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Applications for Membership of the Agency

Application by the Kingdom of Tonga

Resolution adopted on 19 September 2011 during the first plenary meeting

The General Conference.

- (a) Having received the recommendation of the Board of Governors that the Kingdom of Tonga should be approved for membership of the Agency,¹ and
 - (b) Having considered the application of the Kingdom of Tonga for membership in the light of Article IV.B of the Statute,
1. Approves the Kingdom of Tonga for membership of the Agency; and
 2. Determines, pursuant to Financial Regulation 5.09², that in the event of the Kingdom of Tonga becoming a Member of the Agency during the remainder of 2011 or in 2012, it shall be assessed as appropriate:
 - (a) For an advance or advances to the Working Capital Fund, in accordance with Financial Regulation 7.04³; and
 - (b) For a contribution or contributions towards the Agency's Regular Budget, in accordance with the principles and arrangements the Conference has established for the assessment of Members for such contributions.⁴

¹ GC(55)/13, para 3

² INFCIRC/8/Rev.2

³ INFCIRC/8/Rev.2

⁴ Resolutions GC(III)RES/50, GC(XXI)RES/351, GC (39)RES/11, GC(44)/RES/9 and GC(47)/RES/5.