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THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR LATIN AMERICA

CONSIDERING:

- a) the importance of the possible direct and indirect consequences for the economies of the Latin American countries, of the development of the generation and utilization of nuclear energy and derived products,
- b) the anxiety of the United Nations to extend the uses of nuclear energy, expressed at the International Conference on the Pacific Uses of Atomic Energy held at Geneva, Switzerland in August 1955,
- c) the generous offer made by several countries to share with others the results of their experiments in this field and to provide technical assistance and equipment, and
- d) the interest shown by the Latin American countries in following closely the progress made in this sphere,

RESOLVES:

/ To take note

1. To take note of the report on nuclear energy submitted by the secretariat to the Commission (doc. E/C/.12/384/Add.1);
2. To suggest to the governments of the Latin American countries that they avail themselves, individually or in groups, of any facilities obtainable through the United Nations and by other means, chiefly with the aim of training a larger number of technical experts in the various aspects of the generation and utilization of nuclear energy and its derived products (such as radioactive isotopes); and
3. To request the secretariat that, in complying with the relevant resolution on energy, adopted at this same session, special attention be devoted to the development of nuclear energy and the possibilities of its application on the basis of various sources of nuclear fuels and their utilization, that the relevant economic questions be studied, and that the Commission be kept informed of progress in this field.