

XIII. RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED ON THE REPORTS OF THE SIXTH COMMITTEE

17(I). AMENDMENTS TO THE PROVISIONAL RULES OF PROCEDURE

Rule 33

The General Assembly resolves that:

(a) the following sentence shall be added at the end of rule 33:

"It shall not, however, decide any political question."

(b) a new rule 33A shall be included after this rule as follows:

"A Member of the General Assembly which has no representative on the General Committee, and which has requested the inclusion of an additional item in the agenda, shall be entitled to attend any meeting of the General Committee at which its request is discussed, and may participate, without vote, in the discussion of that item."

Rule 73

The General Assembly resolves that:

Rule 73 shall be amended by the addition, at the end, of the following sentence:

"There shall be no nominations."

Supplementary Rule T

The General Assembly resolves that:

Supplementary rule T shall be amended to read as follows:

"Pending the adoption, under paragraph 4 of Article 62 of the Charter, of definitive rules for the calling of international conferences, the Economic and Social Council may, after due consultation with Members of the United Nations, call international conferences in conformity with the spirit of Article 62 on any matter within the competence of the Council, including the following matters: international trade and employment; the equitable adjustment of prices on the international market, and health."

Eighteenth plenary meeting, 26 January, and nineteenth meeting, 29 January 1946.

18(I). COMMITTEE STRUCTURE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The General Assembly noted the report of the Sixth Committee (document A/36) and adopted its conclusions.

Thirty-first plenary meeting, 13 February 1946.

19(I). EMOLUMENTS OF JUDGES OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE¹

The General Assembly resolves that:

the emoluments of the judges of the International Court of Justice shall be fixed according to the following scale:

	<i>Netherland florins</i>
President:	
Annual salary	54,000
Special allowance	15,000
Vice-President:	
Annual salary	54,000

¹ This resolution was based on a joint recommendation from the Fifth and Sixth Committees

Allowance of 100 florins for every day on which he acts as President, up to a maximum of	10,000
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Members:

Annual salary	54,000
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Judges referred to in article 31 of the Statute:

Allowance of 120 florins for each day on which they exercise their functions, plus a daily subsistence allowance of 60 florins.

Twenty-third plenary meeting, 6 February 1946.

20(I). PENSIONS OF THE JUDGES AND STAFF OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE

The General Assembly is desirous of assuring that adequate and reasonable pensions be assured to the judges and the registrar and the staff of the International Court of Justice and therefore directs the Secretary-General, in consultation with the registrar of the Court, to develop a pension plan for judges and registrar and staff for submission to the second part of the first session of the General Assembly.

Twenty-third plenary meeting, 6 February 1946.

21(I). STEPS NECESSARY FOR CONVENING THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE

It is desirable that the International Court of Justice should meet as soon as possible after the election of its members by the General Assembly and the Security Council.

In correspondence with the Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Carnegie Foundation, the Executive Secretary has ascertained that the Board is willing to meet representatives of the United Nations at The Hague to begin preliminary negotiations in order to fix the conditions on which the premises in the Peace Palace at The Hague, which are required by the International Court of Justice, can be placed at the disposal of the Court.

Therefore the General Assembly instructs the Secretary-General:

1. To take the necessary steps to summon a first meeting of the Court at The Hague as soon as can be conveniently arranged after the election of the members;

2. To appoint a Secretary and such other temporary officers as may be required to assist the Court and to act for so long as the Court desires during the period preceding the appointment of its registrar and its officers;

3. To conduct preliminary negotiations with the Board of Directors of the Carnegie Foundation, at The Hague or other convenient place, in order to fix the conditions on which the premises in the Peace Palace at The Hague, which are required by the International Court of Justice, can be placed at its disposal, the conditions being embodied in an agreement subject to the approval of the General Assembly.

Twenty-eighth plenary meeting, 10 February 1946.