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SCOPE

1. This index, prepared by the Documentation Services Division of the Dag Hammarskjold Library at United Nations Headquarters, is intended to offer a bibliographical guide to the proceedings and documentation of the forty-sixth regular session and the fourteenth special session of the Trusteeship Council.

ARRANGEMENT

2. The index consists of the following parts for each session:

(a) Introduction, including list of officers and checklists of meetings of the Trusteeship Council;

(b) Agenda, with reference to the relevant subject headings used in Part (c);

(c) Subject index. Subjects are arranged alphabetically, with reference to the documentation, discussion, and disposition of each item. Agenda item numbers are indicated in parentheses following the subject headings;

(d) Index to speeches. Speeches and statements by representatives are listed in alphabetical order by country or organization, subdivided by subject discussed and by name of speaker, with an indication of the meeting at which the speech was made. Statements and speeches made by private individuals representing an organization to which a hearing was granted are listed under the name of the organization. Statements made by officers of the United Nations Secretariat are listed under the name of the office or department they represented;

(e) Numerical list of documents, arranged by document symbols.

AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS

3. Meeting records of the Council are issued only as verbatim records in provisional form with corrigenda provided as appropriate to cover substantive corrections submitted by delegations. They may be identified by their symbol (T/PV.-.), followed by an ordinal number corresponding to that of the meeting (e.g., T/PV.1482). A Checklist of Meetings is included in the Introduction to each session.

Of the other documents, a few appear only as printed Supplements to the Official Records (a fact always noted in this Index). The rest are issued in mimeographed form. Some of these are later printed as Annexes in the Sessional Fascicle to the Official Records. Resolutions adopted by the Trusteeship Council, first issued in mimeographed form, are collected in printed Supplement No.1 to the Official Records of the session.

4. Printed documentation of these sessions of the Trusteeship Council may be obtained, or purchased from authorized sales agents, by requesting:

Trusteeship Council, Official Records, forty-sixth session or fourteenth special session:

Meeting ... (specify plenary meeting number) for verbatim records;

Supplement No. ... (specify supplement number) for documents issued in this form;

Sessional Fascicle ... for documents republished in the Annexes (also includes text of agenda, list of delegations and check list of documents).
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FOURTEENTH SPECIAL SESSION, 1979

Introduction

The fourteenth special session of the Trusteeship Council was held at United Nations Headquarters in New York from 12 to 15 February 1979.

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Officers

President: Mr. Jean-Claude Brochenin (France) elected at the 1482nd meeting

Rules of Procedure

The Rules of Procedure of the Trusteeship Council, as amended up to and during the twenty-ninth session, T/1/Rev.6 (Sales No. 62.I.23), were in effect during the fourteenth special session.

Resolutions and Decisions

Resolution 2167 of the fourteenth special session is included in document T/1812 (TCOR, 46th sess., Suppl. No.1) (To be issued).

Checklist of Meetings

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2. Report of the Secretary-General on credentials
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3. Election of the President
   See TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL: President: election

4. Letter dated 29 January 1979 from the Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the Acting President of the Trusteeship Council, inviting the Trusteeship Council to send a visiting mission to the Marshall Islands to observe the constitutional referendum on 1 Mar 1979
   See MARSHALL ISLANDS: referendum, 1979

5. Terms of reference of the United Nations Visiting Mission to the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, 1979 (2166 (XLV))
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MARSHALL ISLANDS
-- referendum, 1979 (agenda item 4)
See also Pacific Islands under United States administration

Documents
T/1796 United States. Letter, 29 Jan, transmitting letter from the Speaker of the Marshall Islands Nitijela inviting the Trusteeship Council to send a visiting mission to observe the referendum on 1 Mar (contains resolution adopted by the Marshall Islands Constitutional Convention)
T/1797 United States. Letter, 29 Jan, requesting convening of a special session of the Council to consider the invitation
T/L.1213 Draft resolution

Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV. 1482, 1483
Draft resolution in T/L. 1213, concerning arrangements for the dispatch of a visiting mission to observe the constitutional referendum in the Marshall Islands, adopted (3-0-1) at the 1483rd meeting as resolution 2167 (XLVI)

PACIFIC ISLANDS UNDER UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION

See also Marshall Islands: referendum, 1979
-- visiting mission, 1979: terms of reference (agenda item 5)

Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV. 1482, 1483
Upon the proposal of the representative of the United Kingdom, the Council decided to add an item entitled "Terms of reference of the Visiting Mission to the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, 1979 (2166 (XLV))" to its provisional agenda at the 1482nd meeting

The Council decided to defer to early 1980 the dispatch of the periodic visiting mission scheduled for 1979 under the terms of Trusteeship Council resolution 2166 (XLV) at the 1483rd meeting

TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL (continued)
-- agenda (continued)

Discussion in Plenary (continued)
The Council adopted the provisional agenda in T/1796, as revised, without objection

-- closing of session

The 14th special session was declared closed at the 1483rd meeting on 15 Feb by the President, Mr. J.-C. Brochenin (France)

-- members: representatives: credentials (agenda item 2)

Documents
T/1798 Secretary-General. Report on credentials (annex contains list of delegations)

Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV. 1482, 1483
At the 1483rd meeting the Council took note of the report in T/1799

-- opening of session

The 14th special session was declared open at the 1482nd meeting on 12 Feb by the Temporary President, Miss Sheila E. Harden (United Kingdom)

-- President: election (agenda item 3)

Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1482
The Council elected Mr. Jean-Claude Brochenin (France) as President

-- report to Security Council

Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1483
The Council decided to authorize the Secretariat, in consultations with the President and Council members, to prepare a report covering the work of the 14th special session to be included in its forthcoming annual report to the Security Council

-- resolution

Resolution T/RES/2167 (S-XIV), issued initially in mimeographed form, will be included in T/1812 (TCOR, 43rd session, Suppl. No.1) (To be issued)

T/RES/2167 (S-XIV) Marshall Islands: referendum, 1979: visiting mission to observe

UNITED NATIONS VISITING MISSION TO THE TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS, 1979
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Pacific Islands under United States administration: visiting mission, 1979: terms of reference  T/PV.1483

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Trusteeship Council:
  closing statement  T/PV.1483
  members: representatives: credentials  T/PV.1483
  President: election  T/PV.1482
  report to Security Council  T/PV.1483

TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL: SECRETARY (Abebe, G.)

Marshall Islands: referendum, 1979  T/PV.1482

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Speeches by representatives
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Marshall Islands: referendum, 1979  T/PV.1482, 1483

Speeches by representative
Cooks, S.  T/PV.1482, 1483

* Also spoke as representative of United Kingdom.
** Also spoke as Temporary President of the 14th special session.
Numerical List of Documents

Plenary

General Series
T/1766-1799

Limited Series
T/L. 1213

Verbatim Records
T/PV. 1482, 1483

Resolutions
T/RES/2167 (S-XIV)
FORTY-SIXTH SESSION, 1979

Introduction

The forty-sixth session of the Trusteeship Council was held at United Nations Headquarters in New York from 21 May to 18 June 1979.

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Officers

President: Miss Sheila E. Harden (United Kingdom) elected at the 1484th meeting

Vice-President: Mr. Jean-Claude Brochenin (France) elected at the 1484th meeting

Secretary: Mr. Girma Abebe

Rules of Procedure

The Rules of Procedure of the Trusteeship Council, as amended up to and during the twenty-ninth session, T/1/Rev. 6 (Sales No. 62.I.23), were in effect during the forty-sixth session.

Resolutions and Decisions

Resolutions and decisions of the forty-sixth session are collected in document T/1812 (TCOR, 46th sess., Suppl. No.1) (To be issued).

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3. Election of the President and Vice-President
   See TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL: officers: election

4. Examination of the annual report of the Administering Authority for the year ended 30 September 1978: Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands

5. Examination of petitions listed in the annex to the agenda
   See PACIFIC ISLANDS UNDER UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION: petitions, communications and observations

   See MICRONESIA (FEDERATED STATES): referendum, 1978

   See MARSHALL ISLANDS: referendum, 1979

8. Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Trust Territories: report of the Secretary-General
   See PACIFIC ISLANDS UNDER UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION: study and training facilities offered to inhabitants

   See PACIFIC ISLANDS UNDER UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION: dissemination of information about United Nations

10. Co-operation with the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
    See TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL: co-operation with Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination

11. Decade for Action to Combat Racism and Racial Discrimination
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12. Attainment of self-government or independence by the Trust Territories and the situation in the Trust Territories with regard to the implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples
    See PACIFIC ISLANDS UNDER UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION: self-government or independence

13. Co-operation with the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples
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14. Adoption of the report of the Trusteeship Council to the Security Council

15. Arrangements for the dispatch of a visiting mission to observe the constitutional referendum in Palau, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, July 1979
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COLONIAL COUNTRIES
-- independence: Declaration, 1960: implementation

See Pacific Islands under United States administration: self-government or independence
Trusteeship Council: co-operation with Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples

DECADE FOR ACTION TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION, 1973-1983 (agenda item 11)
General Assembly resolutions 3057 (XXVII) and 35/98
Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1493
The Council decided to take note of the statements made at the meeting

DRAFTING COMMITTEE ON THE PACIFIC ISLANDS UNDER UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION
-- members: appointment
Action in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1492
France and United Kingdom were appointed
-- report T/L. 1219

MARSHALL ISLANDS
-- referendum, 1979 (agenda item 7)
See also Pacific Islands under United States administration

Documents
Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV. 1484, 1487, 1489, 1491, 1492, 1494, 1495
Draft resolution in T/L. 1215, taking note of the report of the UN Visiting Mission, adopted (3-0-1) at the 1494th meeting as resolution 2169 (XLVI)

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-- dissemination of information about United Nations (agenda item 9)
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Trusteeship Council resolution 36 (III)

Documents
T/1801 Add. 1 Secretary-General. Report for the period 1 May 1978 - 30 Apr 1979
Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV. 1493, 1494
The Council decided to take note of the Secretary-General's report in T/1801 & Add. 1 at the 1494th meeting

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-- referendum, 1978 (continued)

Documents (continued)
T/1800 United States. Note verbale, 2 Nov, transmitting text of House Joint Resolution 7-144 adopted by the Congress of Micronesia on 26 Oct 1978 on the results of the constitutional referendum held on 12 Jul 1978 in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands
T/L. 1215 France. Draft resolution

Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV. 1484, 1489, 1491, 1492, 1494, 1495
Draft resolution in T/L. 1215, taking note of the report of the UN Visiting Mission, adopted (3-0-1) at the 1494th meeting as resolution 2169 (XLVI)

-- petitions, communications and observations (agenda item 5)
See also Trusteeship Council: hearings: Pacific Islands under United States administration

Documents
T/1802/Add. 1 List of petitions and communications received by the Secretary-General and circulated to members of the Council

Petitions and communications
T/COM. 10/1235 High Chiefs Ibedul and Reklai, Palau District. Communication concerning draft constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia
T/COM. 10/1236 Congress of Micronesia: House of Representatives. Communication transmitting resolution concerning establishment of a Special Joint Committee to review the results of the referendum on the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia
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-- petitions, communications and observations (continued)

Petitions and communications (continued)

T/COM. 10/L. 237 Congress of Micronesia: House of Representatives. Communication transmitting resolution concerning reinstatement of funds in the United States Department of the Interior appropriation for the payment of awards under Title II of the Micronesian Claims Act of 1971

T/COM. 10/L. 238 Ramp, Frederick L. Communication concerning charges of misconduct made by the Palau Political Status Commission against the presiding officers of the Congress

T/COM. 10/L. 239 Congress of Micronesia: House of Representatives. Communication transmitting resolution accepting and confirming the results of the referendum on the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia

T/COM. 10/L. 240 Congress of Micronesia: Senate. Communication transmitting resolution urging the United States Secretary of the Interior to amend the Interim Secretarial Order of 29 Sep 1978 relating to the structure of government in the Trust Territory

T/COM. 10/L. 241 Palau District Legislature. Communication transmitting resolution concerning renewal of consultations of the Palau Commission on Status and Transition with Professor J. K. Galbraith regarding the issues which affect the future of Palau

T/COM. 10/L. 242 Christian, Peter, Ponape District Legislature. Communication concerning policy statement issued by the United States Department of the Interior regarding federal programs in the southern districts of the Trust Territory

T/COM. 10/L. 243 Ponape District Legislature. Communication transmitting resolution concerning unilateral action by the High Commissioner to amend the Charter of the Ponape District Government

T/COM. 10/L. 244 Ponape District Legislature. Communication transmitting resolution requesting the United States Secretary of the Interior to re-evaluate the policy statement of 9 Nov 1978 with respect to the application of federal programmes to the Trust Territory

T/COM. 10/L. 245 Ponape District Legislature. Communication transmitting resolution concerning the budgetary crisis in Ponape District

T/COM. 10/L. 246 Micronesia (Federated States): Interim Congress: Senate. Communication transmitting resolution concerning the effective date of the Constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia

T/COM. 10/L. 247 Micronesia (Federated States): Interim Congress: Senate. Communication transmitting resolution requesting the United States Secretary of the Interior and the Office of Micronesian Status Negotiations to establish and support future funding for a modern telecommunications system for the Federated States of Micronesia

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-- petitions, communications and observations (continued)

Petitions and communications (continued)

T/COM. 10/L. 248 Palau Constitutional Convention. Communication transmitting resolution relating to the proper and fair resolution of outstanding Micronesian war claims


T/COM. 10/L. 250 Samuel, Tibrikrik and others. Communication concerning the "free food" situation developing in the Pacific Territories - most specifically the Marshall Islands

T/COM. 10/L. 251 Palau Constitutional Convention. Communication transmitting resolution relating to the referendum of the Republic of Palau

T/COM. 10/L. 252 Principal Association of the State of Ponape: Chairman. Communication transmitting petition requesting the United States Government to continue the present level of financial assistance

T/COM. 10/L. 253 Palau Legislature. Communication transmitting resolution adopted by the House of Elected Members requesting the High Commissioner of the Trust Territory to declare Palau a disaster area with regard to power and water supplies

T/COM. 10/L. 254 Marshall Islands Nitijela. Communication transmitting resolution requesting the Government of the United States to conduct a radiological survey in the Marshall Islands

T/PET. 10/134 Cummins, Michael J., M.D. Petition concerning medical care for the people of Marshall Islands

T/PET. 10/135 Nakayama, Tosiwo and Bethwel Henry, Congress of Micronesia. Petition requesting that UN representation be present for the review of the referendum results in Palau

T/PET. 10/136 Akapito, Julio M. and Ambilos Lehsi, Special Joint Cttee on Referendum Review. Petition concerning a challenge made to the referendum result from Palau District and requesting the Security and Trusteeship Councils to send representatives to observe the final step of the constitutional process in Micronesia


T/PET. 10/138 Berman, Maureen, International League for Human Rights. Petition requesting permission to present an oral petition at the 1979 session of the Council
PACIFIC ISLANDS UNDER UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION (continued)
-- petitions, communications and observations (continued)

Petitions and communications (continued)


T/PET.10/139/Add.1 Wood, William T., Coalition of Churches, National Council of the Churches of Christ in the United States. Petition requesting participation of Mr. A. Patterson in Trusteeship Council meetings

T/PET.10/140 Olikong, Santos, Palau Special Cttee on War Damage Claims Settlement. Petition requesting permission to appear as a petitioner before the Trusteeship Council

T/PET.10/141 Campbell, Faith Thompson, Natural Resources Defense Council, Inc. Petition requesting permission to present an oral petition to the Council during its 46th session

T/PET.10/142 Weisgall, Jonathan M., on behalf of the people of Bikini. Petition requesting participation of named individuals at the 46th session of the Trusteeship Council

T/PET.10/143 Uludong, Moses, on behalf of the Group of People's Belau Movement and Save Palau Organization. Petition requesting participation in Trusteeship Council meetings

T/PET.10/144 Nakamura, Tosiwo, Palau Post Convention Cttee. Petition requesting permission to present a petition on behalf of the former delegates to the Palau Constitutional Convention, the Palau Post Convention Cttee and the people of Palau to the Trusteeship Council during its 46th session

T/PET.10/145 Bedor, Roman. Petition requesting permission to present a petition on behalf of the Concerned Citizens of Palau and the Group to Save the Draft Constitution to the Trusteeship Council during its 46th session

T/PET.10/146 Salii, Carlos H. Petition requesting permission to appear before the Trusteeship Council in order to assist T. Nakamura of Palau in the presentation of his petition (T/PET.10/144)

T/PET.10/147 Gibbons, Y. M. Petition requesting permission to appear before the Council

T/PET.10/148 Japan Congress against Atomic and Hydrogen Bombs (GENSUIKIN). Petition supporting the nuclear ban in the new Palau Constitution

T/PET.10/149 Nakamura, Tosiwo. Petition requesting the Trusteeship Council to send observers to the Palau constitutional referendum to be held on 9 Jul

T/PET.10/150 Oiterong, Alfonso. Petition requesting assistance of the Trusteeship Council in administering the Palau constitutional referendum on 9 Jul

PACIFIC ISLANDS UNDER UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION (continued)
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Observations


T/OBS.10/147 United States. Observations on petition in T/PET.10/137

T/OBS.10/148 United States. Observations on communication in T/COM.10/L.250

Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV. 1486-1488, 1490,1494

At the 1486th meeting, the Council decided to grant oral hearings requested in T/PET.10/138-143

At the 1487th meeting, the Council decided to grant oral hearings requested in T/PET.10/139/Add.1 and T/PET.10/144-146

At the 1490th meeting, the Council decided to grant an oral hearing requested in T/PET.10/147

At the 1490th meeting, the Council decided to take note of the communications in T/COM.10/L.236-253. With regard to the petitions in T/PET.10/134 and T/PET.10/137, and communication in T/COM.10/L.235, the Council decided to draw the attention of the petitioners to the observations of the Administering Authority

At the 1494th meeting, the Council decided to take note of the petition in T/PET.10/148 and the observations of the Administering Authority in T/OBS.10/48 (concerning T/COM.10/L.250)

-- report, 1977/1978 (agenda item 4)

Documents

T/1803 Secretary-General. Note transmitting report of the United States Government on the administration of the Trust Territory, 1 Oct 1977 - 30 Sep 1978 (United States Department of State publication 8272)

T/L.1214 & Add.1-4 Secretariat. Working paper on outline of conditions in the Trust Territory (preliminary draft of section of report of the Trusteeship Council to the Security Council)

Discussion in Drafting Cttee: No meeting records issued

T/L.1219 Report

Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV.1485-1492, 1494,1495

Report in T/L.1219, together with the conclusions and recommendations annexed thereto, adopted (2-1-1) at the 1495th meeting

-- self-government or independence (agenda item 12)

General Assembly resolutions 1514 (XV) and 33/44

Documents

T/1804 United States. Letter, 25 Apr, rejecting allegations by the USSR concerning administration of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, and stating that the exercise of full self-determination by the peoples of the Territory has led to the decision to divide the Territory into more than one entity
PACIFIC ISLANDS UNDER UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION (continued)
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Documents (continued)
T/1806 United States. Note verbale, 3 May, transmitting Department of the Interior Secretariat Order entitled "Recognition of Governmental Entities under Locally-Ratified Constitutions in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands"

Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1493
The Council decided to draw the attention of the Security Council to the conclusions and recommendations which would be adopted concerning the attainment of self-government or independence by the Territory under the guidance of the Trusteeship Council as well as to the statements made by members of the Council on the question

-- study and training facilities for inhabitants (agenda item 8)
General Assembly resolutions 557 (VI) and 753 (VIII)
Documents
T/1809 Secretary-General. Report on offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Trust Territories for the period 25 May 1978 - 24 May 1979

Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1491
The Council decided to take note of the report in T/1809

-- visiting missions
See Marshall Islands: referendum, 1979
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PALAU
-- referendum, 1979 (agenda item 15)
See also Pacific Islands under United States administration

Documents
T/1808 United States. Letter, 16 May, transmitting resolution adopted by the Palau Constitutional Convention requesting the Trusteeship Council to send representatives to observe the referendum on the proposed constitution to be held on 9 Jul (text of the resolution in T/COM.10/L.251)
T/1811 United States. Note verbale, 25 Jun, transmitting statement of Mr. A. P. Winkel, High Commissioner of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, concerning the Palau constitutional referendum
T/L. 1217 Draft resolution

Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV. 1484, 1485, 1489, 1492-1495
Draft resolution in T/L. 1217, concerning arrangements for the dispatch of a visiting mission to observe the constitutional referendum in Palau on 9 Jul, adopted (3-1-0) at the 1493rd meeting as resolution 2168 (XLVI)

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-- agenda (agenda item 1)
Documents
T/1802 Provisional agenda
T/1802/Add.1 List of petitions and communications received by the Secretary-General and circulated to members of the Council

Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1484
The President referred to a letter from the United States requesting the Trusteeship Council to consider sending a mission to Palau to observe the constitutional referendum on 9 Jul. The Council decided to include this request in its agenda as an additional item.
The Council adopted the provisional agenda in T/1802 as amended

-- closing of session
The 46th session was declared closed at the 1495th meeting on 15 Jun by the President, Miss S. E. Harden (United Kingdom)

-- co-operation with Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (agenda item 10)
General Assembly resolutions 2106 B (XX) and 33/102

Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1493
The Council decided to take note of the statements made at the meeting

-- co-operation with Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples (agenda item 13)
General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI)

Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1493
The Council decided to draw the attention of the Security Council to the conclusions and recommendations adopted concerning the attainment of self-government or independence by the Territory under the guidance of the Trusteeship Council, as well as to the statements made by members of the Council on the question

-- hearings: Pacific Islands under United States administration
See also Pacific Islands under United States administration: petitions, communications and observations
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Requests for hearings:

Bedor, Roman (on behalf of the Concerned Citizens of Palau and the Group to Save the Draft Constitution) T/PET. 10/145
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Campbell, Faith Thompson (on behalf of the Natural Resources Defense Council) T/PET. 10/141
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Olikong, Santos (on behalf of the Palau Special Ctee on War Damage Claims Settlement) T/PET. 10/145
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Uludong, Moses (on behalf of the Tia Beluad Movement and Save Palau Organization) T/PET. 10/143
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International League for Human Rights:
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Uludong, Moses (on behalf of the Tia Beluad Movement and Save Palau Organization) at the 1490th meeting
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T/1810 Secretary-General. Report on credentials (annex contains list of delegations)

Discussion in Plenary: Meetings T/PV. 1484, 1494
At the 1494th meeting, the Council took note of the report in T/1810

-- officers: election (agenda item 3)

Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1484
The Council elected Miss Sheila E. Harden (United Kingdom) as President and Mr. Jean-Claude Brochenin (France) as Vice-President

-- opening of session
The 46th session was declared open at the 1484th meeting on 21 May by the Temporary President, Mr. Jean-Claude Brochenin (France)

-- report to Security Council, 1978/1979 (agenda item 14)

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Documents

T/L. 1214 & Add. 1-4 Secretariat. Working paper on outline of conditions in the Trust Territory (preliminary draft of section of report of the Trusteeship Council to the Security Council)
T/L. 1218 Secretariat. Working paper containing draft report
T/L. 1219 Drafting Ctee on the Pacific Islands under United States administration. Report

Discussion in Plenary: Meeting T/PV. 1495
Draft report in T/L. 1218 adopted (3-1-0). Text of report will be published as a Security Council document (SCOR, 34th year, Special Suppl. No. 1) (To be issued)

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** Also spoke as the Chairwoman of the UN Visiting Mission to observe the referendum in the Marshall Islands and as representative of United Kingdom.
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* Also spoke as representative of France.
** Also spoke as Chairman of the UN Visiting Mission to observe the referendum of the draft constitution of the Federated States of Micronesia, Jul 1978.
*** Also spoke as Chairwoman of the UN Visiting Mission to observe the referendum on the draft constitution of the Marshall Islands, Mar 1979, and as President of the Trusteeship Council.
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