Proposed addition to the Draft Report of Working Party 3
under paragraph (d)

In view of the interim nature of the recommendations under Sections A and B of this Report, the Working Party did not feel that it would be useful to consider the question of a permanent headquarters for the Secretariat. It accordingly confined its consideration of this question to the years 1952 and 1953. It recommends that the Secretariat be instructed to make arrangements for this period in Geneva.

The Working Party was informed that there might be difficulties in accommodating the Secretariat in the Palais des Nations during this period and that it might therefore be necessary for the Secretariat to arrange for office space elsewhere than in the Palais. If this should prove to be necessary, it would involve a certain capital expenditure for office furniture and other equipment. The Working Party was informed by the Executive Secretary that he considered that it would be possible to meet these costs without any increase in the total contributions which have been recommended for 1952. The Working Party recommends that the Executive Secretary be authorized to incur such expenditures as may be necessary for this purpose within the limits of the appropriations authorized for the budget year 1952.