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of the member countries that its sessions should yield practical results for the development of Latin American trade,

Having regard to the necessity for international and especially Latin American trade to develop on a co-operative basis, and

Bearing in mind that, for the purposes of trade practice, information as to the measures adopted by each government with respect to foreign trade should be available in due form and course,

Resolves to request the Latin American governments to transmit to the secretariat all information on their customs tariffs and related regulations, both those in force and the amendments thereto, to enable the secretariat to begin centralizing such data within its possibilities with a view to making them available to the respective governments for the information of national organizations concerned with the development of foreign trade, taking into account the publications of the Brussels International Bureau of Customs Tariffs.

TRAINING OF PERSONNEL FOR PORTS

Resolution 104 (VI) adopted on 15 September 1955
(E/CN.12/413)

The Economic Commission for Latin America,

Considering:

(a) The secretariat's study on maritime transport in South America (E/CN.12/369/Add.3), and

(b) That its conclusions bring to light the need to improve the working methods, management and installations of some Latin American ports, and

Bearing in mind the benefits that could be obtained through technical assistance in this field,

Resolves to recommend to Latin American Governments that, in view of the need to improve the condition of ports in the region, and taking account also of the activities of the Inter-American Economic and Social Council in this sphere, they consider the advisability of requesting technical assistance for the training of personnel in the management and operation of ports.

CONSULTATIONS OF INTER-REGIONAL TRADE

Resolution 105 (VI) adopted on 15 September 1955
(E/CN.12/414)

The Economic Commission for Latin America,

Taking note, of resolution 579 A and B (XX) of the Economic and Social Council on the expansion of world trade and on inter-regional trade consultations, which *inter alia*, requests the regional economic commissions to "continue their efforts to facilitate concerted action to maintain and strengthen the economic relations of the countries in their respective regions, both among themselves and with other countries of the world",

Requests the Executive Secretary, with a view to further consideration of the question of consultations on inter-regional trade, to report to the Commission on the developments in this sphere and to forward to the Secretary-General of the United Nations, for transmittal to the Economic Commission for Europe and to the Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East, the text of this resolution.

CO-ORDINATION BETWEEN THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE INTER-AMERICAN ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

Resolution 106 (VI) adopted on 15 September 1955
(E/CN.12/415)

The Economic Commission for Latin America,

Believing that for the maximum efficacy of the secretariats of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Inter-American Economic and Social Council, it is appropriate to intensify co-ordination at the governmental level as much as possible,

Invites the secretariat to prepare and maintain up to date a systematized collection of the resolutions adopted so far by the Commission, so that at any meeting member Governments may have at their disposal the required background information on topics under discussion; and

Draws the attention of member Governments of the American Continent to the advisability of their delegations to ECLA sessions including, in so far as possible, their representatives to IA-ECOSOC.

CO-ORDINATION BETWEEN THE SECRETARIATS OF THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR LATIN AMERICA AND OF THE INTER-AMERICAN ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

Resolution 107 (VI) adopted on 15 September 1955
(E/CN.12/416)

The Economic Commission for Latin America,

Mindful of the joint statement made by the secretariats of ECLA and IA-ECOSOC on co-ordination at the secretariat level (E/CN.12/381), and

Taking into consideration the satisfactory co-ordination achieved in the work of the two organizations,

Resolves:

1. To take note with satisfaction of the joint statement made by the secretariats of ECLA and IA-ECOSOC contained in document E/CN.12/381;

2. To express its appreciation of the co-ordination achieved at the secretariat level; and

3. To recommend to the secretariat that it continue to make the maximum effort to achieve the fullest possible co-ordination between its work and that of IA-ECOSOC.

PUBLICITY FOR THE WORK OF THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR LATIN AMERICA

Resolution 108 (VI) adopted on 15 September 1955
(E/CN.12/417)

The Economic Commission for Latin America,

Considering:

(a) That to achieve international co-operation in solving international problems of an economic and social character is one of the fundamental purposes expressed in the Charter of the United Nations,

(b) That, for their part, in accordance with the Charter of the Organization of American States, the Member States have agreed to co-operate with one another, as far as their resources may permit and their laws may provide, in the broadest spirit of good neighbourliness,