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### GENERAL DEBATE AND REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS FOR 1960-61

#### Draft resolution submitted by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics

#### PARTICIPATION OF THE AGENCY IN INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITY DIRECTED TOWARDS RESOLVING THE PROBLEM OF DISARMAMENT

##### The General Conference,

- (a) Considering that, under Article III.B.1 of the Statute, the Agency shall conduct its activities  
"in conformity with policies of the United Nations furthering the establishment of safeguarded world-wide disarmament and in conformity with any international agreements entered into pursuant to such policies",
- (b) Recalling resolution 1378 (XIV) adopted unanimously by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 20 November 1959 on "General and complete disarmament", which states that "the question of general and complete disarmament is the most important one facing the world today",
- (c) Recognizing that the Agency, in Article II of its Statute, declares that its objective is "to accelerate and enlarge the contribution of atomic energy to peace, health and prosperity throughout the world" and that the attainment of this objective is closely related to the complete prohibition and destruction of nuclear weapons, which is possible only under conditions of general and complete disarmament,
- (d) Considering also that realization of general and complete disarmament would settle the question of universal and final discontinuation of tests of nuclear and thermo-nuclear weapons, and
- (e) Noting that an understanding has been reached between the Governments of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and the United States of America on agreed principles for negotiations on disarmament,

