



# General Conference

Fifth regular session

Item 6 of the provisional agenda  
(GC(V)/152)

## APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE AGENCY

### Application by the Congo (Leopoldville)

#### Recommendation by the Board of Governors

1. At a meeting held on 22 September 1961 the following telegram addressed to the Director General by the Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of the Congo (Leopoldville) was communicated to the Board:

"12/4617/01/c312

" 7 September 1961

"..... THE CONGOLESE GOVERNMENT WISHES TO SEE THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE AGENCY STOP PLEASE BE GOOD ENOUGH TO SUBMIT THE REQUEST OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO TO THE NEXT MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS ON 22 SEPTEMBER STOP THE CONGOLESE GOVERNMENT DECLARES THAT IT ACCEPTS THE STATUTE OF THE AGENCY AND WISHES TO FULFILL THE OBLIGATIONS DEVOLVING UPON MEMBER STATES....."

2. The Board considered this application for membership of the Agency in the light of Article IV.B of the Statute, and determined that the Republic of the Congo (Leopoldville) was able and willing to act in accordance with the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations. The Board accordingly recommends that the General Conference approve the Congo for membership of the Agency, and submits the draft resolution below for the consideration of the General Conference.

### APPLICATION BY THE CONGO (LEOPOLDVILLE) FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE AGENCY

The General Conference,

(a) Having received the recommendation of the Board of Governors that the Congo should be approved for membership of the Agency,<sup>1/</sup> and

(b) Having considered the Congo's application for membership in the light of Article IV.B of the Statute,

Approves the Congo (Leopoldville) for membership of the Agency.

<sup>1/</sup> GC(V)/166, paragraph 2.

