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ISRAELI NUCLEAR CAPABILITIES AND THREAT

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The General Conference,

- (a) <u>Recognizing</u> the urgent need to prevent proliferation of nuclear weapons and a nuclear arms race in the area of the Middle East,
- (b) <u>Gravely concerned</u> about Israel's growing nuclear capability and threat to peace and security in the area,
- (c) <u>Expressing deep concern</u> about the continuous co-operation between Israel and South Africa in the nuclear field,
- (d) <u>Recalling</u> Security Council resolution 487/1981, which, <u>inter alia</u>, requested Israel to submit all its nuclear installations to the Agency's safeguards system and to refrain from attacking or threatening to attack nuclear installations,
- (e) <u>Deprecating</u> the continuous refusal by Israel to place all its nuclear installations under the Agency's safeguards, and
- (f) <u>Noting</u> the technical study prepared by the Director General on "Modalities of application of Agency safeguards in the Middle East",

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- 1. <u>Calls once again upon</u> Israel to comply without delay with Security Council resolution 487/1981 by submitting all its nuclear installations to Agency safeguards;
- 2. Requests the Director General to consult with the States concerned in the Middle East area with a view to applying Agency safeguards to all nuclear installations in the area, keeping in mind the relevant recommendations contained in paragraph 75 of the report attached to document GC(XXXIII)/887 and the situation in the area of the Middle East, and to report on the matter to the Board of Governors and to the General Conference at its thirty-fourth regular session;
- 3. <u>Requests</u> the Director General to inform the Secretary-General of the United Nations of this resolution; and
- 4. <u>Decides</u> to include in the agenda for its thirty-fourth regular session an item entitled "Israeli nuclear capabilities and threat".