

## RESOLUTION A.303(VIII)

*Adopted on 23 November 1973  
Agenda item 23*

### LONG-TERM WORK PROGRAMME OF THE ORGANIZATION

THE ASSEMBLY,

RECALLING Resolution A.248(VII) by which it approved the long-term programme of work to be undertaken by the Organization for the period 1974–1978,

RECALLING ALSO that it requested Council, the Maritime Safety Committee and the Legal Committee to keep this programme under continuing review in the light of developments in the work of the Organization,

HAVING CONSIDERED the proposals of Council for a revised long-term work programme which has taken account of the recommendations of the Maritime Safety Committee and the Legal Committee,

DECIDES to approve the long-term programme of work to be undertaken by the Organization for the period 1974–1980 as set out in the Annex to this Resolution,

REQUESTS Council, the Maritime Safety Committee, the Legal Committee and the Marine Environment Protection Committee to keep this programme under review in the light of developments in the work of the Organization and report or recommend, as necessary, to the ninth session of the Assembly.

### ANNEX

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- 1974      Extraordinary session of the Assembly;  
            Legal Conference on:  
            (a) liability of passengers and luggage;  
            (b) wreck removal and related issues.  
            Conference on revision of the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1960.
- 1975      (Assembly year)  
            Conference on maritime satellites.
- 1976      Legal Conference on:  
            (a) limitation of liability of owners of sea-going ships;  
            (b) civil liability for pollution damage from substances other than oil;  
            Conference on safety of fishing vessels.
- 1977      (Assembly year)  
            Conference on crew training and certification.
- 1978      Conference on search and rescue systems;  
            Conference on the legal status of hovercraft.
- 1979      (Assembly year)  
            Conference on safety of novel types of craft.
- 1980      Conference on enforcement of legal measures to combat marine pollution.

*Note:* It is envisaged that a second Conference on maritime satellites would be convened, the exact date to be decided by the first Conference in 1975.