There is reproduced below the text of the Final Act as recommended by the General Committee with certain minor drafting modifications to bring it up to date.

If this document is to be ready for signature in all five languages by the end of the Conference it will be necessary for the Conference to approve a text within the near future in order that the translation and printing may proceed while the final items of business of the Conference are being dealt with. Accordingly, it is suggested that a Plenary Meeting of the Conference should give consideration to this text as soon as the method of establishing the Interim Commission has been determined. For the purpose of approving a text of the Final Act a Plenary Meeting of the Conference will probably be called for some date before the end of the present week.

FINAL ACT OF THE UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON TRADE AND EMPLOYMENT

The Economic and Social Council of the United Nations, by a resolution dated 18 February 1946, resolved to call an International Conference on Trade and Employment for the purpose of promoting the expansion of the production, exchange and consumption of goods.

The Conference, which met at Havana on 21 November 1947 and ended on 8 March 1948, drew up the Havana Charter for an International Trade Organization to be submitted to the Governments represented. The text of the Charter in the English and French languages is annexed hereto and is hereby authenticated. The authentic text of the Charter in the Chinese, Russian and Spanish languages will be established by the Interim Commission of the International Trade Organization, in accordance with the procedure approved by the Conference.

There are also annexed to this Final Act a resolution of the Conference establishing an Interim Commission of the International Trade Organization and the other resolutions of the Conference.
This Final Act and the documents annexed shall be deposited with the Secretary-General of the United Nations who will send certified copies to each of the Governments represented at the Conference.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the duly authorized representatives of their Governments have subscribed their names below.

DONE at Havana, this ............... day of March, one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight, in a single copy in the Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish languages.