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ESTABLISHMENT OF AN INTERNATIONAL STAFF FOR NATO

Draft Resolution submitted by the Chairman

THE COUNCIL DEPUTIES:

having considered the recommendations of the Chairman contained in Document D-D(51)30;

Agree that a permanent organization responsible to the Deputies should be established under the direction of the Chairman, to include:

1. A small Special International Staff, not predominantly of one nationality, to assist the Chairman in such respects as he shall deem helpful, in his relations with the Deputies and their staffs, with Working Groups established by the Deputies, and with the staffs of other NATO bodies, including:

a) Recommending in advance a program of matters to be considered by the Council Deputies;

b) Supervising the preparation of material necessary for effective consideration by the Council Deputies; and

c) Recommending and taking appropriate follow-up acting with respect to decisions of the Council Deputies and other NATO bodies.

The Chairman shall designate a chief of the Special International Staff who shall assist him in directing the work of the International Staff and in coordinating the work of the staffs of the Council Deputies and of all NATO bodies.

2. A Reports and Statistics Service, the terms of reference of which shall be considered and recommended by the Working Group established at the meeting of 25th January, 1951 (D-R(51)7 - Item I).

3. An Information Service, the terms of reference of which have already been approved by the Deputies (D-R/34, Item III: D-D/187).

4. A central Secretariat. The Sub-committee on Administrative and Procedural Questions, established at the first meeting (D-R/1, Item 3) shall present further recommendations to the Deputies as soon as feasible on the subject of combining the Secretariat established for the Deputies (D-R/15, Item III) with the secretariats of other NATO bodies.

5. An Administrative Office, the terms of reference of which shall be formulated by the Working Group established at the meeting on 12th February, 1951.

While it is contemplated that a system of international financing of personnel and other costs of the Council Deputies and other NATO civilian bodies will be established, the Chairman shall continue to have the power to utilize the services of part-time or full-time personnel contributed by the member governments.

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