ASSEMBLY - 3rd session
Agenda item 13(h)

PARTICIPATION IN THE UNITED NATIONS EXPANDED PROGRAMME OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

RESOLUTION A.62(III)
adopted on 25 October 1963

THE ASSEMBLY,

CONSIDERING that it is incumbent upon the Organization to follow the development of international co-operation and, in its own field - that of maritime activities - to lend its help and support for the implementation of the various technical assistance programmes of the United Nations,

CONSIDERING that the best means of achieving this end is to co-operate more closely with the body responsible for the co-ordination of the various programmes by participating in the Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance,

TAKING NOTE of Article 16 of the Convention concerning the functions of the Assembly,

NOTING FURTHER Article 27 of the Convention concerning performance by the Council of all functions of the Assembly between sessions of that body,

RECALLING its Resolution A.28(II) on Participation in the United Nations Expanded Programme of Technical Assistance,

NOTES with satisfaction the arrangement agreed to between the Secretary-General of the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization and the Secretary-General of the United Nations,
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DECIDES to instruct the Secretary-General to initiate the official procedure by which the Organization may become a member of the United Nations Technical Assistance Board, and report to the next session of the Council,

REQUESTS the Secretary-General to prepare for the consideration of the next session of the Council, after consultation with the Executive Chairman of the Technical Assistance Board and its member organizations, a report concerning the implications to the Organization of membership on the Board,

RECOMMENDS that this Report should include particularly:

(a) the effect on the regular work programme of the Organization;

(b) the probable size of IMCO executed technical assistance programme;

(c) whether membership on the Board would necessitate direct administration of technical assistance projects;

(d) and the extent to which membership on the Board would have an effect on the staff and regular budget of the Organization.
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