

550 (VI). Question of the full participation of Italy in the work of the Trusteeship Council

The General Assembly,

Bearing in mind resolution 310 (VIII) of the Trusteeship Council concerning the position of Italy,

Noting that Italy has been charged by the United Nations¹ with the administration of the Trust Territory of Somaliland, and that it is at present exercising its responsibilities towards the United Nations as an Administering Authority as they are defined in Chapters XII and XIII of the Charter,

Considering that Italy should be enabled to exercise those responsibilities with complete effectiveness,

Being of the opinion, therefore, that it is necessary for Italy to become a member of the Trusteeship Council and for that purpose to be admitted to the United Nations, and having regard to the fact that Italy satisfies the conditions prescribed in Article 4, paragraph 1, of the Charter for membership in the United Nations,

Recommends the Security Council to give urgent consideration to the present resolution with a view to recommending the immediate admission of Italy to membership in the United Nations.

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¹ See General Assembly resolution 442(V).

551 (VI). Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories: revision of the Standard Form

The General Assembly,

Considering the importance of the advancement of the peoples of Non-Self-Governing Territories as set forth in the Declaration contained in Chapter XI of the Charter of the United Nations,

Considering that the information transmitted by the Members responsible for the administration of Non-Self-Governing Territories is of increasing interest to the General Assembly,

Noting that this information, which has been compiled in accordance with the Standard Form for the guidance of Members annexed to resolution 142 (II) adopted by the General Assembly on 3 November 1947, together with the supplemental information placed at the disposal of the Secretary-General, is becoming of increased value,

Considering, nevertheless, that this Standard Form requires adaptation in the light of experience,

1. *Decides* that the Standard Form annexed to resolution 142 (II) shall be replaced by the annexed text;

2. *Invites* the Members responsible for the transmission of information under Article 73 e of the Charter to undertake all necessary steps to render information as complete and up to date as possible and for this purpose to take into account the sections of the revised Standard Form.

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