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APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE AGENCY

Application by Malaysia

Recommendation by the Board of Governors

1. On 21 September 1967 the following two communications addressed to the Director General by the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Malaysia were communicated to the Board:

Note verbale dated 3 May 1967

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"The Minister for Foreign Affairs, Malaysia has the honour to make a formal request for Malaysia's membership into the International Atomic Energy Agency.

"It is hoped that the Malaysian Government would be able to participate fully in the Agency's activities and also to further its main objectives 'to accelerate and enlarge the contribution of atomic energy to peace, health and prosperity throughout the world! ______.

Telegram dated 19 September 1967

". . . THE MALAYSIAN GOVERNMENT HAS THE HONOUR TO APPLY FOR MEMBERSHIP OF IAEA AND ACCEPTS RESPONSIBILITY AND OBLIGATIONS IMPOSED ON IT BY STATUTE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS MALAYSIA"

^{1/} Statute, Article II.

2. On 22 September the Board considered this application for membership of the Agency in the light of Article IV.B of the Statute, and determined that Malaysia was able and willing to carry out the obligations of membership of the Agency and to act in accordance with the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations. The Board accordingly recommends that the General Conference approve Malaysia for membership of the Agency and submits the draft resolution below for the consideration of the Conference.

APPLICATION BY MALAYSIA FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE AGENCY

The General Conference,

- (a) <u>Having received</u> the recommendation of the Board of Governors that Malaysia should be approved for membership of the Agency, */ and
- (b) <u>Having considered</u> Malaysia's application for membership in the light of Article IV.B of the Statute,

Approves Malaysia for membership of the Agency.

^{*/} GC(XI)/365, para. 2.