

# RESOLUTIONS

## Resolution A.45 (III)

### BANNING OF NUCLEAR TESTS IN THE ATMOSPHERE, IN OUTER SPACE AND UNDER WATER

The Assembly,

*Guided* by a deep conviction that the maintenance of international peace is a matter of paramount importance to the whole of mankind,

*Concerned* to ensure the safety of sea-going shipping for the development of international trade,

*Expresses* its satisfaction at the conclusion and coming into force of the Treaty to ban nuclear tests in the atmosphere, in outer space and under water, signed in Moscow on 5 August 1963.

18 October 1963

## Resolution A.46 (III)

### APPROVAL OF THE APPOINTMENT OF THE EXTERNAL AUDITOR

The Assembly,

*Noting* Article 16 of the Convention concerning the functions of the Assembly,

*Noting further* Article 27 of the Convention concerning performance by the Council of all functions of the Assembly between sessions of that body,

*Recalling* Article XII of the Financial Regulations of the Organization and Resolution A.23 (II),

*Taking note* that the Council has extended the appointment of Sir Edmund Compton, K.B.E., C.B., as External Auditor of the Organization for a period of one year commencing 1 July 1963,

*Taking further note* of the fact that Sir Edmund Compton, K.B.E., C.B., is prepared to accept a further extension of his term of office,

*Confirms* the appointment of Sir Edmund Compton, K.B.E., C.B., as External Auditor for the period 1 July 1963 to 30 June 1964,

*Decides* to extend this appointment for a period of four years commencing 1 July 1964.

18 October 1963  
Agenda item 8

## Resolution A.47 (III)

### RED SEA LIGHTS

The Assembly,

*Taking note* of Article 1(a) of the Convention which provides that the purposes of the Organization shall include the general adoption of the highest

practicable standards in matters concerning maritime safety and efficiency of navigation,

*Taking note also* of Article 29 of the Convention relating to the duties of the Maritime Safety Committee which include all matters directly affecting maritime safety,

*Noting further* that the Maritime Safety Committee at its seventh session reaffirmed that in its view the efficient functioning of the Red Sea lights is essential to safe navigation in the area,

*Noting in addition* that the Council, in accordance with Article 22 of the Convention, considered the Report of the Maritime Safety Committee which included this matter and transmitted it to the Assembly,

*Decides* to endorse the view expressed by the Maritime Safety Committee.

18 October 1963  
Agenda item 12

## Resolution A.48 (III)

### APPROVAL OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE MARITIME SAFETY COMMITTEE ON TREATMENT OF SHELTER-DECK AND OTHER 'OPEN' SPACES

The Assembly,

*Taking note* of Article 16(i) of the Convention concerning the functions of the Assembly,

*Noting further* Articles 22 and 30 of the Convention which set out the procedure for consideration and adoption of recommendations to members concerning maritime safety,

*Noting in addition* that the Recommendations of the Maritime Safety Committee as to the treatment of shelter-deck and other 'open' spaces has been considered by the Council at its ninth session and transmitted to the Assembly,

*Bearing in mind*

Recommendation 17 of the International Conference on Safety of Life at Sea, 1960,

the Statement issued at the meeting of tonnage experts from Oslo Convention member countries held in Reykjavik in 1961,

the Resolution of the 1959 Conference of Classification Societies,

concerning the closing of tonnage openings in the interests of safety,

*Having considered* the Recommendations of the Maritime Safety Committee on treatment of shelter-deck and other 'open' spaces