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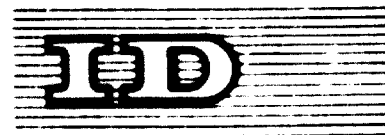
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RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD AT ITS SIXTH SESSION

35 (VI). Programme of Special Industrial Services

The Industrial Development Board,

Noting that the Special Industrial Services programme was established by the Secretary-General as a separate programme to meet the special needs of industry and that Governments have made voluntary contributions for the financing of this programme,

Recognizing the purposes and main characteristics of the programme as contained in the General Assembly document A/6070/Rev.1 of 23 October 1965,

Recalling the decisions of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme at its tenth and eleventh sessions on the recommendations of the Industrial Development Board, contained in resolution 15 (III), and of the General Assembly contained in resolution 2639 (XXV), to maintain the Special Industrial Services programme and to finance it out of a programme reserve,

Noting with satisfaction that the Special Industrial Services programme, as established by the Secretary-General, has been administered jointly by the United Nations Development Programme and the United Nations Industrial Development Organization since its inception,

Recalling the satisfaction expressed by the General Assembly, the Industrial Development Board and the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme as well as by the developing and developed countries at the evolution of the programme and the results achieved through it,

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bearing in mind that the expenditure under the present scheme has increased at a rapid rate, from \$1.2 million in 1971 to \$4.4 million in 1974,

Taking into account the recommendations of the Special International Conference of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, in its Resolution of Guidelines on Technology Strategy, Science and Financing of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization,¹ paragraph 19, concerning the Special Industrial Services programme,

Recalling General Assembly resolution 2823 (XXVI), paragraph 6, in which the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme was urged to plan the allocation of resources to the Special Industrial Services programme in the light of the future requirements of the developing countries,

Considering the report submitted to the sixth session of the Industrial Development Board on the programme of Special Industrial Services,²

1. Recommends to the General Assembly, pursuant to the recommendations in paragraph 19 of the report of the Ad Hoc Committee on Co-operation between the United Nations Development Programme and the United Nations Industrial Development Organization³ which sets out the basic aspects of the operation of the programme of the Special Industrial Services, the adopted at its twenty-seventh session of the following guidelines for the operation of the Special Industrial Services programme:

- (a) The programme of Special Industrial Services is established to meet special needs in the field of industry as described in the Report of the Secretary-General to the General Assembly at its twentieth session,⁴ especially paragraph 10. The provisions of the above-mentioned document will be interpreted flexibly from time to time by the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme and the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization in order to take account of the changing needs of the industrial sector in the developing countries;

¹ Document A/8341/Rev.1

² Document II/B/100

³ Document A/8640

⁴ Document A/60/Rev.1

- (b) In the operations of the Special Industrial Services programme full consideration will be given to the central responsibilities of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization for co-ordinating action in the field of industry, entrusted to it by the General Assembly;
- (c) Requests for Special Industrial Services project approvals will be forwarded simultaneously by the United Nations Development Programme Resident Representatives to the United Nations Development Programme Headquarters and to the United Nations Industrial Development Organization Headquarters;
- (d) Most projects, including plans for their implementation and level of financing, will be approved jointly by the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme and the Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization. In the remaining small number of cases, especially when another agency is proposed as an executing agency, the system of joint approval of the Special Industrial Services projects will be followed with appropriate flexibility by agreement between the Administrator and the Executive Director;
- (e) The executing agency will be authorized to commence project operations upon the issuance of a financial authorization by the Administrator;
- (f) The programme will be financed on a continuing basis from the resources of the United Nations Development Programme. The level of maximum annual expenditures will be fixed from time to time by the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme, taking into account current programme requirements as well as desirable growth in the light of demonstrated needs;
- (g) The Administrator and the Executive Director will report regularly to their respective governing bodies on the activities carried out under the programme;
- (h) The Administrator and the Executive Director will jointly establish detailed working arrangements and procedures designed to give effect to the principles herein established.

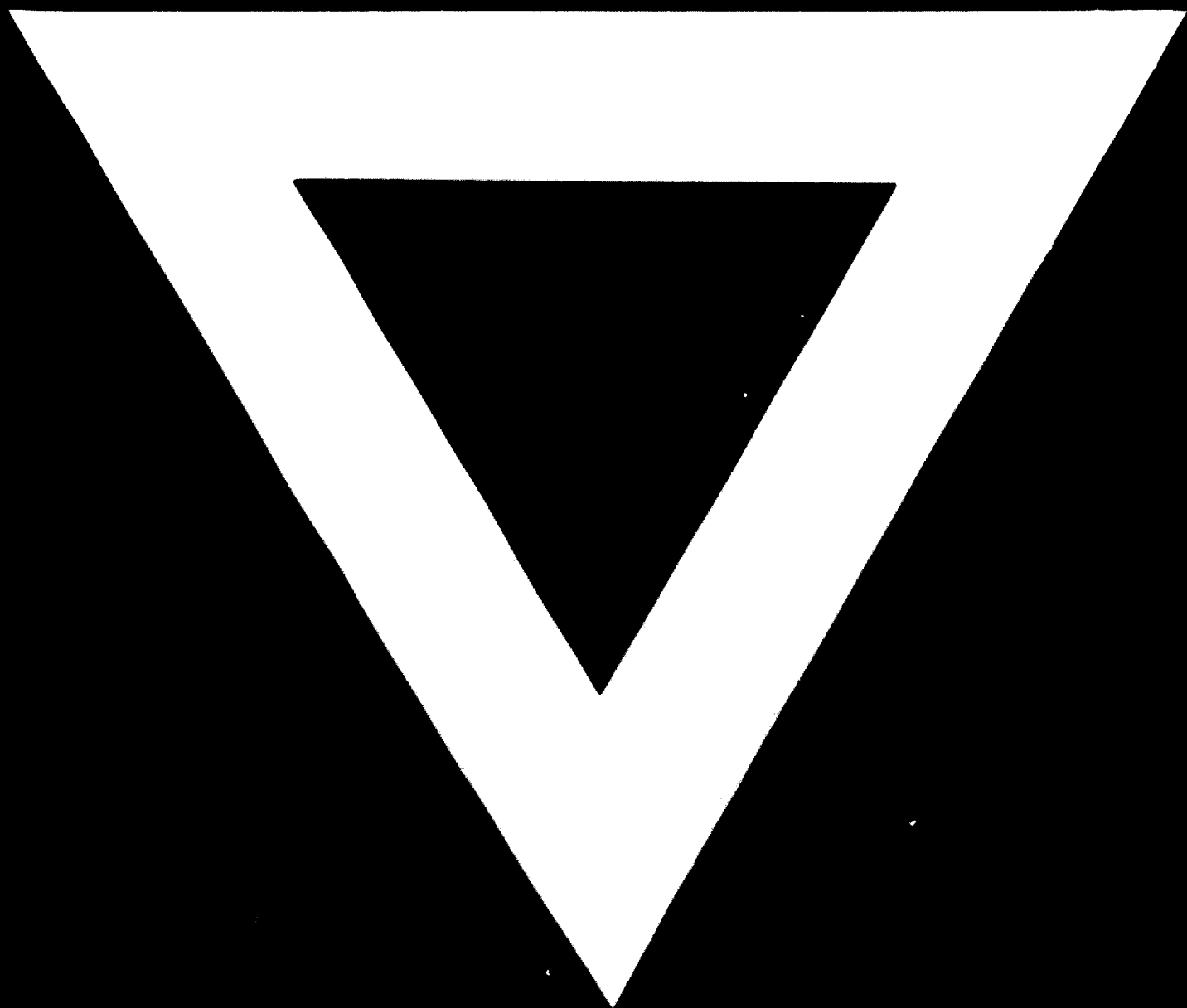
2. Recommends to the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme to make provision for a level of programme expenditures to be financed from the programme reserve of the United Nations Development Programme in 1972 which will be higher than the 1971 level of \$3 million, with the

understanding that the over-all expenditures for the Special Industrial Services programme in 1972, including those from the Special Industrial Services Trust Fund, should be higher than those incurred in 1971, indicated in the sixth preambular paragraph above, taking into account the needs of the developing countries.

3. Requests the Executive Director to transmit the present resolution to the General Assembly through the Economic and Social Council and to the fourteenth session of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme, inviting its consideration and approval.

130th plenary meeting,
2 June 1972.





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