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ASSEMBLY DURING ITS TWELFTH SPECIAL SESSION

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I. AGENDA 1/

1. Opening of the session by the Chairman of the delegation of Iraq.
2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation.
3. Credentials of representatives to the twelfth special session of the General Assembly:
 - (a) Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee;
 - (b) Report of the Credentials Committee.
4. Election of the President of the General Assembly.
5. Organization of the session.
6. Report of the Preparatory Committee for the Second Special Session of the General Assembly Devoted to Disarmament.
7. Adoption of the agenda.
8. General debate (including review and appraisal of the present international situation in the light of the pressing need for specific generally agreed measures to eliminate the danger of war, in particular nuclear war, to halt and reverse the arms race and to achieve substantial progress in the field of disarmament, especially in its nuclear aspects, taking due account of the close interrelationship between disarmament and international peace and security, as well as between disarmament and economic and social development, particularly of the developing countries).
9. Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session:
 - (a) Status of negotiations on disarmament as contained in the Programme of Action and bearing in mind the priorities set out in the Programme;
 - (b) Consideration of the report of the Committee on Disarmament, in particular of any draft instruments transmitted by the Committee;
 - (c) Consideration of the report of the Disarmament Commission;
 - (d) Consideration of the implementation of resolutions of the General Assembly on specific tasks, in particular studies, aimed at the realization of the Final Document and their follow-up.

1/ See also sect. III.B, decision S-12/23.

10. Consideration and adoption of the Comprehensive Programme of Disarmament.
11. Implementation of the Declaration of the 1980s as the Second Disarmament Decade and consideration of initiatives and proposals of Member States.
12. Enhancement of the effectiveness of machinery in the field of disarmament and strengthening of the role of the United Nations in this field, including the possible convening of a World Disarmament Conference.
13. Measures to mobilize world public opinion in favour of disarmament:
 - (a) Disarmament education, seminars and training (United Nations programme of fellowships on disarmament);
 - (b) World Disarmament Campaign;
 - (c) Other public information activities.
14. Adoption, in an appropriate format, of the documents of the twelfth special session of the General Assembly.

II. RESOLUTION 2/

S-12/1. Credentials of representatives to the twelfth special session of the General Assembly

The General Assembly

Approves the report of the Credentials Committee. 3/

29th plenary meeting
10 July 1982

2/ Resolution adopted without reference to a Main Committee, the General Assembly having convened in plenary meeting only in accordance with rule 63 of its rules of procedure.

3/ A/S-12/28.

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III. DECISIONS

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S-12/13	Election of the Chairmen of the Main Committees (A/S-12/PV.1, p. 37)	5	7 June 1982	6
S-12/14	Election of the Vice-Presidents of the General Assembly (A/S-12/PV.1, p. 37	5	7 June 1982	7
S-12/15	Election of the officers of the <u>Ad Hoc</u> Committee of the Twelfth Special Session (A/S-12/PV.1, p. 46; A/S-12/AC.1/PV.1, p. 7)	5	7 June and 8 June 1982	7
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S-12/22	Report of the Preparatory Committee for the Second Special Session of the General Assembly Devoted to Disarmament (A/S-12/1 and Corr.1; A/S-12/PV.1, p. 37)	6	7 June 1982	8
S-12/23	Adoption of the agenda and allocation of agenda items (A/S-12/20, A/S-12/PV.1, pp. 46 and 47)	7	7 June 1982	9
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A. ELECTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

S-12/11. Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee

At its 1st plenary meeting, on 7 June 1982, the General Assembly decided that the Credentials Committee for the twelfth special session, appointed in accordance with rule 28 of the rules of procedure of the Assembly, would have the same composition as that for the thirty-sixth session.

As a result, the Committee was composed of the following Member States: CHINA, GHANA, NETHERLANDS, NIGER, PANAMA, PAPUA NEW GUINEA, PARAGUAY, UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS and UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

S-12/12. Election of the President of the General Assembly 4/

At its 1st plenary meeting, on 7 June 1982, the General Assembly decided that Mr. Ismat T. Kittani (Iraq), President of the Assembly at its thirty-sixth session, would serve in the same capacity at the twelfth special session.

S-12/13. Election of the Chairmen of the Main Committees 4/

At its 1st plenary meeting, on 7 June 1982, the General Assembly decided that the Chairmen of the Main Committees of the thirty-sixth session would serve in the same capacity at the twelfth special session.

The following persons were therefore elected Chairmen of the Main Committees:

First Committee: Mr. Ignac Golob (Yugoslavia),

Special Political Committee: Mr. Nathan Irumba (Uganda),

Second Committee: Mr. Arturo Tolentino (Philippines) and (later) Mr. Leandro I. Verceles (Philippines),

Third Committee: Mr. Declan O'Donovan (Ireland),

Fourth Committee: Mr. Jasim Yousif Jamal (Qatar),

Fifth Committee: Mr. Abdul-Rahman Abdalla (Sudan),

Sixth Committee: Mr. Juan José Calle y Calle (Peru).

4/ In accordance with rule 38 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, the General Committee consists of the President of the Assembly, the twenty-one Vice-Presidents and the Chairmen of the seven Main Committees. See also decision S-12/21, subpara. (a).

S-12/14. Election of the Vice-Presidents of the General Assembly 4/

At its 1st plenary meeting, on 7 June 1982, the General Assembly decided that the Vice-Presidents of the thirty-sixth session would serve in the same capacity at the twelfth special session.

The representatives of the following twenty-one Member States were therefore elected Vice-Presidents of the General Assembly: AUSTRALIA, BENIN, BOTSWANA, CHINA, CUBA, CYPRUS, FRANCE, INDONESIA, MEXICO, MOROCCO, PAKISTAN, PANAMA, PAPUA NEW GUINEA, RWANDA, SEYCHELLES, SWEDEN, TOGO, UKRAINIAN SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLIC, UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS, UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND and UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

S-12/15. Election of the officers of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Twelfth Special Session 5/

At its 1st plenary meeting, on 7 June 1982, the General Assembly elected the Chairman of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Twelfth Special Session.

At its 1st meeting, on 8 June 1982, the Ad Hoc Committee elected its other officers.

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The following persons were therefore elected officers of the Ad Hoc Committee:

Chairman:

Mr. Oluyemi Adeniji (Nigeria).

Vice-Chairmen:

Mr. Mario Alessi (Italy),

Mr. Juan José Calle y Calle (Peru),

Mr. Alfonso García Robles (Mexico),

Mr. Baruch Grinberg (Bulgaria),

Mr. Guy Hazoumé (Benin),

Mr. Davidson Hepburn (Bahamas),

Mr. Gerhard Herder (German Demccratic Republic),

5/ See also decision S-12/21.

Mr. Miljan Komatina (Yugoslavia),
Mr. Mehdi Mrani Zentar (Morocco),
Mr. Yoshio Okawa (Japan),
Mr. Waliur Rahman (Bangladesh),
Mr. David Sadleir (Australia)
Mr. A. P. Venkataswaran (India).

Rapporteur:

Mr. Omer Ersun (Turkey).

B. OTHER DECISIONS

S-12/21. Establishment of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Twelfth Special Session 6/

At its 1st plenary meeting, on 7 June 1982, the General Assembly:

(a) Decided to establish an Ad Hoc Committee of the Twelfth Special Session, which would be a committee of the whole with a Chairman, 13 Vice-Chairmen and a Rapporteur, on the understanding that its Chairman would also be a member of the General Committee;

(b) Decided that the Ad Hoc Committee would establish a working group on the Comprehensive Programme of Disarmament, another working group on the review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions of the tenth special session of the General Assembly, and any additional working groups as necessary;

(c) Decided that the General Assembly should adopt two documents, one containing the Comprehensive Programme of Disarmament and a second encompassing all other items on the agenda.

S-12/22. Report of the Preparatory Committee for the Second Special Session of the General Assembly Devoted to Disarmament

At its 1st plenary meeting, on 7 June 1982, the General Assembly endorsed the report of the Preparatory Committee for the Second Special Session of the General Assembly Devoted to Disarmament and the recommendations contained therein. 7/

6/ See also decision S-12/15.

7/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Twelfth Special Session, Supplement No. 1 (A/S-12/1 and Corr.1).

S-12/23. Adoption of the agenda and allocation of agenda items

At its 1st plenary meeting, on 7 June 1982, the General Assembly adopted the agenda for the twelfth special session. 8/

At the same meeting, the General Assembly:

(a) Decided that items 1 to 8 and 14 would be considered directly in plenary meeting;

(b) Decided to allocate items 9 to 13 to the Ad Hoc Committee of the Twelfth Special Session and to entrust it with the task of considering all the proposals submitted under those items during the special session and of reporting to the General Assembly.

S-12/24. Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly

At its 28th plenary meeting, on 10 July 1982, the General Assembly approved the report of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Twelfth Special Session as the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly. 9/

8/ A/S-12/20; see sect. I.

9/ A/S-12/32.

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CHECK LIST OF RESOLUTIONS AND DECISIONS

This check list includes the resolution and the decisions adopted by the General Assembly during its twelfth special session.

RESOLUTION

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* The resolution and the decisions were adopted without a vote.