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800 (VIII). Question of the representation of China in the General Assembly

The General Assembly

Decides to postpone for the duration of its eighth regular session in the current year consideration of all proposals to exclude the representatives of the Government of the Republic of China and to seat representatives of the Central People's Government of the People's Republic of China.

> 432nd plenary meeting, 15 September 1953.

801 (VIII). Establishment of an Ad Hoc Political Committee

Whereas it has been the practice at previous regular sessions to establish an Ad Hoc Political Committee on which each Member may be represented by one person as provided in rules 96 and 100 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly,

Whereas at its seventh session the General Assembly decided 1 that the Chairman of the Ad Hoc Political Committee should be a member of the General Committee for that session and should be accorded full rights of membership, including the right to vote,

Whereas the Special Committee on Measures to Limit the Duration of Regular Sessions of the General Assembly, in its report dated 26 June 1953, recommended ² that the practice referred to in the preceding paragraph should be made permanent,

Whereas rule 38 of the rules of procedure requires that the General Committee be constituted so as to ensure its representative character,

The General Assembly, without prejudice to any action it may take on paragraph 51 of the report of the Special Committee on Measures to Limit the Duration of Regular Sessions of the General Assembly,

Resolves:

- 1. That an Ad Hoc Political Committee be established for the duration of the eighth session;
- 2. That the Chairman of the Ad Hoc Political Committee be accorded, for that session, full rights of membership in the General Committee, including the right to vote.

432nd plenary meeting, 15 September 1953.

802 (VIII). United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)

The General Assembly,

Considering the world-wide disproportion between the magnitude of social service tasks to be undertaken and the available means of implementation,

Considering the role that the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund plays in the whole international programme for the protection of the child,

Considering that the Fund's activities are useful, not only because they realize some of the high objectives which have been adopted by the United Nations, but also because they create favourable conditions for the development of the long-range economic and social programmes of the United Nations and the specialized agencies, particularly the World Health Organization and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations,

Considering the urgent need for continuing the work of UNICEF, particularly in the under-developed regions of the world.

¹ See Official Records of the General Assembly, Seventh Session, 377th plenary meeting. 2 Ibid., Eighth Session, document A/2402, para. 51.