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These resolutions emanate from other bodies in the United Nations including ECLAC, the Economic and Social Council and the General Assembly. The intention is to bring to the attention of the Committee follow-up action on certain subjects which have been considered by the Committee at prior sessions, have some direct or indirect implications for CDCC or are of interest to the work of the Secretariat.

The ECLAC/CDCC Secretariat was able to identify the following Resolutions:

1. Resolutions of ECLAC

Resolution 455(XX). Change of title of the Commission to Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean.

2. Resolutions of the Economic and Social Council.

Resolution 1984/67. Composition, terms of reference and programme of work of the Economic Commission for Latin America.

3. Resolutions of the General Assembly.

a. Resolution 39/34. Question of the British Virgin Islands.

b. Resolution 39/38. Question of the U.S. Virgin Islands.

c. Resolution 39/39. Question of Anguilla.

1. Resolutions of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean

There have been no sessions of ECLAC since the eighth session of CDCC, held 6-12 June 1984; the twentieth session of ECLAC having been held between 29 March and 6 April 1984. Relevant resolutions from the twentieth session of ECLAC were considered by CDCC at its eighth session in 1984. It may be noted that follow-up action on the

resolutions dealing with the change of name of ECLA and the admission of the British Virgin Islands and U.S. Virgin Islands to associate membership in ECLAC have been taken as noted below.

2. Resolutions of the Economic and Social Council

Resolution 1984/67. Composition, terms of reference and programme of work of the Economic Commission for Latin America. The attention of the Committee is directed to paragraph 1 which states that the Economic and Social Council decided "to change the name of the Economic Commission for Latin America to 'Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean' as recommended by the Commission in its resolution 455(XX) of 6 April 1984", and paragraph 5 which "Takes note with satisfaction of Commission resolutions 453(XX) and 454(XX) of 6 April 1984, in which the Commission decided to admit the British Virgin Islands and the United States Virgin Islands as associate members of the Commission".

3. Resolutions of the General Assembly

a. Resolution 39/34. Question of the British Virgin Islands.

The attention of the Committee is directed to paragraph 9 of this resolution which "Notes with satisfaction the admission of the British Virgin Islands as an associate member of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean and its subsidiary body, the Caribbean Development and Co-operation Committee, as well as various other international and regional organizations, and calls upon the administering Power to facilitate further the participation of the BVI in those organizations".

b. Resolution 39/38. Question of the US Virgin Islands

The attention of the Committee is also directed to operative paragraph 9 of this resolution which "Notes with satisfaction the recent admission of the United States Virgin Islands as an associate member of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean and its

subsidiary body, the Caribbean Development and Co-operation Committee, and calls upon the administering Power to facilitate the participation of the territory in other organizations of the United Nations system".

c. Resolution 39/39. Question of Anguilla

The attention of the Committee is further directed to operative paragraph 8 of this resolution which "Further requests the administering Power to facilitate the participation of the territory as an associate member of various organizations of the United Nations system, as well as other regional and international bodies". The Committee may wish to note that somewhat similar considerations were included in the General Assembly resolutions which preceded formal request by the administering Powers of USVI and the BVI for associated membership of their territories in ECLAC and its subsidiary bodies.