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RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD

FOLLOW-UP OF THE 1967 INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

The Industrial Development Board,

Recalling that the International Symposium on Industrial Development, convened by UNIDO in Athens in 1967, was the first major international meeting devoted exclusively to the problems of industrialization in developing countries;

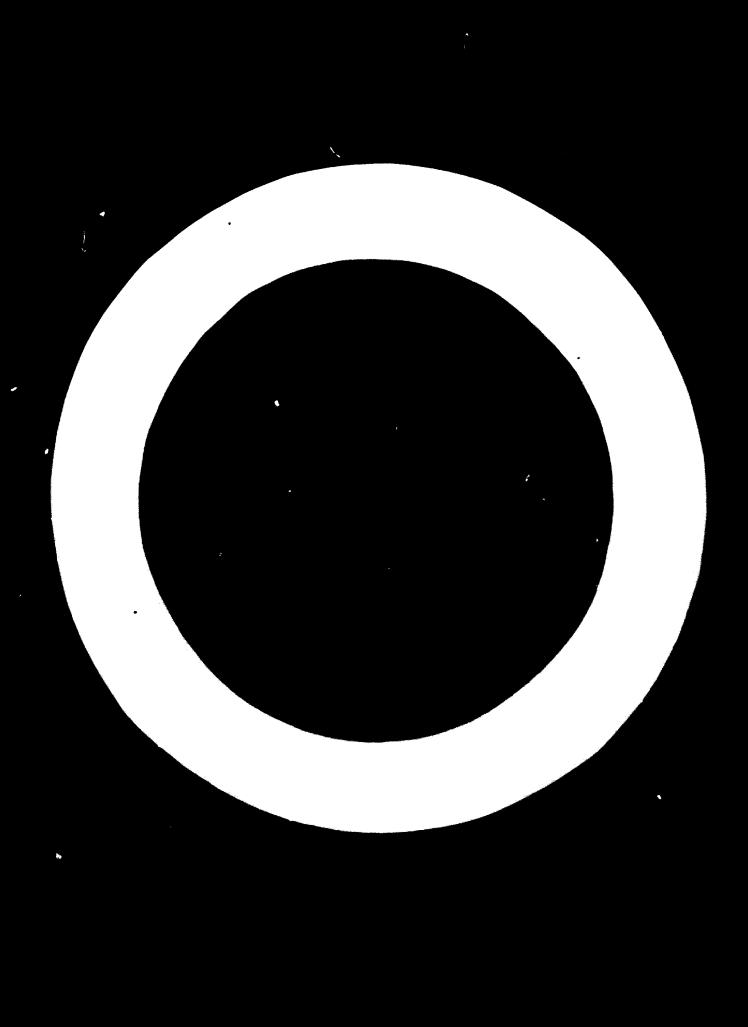
Recalling further that the International Symposium was the culmination of a series of regional symposia on problems of industrialization held in Cairo, Manila, Santiago and Kuwait, in 1965/1966;

Noting that the Symposium devoted special attention to the possibilities for international action and co-operative efforts among the developing countries themselves, explored the scope, measures and channels for such efforts and adopted a series of useful recommendations thereon;

Considering that the General Assembly in resolution 2178 (XXI) requested the Industrial Development Board, inter alia, to study in due course the recommendations of the Symposium and to take appropriate follow-up action;

Bearing in mind General Assembly resolution 2577 (XXIV) which invites the Industrial Development Board, with the co-operation of the Executive Director of UNIDO, to consider the possibility of including in the Board's annual reports, inter alia, a summary of the progress achieved in the implementation of all the

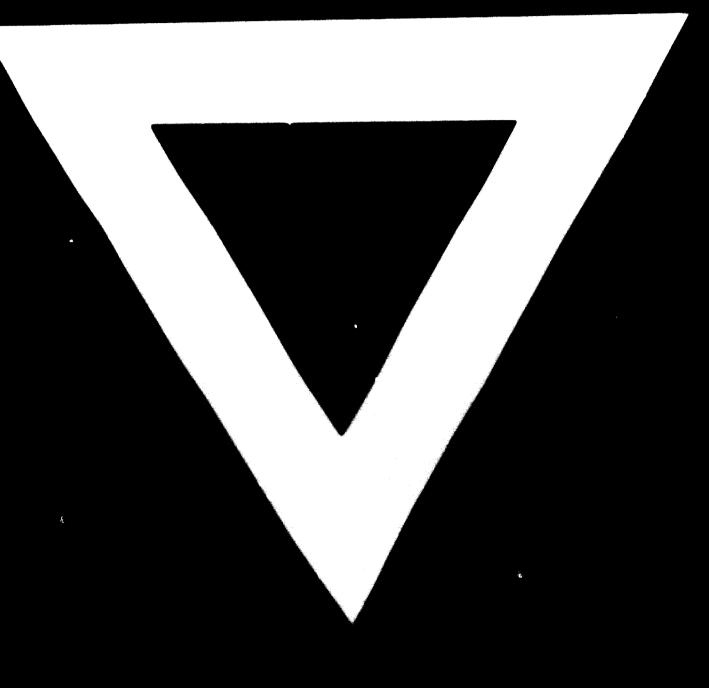
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substantive recommendations of the International Symposium on Industrial Development, as well as practical measures and policies for attaining their early implementation, as appropriate;

- 1. <u>Invites</u> member States to transmit to the Executive Director of UNIDO, if they so desire, any information they may deem relevant on measures initiated by their respective Governments, both as regards policy and implementation in pursuance of the recommendations of the International Symposium;
- 2. Requests the Executive Director on the basis of information available to submit to the sixth session of the Board his comments, observations and recommendations.



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