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APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE AGENCY

Application by the United Arab Emirates

Hecommendation by the Board of Governors

- 1. On 20 August 1975 the following telegram from the Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs of the United Arab Emirates was communicated to the Board:
 - ".... HAVE THE HONOUR TO INFORM YOU THAT UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
 GOVERNMENT WISH TO BE CONSIDERED MEMBER OF THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC
 ENERGY AGENCY AND SOLEMNLY DECLARE WILLINGNESS OF UNITED ARAB
 EMIRATES GOVERNMENT TO CARRY OUT THE OBLIGATION OF MEMBERSHIP
 OF THE AGENCY AND TO ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PURPOSE AND
 PRINCIPLES OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER"
- 2. On 19 September the Board considered this application for membership of the Agency in the light of Article IV.B of the Statute, and determined that the United Arab Emirates was able and willing to carry out the obligations of membership of the Agency and to act in accordance with the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations. The Board accordingly recommends the Conference to approve the United Arab Emirates for membership of the Agency, and submits the draft resolution overleaf for the consideration of the Conference.

APPLICATION BY THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE AGENCY

The General Conference,

- (a) Having received the recommendation of the Board of Governors that the United Arab Emirates should be approved for membership of the Agency, and
- (b) Having considered the application of the United Arab Emirates for membership in the light of Article IV.B of the Statute,
- 1. Approves the United Arab Emirates for membership of the Agency; and
- 2. <u>Determines</u>, pursuant to Financial Regulation 6.08², that in the event of the United Arab Emirates becoming a Member of the Agency during the remainder of 1975 or in 1976, it shall be assessed as appropriate:
 - (a) For an advance or advances to the Working Capital Fund, in accordance with Financial Regulation 7.033; and
 - (b) For a contribution or contributions towards the Agency's administrative expenses, in accordance with the principles for the assessment of Members for such contributions.

^{1/} GC(XIX)/552, para. 2.

^{2/} INFCIRC/8/Rev.1.

^{3/} INFCIRC/8/Rev.1/Mod.1.

^{4/} These principles were established by Resolutions GC(III)/RES/50 and GC(XV)/RES/203.