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INTACT STABILITY OF FISHING VESSELS

RESOLUTION A.52(III)
adopted on 24 October 1963

THE ASSEMBLY,

TAKING NOTE of Article 1(a) of the Convention concerning the purposes of the Organization,

TAKING NOTE ALSO of Recommendation 7 of the 1960 Safety Conference, concerning the studies on intact stability of passenger, cargo and fishing vessels with the object of formulating such international standards as may appear necessary,

NOTING IN ADDITION the Report of the Maritime Safety Committee which states that the studies on the stability of passenger, cargo and fishing vessels have already been initiated and are being carried out by the Sub-Committee on Subdivision and Stability Problems,

BEARING IN MIND the preparatory work already carried out by the Food and Agriculture Organization regarding the stability of fishing vessels,

BEARING IN MIND ALSO that several IMCO Member States are now working individually on studies regarding the stability of their fishing vessels,
RECOGNIZING that many countries urgently need guidance on the stability of fishing vessels,

DECIDES

(1) that IMCO should continue its studies on the stability of fishing vessels with all possible speed;

(2) to invite the Secretary-General to take the necessary steps in connexion herewith.