agency for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America1; and

   (b) A draft resolution on the representation of intergovernmental organizations at regular sessions of the General Conference2.

3. The Committee 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 Agency for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America

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Approves the draft agreement providing for co-operation between the Agency and the Agency for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America set out in document GC(XVI)/481, Annex.

1/ GC(XVI)/481.
2/ GC(XVI)/482.
B.

REPRESENTATION OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS AT REGULAR SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL CONFERENCE

The General Conference,

(a) Considering it to be in the Agency's interest to provide, as it has in the past, for the representation at the Conference's regular sessions of certain categories of intergovernmental organizations,

(b) Taking into account the fact that not all the organizations in question have co-operation agreements with the Agency entitling them to be so represented,

Requests the Board of Governors to invite those intergovernmental organizations that do not have co-operation agreements with the Agency but are concerned with developing uses of nuclear energy for peaceful purposes or with research in the nuclear sciences, which it may from year to year decide it would be in the Agency's interest to invite, to be represented by observers at regular sessions of the General Conference.

\[2/\] See, for example, Resolution GC(XVI)/RES/277.