FIFTH COMMITTEE: INTER-GOVERNMENTAL COMMODITY AGREEMENTS

Fifth Meeting, 5 December 1947 at 4.00 p.m.

Committee Room B

AGENDA

1. Continuation of first reading of SECTION A of Chapter VI of Draft Charter - "GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS" (Articles 52 to 54)

Note:
Since the first reading discussion of this Article the delegation of Italy has now submitted the text of its amendment (See Conference Document C.5/3/Add.2).

2. First reading of SECTION B of Chapter VI - "INTER-GOVERNMENTAL COMMODITY AGREEMENTS IN GENERAL" (Articles 55 to 58)

See Preliminary Annotated Agenda (Conference Document C.5/3).

The delegation of Peru has proposed that a third paragraph be added to Article 56 as follows:

"3. When accepting the invitation of the Organization to participate in an inter-governmental conference in order to discuss methods designed to meet the special difficulties existing with respect to a certain commodity any Member shall commit itself not to keep in force the unilateral methods it may have previously adopted to solve the aforesaid difficulties, particularly those methods which are opposed to the principles set forth in Chapter IV of the Charter."

3. First reading of SECTION C of Draft Charter - "INTER-GOVERNMENTAL COMMODITY CONTROL AGREEMENTS" (Articles 59 to 63)

See Preliminary Annotated Agenda

4. First reading of SECTION D of Draft Charter - "MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS" (Articles 64 to 67)

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The delegation of Colombia has proposed the addition of a new Article (see document C.5/3/Add.1).