continue to seek acceptable projects to enable the fund to be utilized for the purposes for which it is intended;

4. Requests the Negotiating Committee for Extra-Budgetary Funds to seek the funds required to meet the current needs of the relief programmes and to invite governments to take into account the need for the additional pledges which will be required to meet the total programme now established at \$292.8 million.

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## The General Assembly,

Having noted that the present membership of the Advisory Commission of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East, established pursuant to paragraph 8 of General Assembly resolution 302 (IV) of 8 December 1949, is composed of representatives of Egypt, France, Jordan, Syria, Turkey, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America,

Noting further that it is in the general interest that other contributing countries join the Advisory Commission,

Authorizes the Advisory Commission to increase its membership by not more than two additional members.

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The Secretary of State to the United States Mission at the United Nations 1

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261. For Lodge from Secretary. Following is revised text Banat Ya'qub Resolution for discussion with French and British. I prefer this version to British draft (Usun 275). <sup>2</sup> Provision for abolition of demilitarized zones has been dropped and I have added section pointing way towards solution problem in order to give resolution necessary positive character. Clause at end of paragraph 3 reading "in the zone so long as an agreement is not arranged" dropped because essential requirement is that parties satisfy Chairman of MAC not that they reach agreement between themselves.

<sup>1</sup> Cleared with Secretary Dulles.

<sup>\*</sup> Telegram 275 from New York, Nov. 25, is not printed. (683.84A/11-2553)