

SUMMARY OF DEBATES - INFORMATION OFFICE – GENERAL CONFERENCE 34TH SESSION

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Date	Saturday, 20 October 2007	Organ	PRX Committee
N° meeting	Seventh Meeting	Hour	From : 4. 00 p.m. To : 8. 00 p.m.
Chairperson	Ms Salwa Saniora Baasiri	Country	

SUMMARY OF DEBATE (S)

Debate status	Continuation of	Debate N°	Debate 6
Items considered	<p>Item 4.2 - Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009 Part II.C Programme Related Services: Chapter 3 – Public Information</p> <p>Item 5.7 - Directives concerning the use of the name, acronym, logo and Internet domain names of UNESCO</p> <p>Debate 7</p> <p>Item 4.2 - Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009 - Part II.C: Programme Related Services: Chapter 4 – Strategic planning and programme monitoring</p> <p>Item 3.1 - Consideration and adoption of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy for 2008-2013 (34 C/4)</p> <p>Item 3.2 - Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2010-2011 (35 C/5)</p> <p>Debate 8</p> <p>Item 6.1 - Implementation of 33 C/Resolution 92 (Relations between the three organs of UNESCO)</p> <p>Debate 9</p> <p>Item 2.2 – Reports of the Executive Board</p>		
DRs examined	34 C/COM.PRX/DR.1		
Summary	<p>The Commission started its seventh meeting, continuation of Debate 6, by giving the floor to the President of the Legal Committee, Mr Kono to provide the Delegates with the modalities and rule regarding the use of UNESCO logo and especially regarding part V of Item 5.7.</p> <p>The floor was then given to the representatives of the following Delegations (in order of participation):Lithuania, Saint Lucia, Bolivia, Morocco, Mexico, Islamic Republic of Iran,Sri Lanka, Germany, Spain, Belgium, Netherlands, Portugal, Grenada, Norway, Colombia, Japan, Chile and Sweden.</p> <p>Mr Munoz Gomez Saturnino, Director of the Bureau of Public Information was invited to respond to the Delegates' questions and to provide them with additional clarifications.</p> <p>Having ccompleted the debate on Item 4.2 - Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009, Part II.C Programme Related Services: Chapter</p>		

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	<p>3 – Public Information, the Chairman closed Debate 6.</p> <p>Debate 7 was opened and the representative of the Assistant Director-General for the Bureau of Strategy and Planification, Mr Jean-Yves le Saux, presented Item 4.2 - Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2008-2009 - Part II.C: Programme Related Services: Chapter 4 – Strategic planning and programme monitoring, Item 3.1 - Consideration and adoption of the Draft Medium-Term Strategy for 2008-2013 (34 C/4) and Item 3.2 - Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2010-2011 (35 C/5).</p> <p>The floor was then given to the representatives of the following Delegations (in order of participation): France, Sweden, Grenada, Bulgaria, Brazil, Mexico, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Norway.</p> <p>The Chairperson closed Debate 7 after the Commission recommended on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Item 4.2 : that the General Conference adopt the proposed Resolution contained in paragraph 10400 of the Draft 34 C/5 2nd version Vol. 1 and its Corrigendum as amended by the 34 C/6 Add.; - Item 3.1: that the General Conference that it takes note of the discussions held both in the interdisciplinary meeting and in this Commission concerning documents 34 C/4, 34 C/11 and transmits it to the drafting group on the C/4; - Item 3.2: that the General Conference that it takes note of document 34 C/7 - Preparation of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2010-2011 (35 C/5).
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Debate status	Opening of	Debate N°	Debate 8
Items considered	Item 6.1 - Implementation of 33 C/Resolution 92 (Relations between the three organs of UNESCO)		
DRs examined			
Summary	<p>Opening of Debate 8</p> <p>The Commission moved then on to the consideration Item 6.1 - Implementation of 33 C/Resolution 92 (Relations between the three organs of UNESCO). The present Item was introduced to the floor by the following representatives of the Director-General (in order of participation):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Michael Millward, Secretary a.i. of the General Conference, - Mr Parsuramen, Secretary of the Executive Board; - Mr Kamel Boughaba, Vice-Chairperson of the LEG Committee Bou Ghabra and - Ms Elizabeth Longworth, Director of Cabinet of the Director-General. <p>The representatives of the following Delegations then took the floor (in order of participation): Sweden, France, Grenada, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Spain, Saint Lucia, Morocco and Germany.</p> <p>On the light of the debate, the Chairperson suggested that the Commission recommends to the General Conference to take note of document 34 C/19 and (Annex) Rev.</p> <p>Debate 8 was closed.</p> <p>Debate 9 : Item 2.2 – Reports of the Executive Board was introduced by Ms Samira El</p>		

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	<p>Daher, President of the Special Committee. The Chairperson then gave the floor to the representatives of the following Delegations (in order of participation): Morocco, Saint Lucia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, and Brazil.</p> <p>After debating, the Chairperson proposed to the Commission that the General Conference adopt the proposed Draft Resolution in Document 34 C/19 Add as amended by the Commission.</p> <p>Regarding Debate on Item 14.3 - Remembrance of victims of the Great Famine (Holodomor) in Ukraine, a working group will meet on Monday to reach a consensus which conclusion will be presented to the Commission on Tuesday of the following week.</p> <p>End of PRX Commission works.</p>
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