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GENERAL DEBATE AND REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS FOR 1959-60

Draft resolution submitted jointly by Ethiopia, Ghana, Iraq, Morocco
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EQUITABLE REPRESENTATION OF THE "AFRICA AND THE MIDDLE
EAST" AREA ON THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

The General Conference,

- (a) Noting the inadequate representation of the "Africa and the Middle East" area on the Board of Governors,
- (b) Observing that new African States have come into being,
- (c) Recalling that up to the present this area has never held one of the elective seats on the Board of Governors (the so-called "floating seats"), which are not associated with a geographical area and
- (d) Recognizing that the representation of this area on the Board should be increased as soon as possible,

Recommends that the Board of Governors prepare and submit to the General Conference at its fifth regular session, in accordance with Article XVIII of the Statute, a draft amendment to the Statute, together with proposals calculated to achieve the above-mentioned purpose as soon as possible.

