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WORK PROGRAMME AND PRIORITIES

Establishment of a Mexico Office of ECLA

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THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR LATIN AMERICA

NOTES with satisfaction the Executive Secretary's recommendation that an office of the Economic Commission for Latin America should be set up in Mexico City, as a branch office of ECLA headquarters in Santiago, Chile, to study the economic problems of the following countries: Costa Rica, Cuba, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama and the Dominican Republic, without prejudice to the Executive Secretary's authority to extend those studies to other areas of the continent if he deems it advisable;

NOTES that with the establishment of this office, the Secretariat will be able to carry out its work more efficiently and economically;

/ACCEPTS with  
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ACCEPTS with pleasure the generous offer made by the Government of Mexico to the United Nations to place at the disposal of the ECLA Office in Mexico all the necessary facilities; and

REQUESTS the Secretary-General of the United Nations, bearing in mind the foregoing considerations, to take the necessary measures to facilitate the constitution and organization of the new Office at the close of the Commission's fourth session.