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TRADE OF LANDLOCKED COUNTRIES

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The Economic Commission for Latin America, Whereas:

- (a) At their plenary meetings on 9 August 1956 and '20 February 1957, the Economic and Social Council and the General Assembly adopted, respectively, resolutions 614 (XXII) and 1028 (XI), in the first of which the attention of the United Nations regional economic commissions is called "to the advisability of studying difficulties preventing expansion of international trade", while in the second the Governments of Member States are invited "to give full recognition to the needs of landlocked Members in the matter of transit trade";
- (b) The economic development of landlocked countries is largely determined by satisfactory transit trade conditions enabling them to expand their international trade to the extent desirable,

<u>Decides</u> to recommend to the Governments of the Member States
the desirability of granting the greatest possible facilities
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to the expansion of the international trade of the landlocked countries.