



IMCO

COUNCIL - 20th session
Agenda item 10

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

RESOLUTION C.40(XX)

adopted on 17 May 1968

THE COUNCIL,

HAVING in view the tasks devolving on the Organization by the terms of Resolution A.140(V) adopted by the fifth regular session of the Assembly on 26 October 1967,

RECOGNIZING the great importance of technical assistance projects within the purview of IMCO, and the need for expanding the activities of IMCO in this field,

RECOGNIZING FURTHER the need for maximization of benefits following from such an expanded programme through the concentration of activities in specific fields, with special reference to adequate coverage of major geographical areas of the world,

BEARING IN MIND the need for effective co-operation with other Organizations of the United Nations family so as to avoid duplication of work,

HAVING RECOGNIZED the requirement for a general survey of the needs of developing countries and of the resources available and required to meet such needs,

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HAVING NOTED in this connexion the intention of the Government of Brazil to establish a regional maritime training centre for which project the assistance of IMCO would be required,

DECIDES to request the Secretary-General:

- (1) to pursue with the Government of Brazil the project for a regional maritime training centre to be established with the assistance of IMCO in that country;
- (2) to carry out a survey of the needs of developing countries in the technical assistance field and the resources available and required to meet those needs;
- (3) to report to an early session of the Council.