

1. *Endorses* the creation of a United Nations Fiftieth Anniversary Coin Programme and the offer of the Royal Mint of the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to manage that Programme;

2. *Requests* the secretariat of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations to make the necessary arrangements with the Royal Mint to implement the Coin Programme on a timely basis;

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General to write to all States advising them of the Coin Programme and inviting them to participate by issuing a commemorative coin honouring the fiftieth anniversary.

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#### 49/12. Work of the Preparatory Committee for the Fiftieth Anniversary of the United Nations

*The General Assembly,*

*Having considered* the report of the Preparatory Committee for the Fiftieth Anniversary of the United Nations,<sup>22</sup>

1. *Approves* the report of the Preparatory Committee and notes its work in 1994, including the progress of work reported in the open-ended drafting group of the Committee;

2. *Looks forward* to receiving, before the end of 1994, the report of the Secretary-General on the responses received in regard to the special commemorative meeting to be held in October 1995, in order to enable it to recommend a precise timetable and agenda for that meeting;

3. *Expresses its appreciation* to the secretariat of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations for its efforts to make this a global commemoration, involving, *inter alia*, national committees, non-governmental organizations and the United Nations system and staff;

4. *Welcomes* the commemorative programme being formulated by the secretariat, and requests that emphasis continue to be placed on the development of programmes addressing the general public, in particular youth and children;

5. *Welcomes also* the continuation of the work of the Preparatory Committee on the draft declaration for the fiftieth anniversary;

6. *Decides* that the Preparatory Committee should continue its work and report thereon to the General Assembly at its fiftieth session, and/or during the forty-ninth session, as required.

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#### 49/13. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe

*The General Assembly,*

*Recalling* its resolution 48/19 of 16 November 1993, and the framework for cooperation and coordination between the United Nations Secretariat and the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe, signed on 26 May 1993,<sup>23</sup>

*Recalling* its resolution 48/5 of 13 October 1993 on observer status for the Conference in the General Assembly,

*Having examined* the report of the Secretary-General of 17 October 1994 on cooperation between the United Nations and the Conference,<sup>24</sup>

*Recalling also* the declaration at the 1992 Helsinki summit by the heads of State or Government of the participating States of the Conference of their understanding that the Conference is a regional arrangement in the sense of Chapter VIII of the Charter of the United Nations, and as such provides an important link between European and global security,<sup>25</sup>

*Recalling further* the documents of the Conference, in particular the Final Act signed at Helsinki on 1 August 1975, the Charter of Paris for a New Europe,<sup>26</sup> the Prague Document on Further Development of the Institutions and Structures of the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe,<sup>27</sup> the Vienna Document 1992 on Confidence- and Security-building Measures, the Helsinki Document 1992<sup>28</sup> and the Summary of Conclusions of the fourth meeting of the Council of the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe, held at Rome on 30 November and 1 December 1993,

*Acknowledging* the increasing contribution of the Conference to the establishment and maintenance of international peace and security in the Conference region through its activities in preventive diplomacy, crisis management, arms control and disarmament, and post-crisis stabilizing and rehabilitation measures, as well as its crucial role in the human dimension,

*Welcoming* progress made in the development and consolidation of contacts and cooperation between the United Nations and the Conference, in particular with regard also to the activities of missions of the Conference in the field,

*Taking note* of the recommendation adopted by the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization with regard to the draft declaration on the enhancement of cooperation between the United Nations and regional arrangements or agencies in the maintenance of international peace and security, which was submitted to the General Assembly at its forty-ninth session for consideration and adoption,<sup>29</sup>

*Underlining* the possibilities for regional action by the Conference for the maintenance of international peace and security as provided for under Chapter VIII of the Charter,

*Welcoming* the further development of closer contacts between the Conference and the non-participating Mediterranean States, as well as the increased cooperation between the Conference and countries in Asia,

1. *Takes note with satisfaction* of the report of the Secretary-General on cooperation between the United Nations and the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe;

<sup>24</sup> A/49/529.

<sup>25</sup> See A/47/361-S/24370, annex; see *Official Records of the Security Council, Forty-seventh Year, Supplement for July, August and September 1992*, document S/24370.

<sup>26</sup> A/45/859, annex.

<sup>27</sup> A/47/89-S/23576, annex II; see *Official Records of the Security Council, Forty-seventh Year, Supplement for January, February and March 1992*, document S/23576.

<sup>28</sup> A/47/361-S/24370, annex; see *Official Records of the Security Council, Forty-seventh Year, Supplement for July, August and September 1992*, document S/24370.

<sup>29</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-ninth Session, Supplement No. 33 (A/49/33)*, para. 8<sup>a</sup>.

<sup>22</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-ninth Session, Supplement No. 48 (A/49/48)*.

<sup>23</sup> A/48/185, annex II, appendix.