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AGENDA OF THE EIGHTEENTH REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Adopted by the General Assembly at its 1210th plenary meeting,  
on 20 September 1963

1. Opening of the session by the Chairman of the delegation of Pakistan.
2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation.
3. Credentials of representatives to the eighteenth session of the General Assembly:
  - (a) Appointment of the Credentials Committee;
  - (b) Report of the Credentials Committee.
4. Election of the President.
5. Constitution of the Main Committees and election of officers.
6. Election of Vice-Presidents.
7. Notification by the Secretary-General under Article 12, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations.
8. Adoption of the agenda.
9. General debate.
10. Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization.
11. Report of the Security Council.
12. Report of the Economic and Social Council.
13. Report of the Trusteeship Council.
14. Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency.
15. Election of five members of the International Court of Justice.
16. Election of three non-permanent members of the Security Council.
17. Election of six members of the Economic and Social Council.
18. Election of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.
19. United Nations Emergency Force:
  - (a) Report on the Force;
  - (b) Cost estimates for the maintenance of the Force.
20. Agreement between the Republic of Indonesia and the Kingdom of the Netherlands concerning West New Guinea (West Irian): report of the Secretary-General.

21. Report of the Committee on arrangements for a conference for the purpose of reviewing the Charter.
22. Third International Conference on the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy: report of the Secretary-General.
23. Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.
24. Report of the Preparatory Committee on the International Co-operation Year.
25. Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Improvement of the Methods of Work of the General Assembly.
26. Question of general and complete disarmament: report of the conference of the Eighteen-Nation Committee on Disarmament.
27. Question of convening a conference for the purpose of signing a convention on the prohibition of the use of nuclear and thermo-nuclear weapons: report of the Secretary-General.
28. International co-operation in the peaceful uses of outer space: report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space.
29. The Korean question: report of the United Nations Commission for the Unification and Rehabilitation of Korea.
30. The policies of apartheid of the Government of the Republic of South Africa: reports of the Special Committee on the Policies of apartheid of the Government of the Republic of South Africa and replies by Member States under General Assembly resolution 1761 (XVII).
31. Effects of atomic radiation :
  - (a) Report of the United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation;
  - (b) Report of the World Meteorological Organization.
32. Report of the Commissioner-General of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East.

33. Economic development of under-developed countries:
- (a) Planning for economic development: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (b) Activities of the United Nations in the field of industrial development: report of the Economic and Social Council;
  - (c) Decentralization of the economic and social activities of the United Nations and strengthening of the regional economic commissions;
  - (d) Accelerated flow of capital and technical assistance to the developing countries: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (e) Establishment of a United Nations capital development fund: report of the Committee on a United Nations Capital Development Fund and comments thereon by the Economic and Social Council.
34. Conversion to peaceful needs of the resources released by disarmament: report of the Secretary-General.
35. United Nations training and research institute: report of the Secretary-General.
36. Progress and operations of the Special Fund.
37. United Nations programmes of technical co-operation:
- (a) Review of activities;
  - (b) Confirmation of the allocation of funds under the Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance;
  - (c) Technical assistance to Burundi and Rwanda: report of the Secretary-General.
38. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.
39. Co-operation for the eradication of illiteracy throughout the world: report of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

40. Draft Recommendation on Consent to Marriage, Minimum Age for Marriage and Registration of Marriages: report of the Economic and Social Council.
41. Measures to accelerate the promotion of respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms: report of the Economic and Social Council.
42. Manifestations of racial prejudice and national and religious intolerance: report of the Secretary-General.
43. Draft Declaration on the Elimination of all Forms of Racial Discrimination.
44. Draft Declaration on the Elimination of all Forms of Religious Intolerance.
45. Draft Declaration on the Right of Asylum.
46. Freedom of information :
  - (a) Draft Convention on Freedom of Information;
  - (b) Draft Declaration on Freedom of Information.
47. Measures designed to promote among youth the ideals of peace, mutual respect and understanding between peoples.
48. Draft International Covenants on Human Rights.
49. Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations: reports of the Secretary-General and of the Committee on Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories;
  - (a) Political and constitutional information;
  - (b) Information on educational, economic and social advancement;
  - (c) General questions relating to the transmission and examination of information.
50. Dissemination of information in the Non-Self-Governing Territories on the Declaration on the granting of independence to colonial countries and peoples: report of the Secretary-General.
51. Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Secretary-General.
52. Question of the continuation of the Committee on Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories.

53. Election, if required, to fill vacancies in the membership of the Committee on Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories.
54. Special training programme for Territories under Portuguese administration: report of the Secretary-General.
55. Question of South West Africa:
  - (a) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples;
  - (b) Special educational and training programmes for South West Africa: report of the Secretary-General.
56. Financial reports and accounts for the financial year ended 31 December 1962, and reports of the Board of Auditors:
  - (a) United Nations;
  - (b) United Nations Children's Fund;
  - (c) United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East;
  - (d) Voluntary funds administered by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.
57. Supplementary estimates for the financial year 1963.
58. Budget estimates for the financial year 1964.
59. United Nations Operation in the Congo: cost estimates.
60. Review of the pattern of conferences: report of the Secretary-General.
61. Appointments to fill vacancies in the membership of subsidiary bodies of the General Assembly:
  - (a) Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;
  - (b) Committee on Contributions;
  - (c) Board of Auditors;
  - (d) United Nations Administrative Tribunal;
  - (e) United Nations Staff Pension Committee.
62. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations: report of the Committee on Contributions.

63. Audit reports relating to expenditure by specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy:
- (a) Earmarkings and contingency allocations from the Special Account of the Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance;
  - (b) Earmarkings and allotments from the Special Fund.
64. Administrative and budgetary co-ordination of the United Nations with the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency:
- (a) Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;
  - (b) Inter-organizational machinery for matters of pay and personnel administration: report of the Secretary-General.
65. Administrative and budgetary procedures of the United Nations:
- (a) Report of the Secretary-General on administrative and financial procedures to be followed by the General Assembly at the time peace-keeping operations are authorized;
  - (b) Report of the Secretary-General on his consultations concerning the desirability and feasibility of establishing a peace fund.
66. Personnel questions:
- (a) Geographical distribution of the staff of the Secretariat: report of the Secretary-General;
  - (b) Proportion of fixed-term staff;
  - (c) Other personnel questions.
67. Report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board.
68. United Nations International School: report of the Secretary-General.
69. Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its fifteenth session.
70. Question of extended participation in general multilateral treaties concluded under the auspices of the League of Nations.

71. Consideration of principles of international law concerning friendly relations and co-operation among States in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations.
72. Technical assistance to promote the teaching, study, dissemination and wider appreciation of international law: report of the Secretary-General with a view to the strengthening of the practical application of international law.
73. Urgent need for suspension of nuclear and thermo-nuclear tests.
74. Denuclearization of Latin America.
75. Question of Southern Rhodesia.
76. Means of promoting agrarian reform.
77. The violation of human rights in South Viet-Nam.
78. Question of Oman.
79. Designation of 1968 as International Year for Human Rights.
80. Restoration of the lawful rights of the People's Republic of China in the United Nations.
81. Question of the composition of the General Committee of the General Assembly.
82. Question of equitable representation on the Security Council and the Economic and Social Council.

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