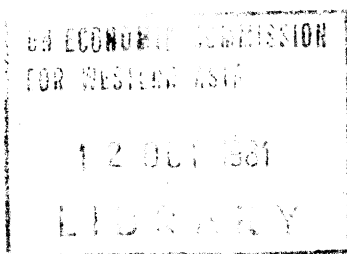
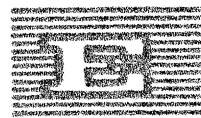




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capacity in the eighth session of the Commission

(Note from the Executive Secretary)

1. The Economic Commission for Western Asia, by virtue of the provisions of article 4 of its terms of reference embodied in Economic and Social Council resolution 1818(LV) "may invite any State member of the United Nations not a member of the Commission to participate in a consultative capacity in its consideration of any matter of particular concern to that non-member".
2. The Executive Secretary has received applications to participate in a consultative capacity in the work of the eighth session of the Commission from the Governments of the following States:
 - Hungarian People's Republic
 - India
 - Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.
3. When the session was scheduled to be held at Beirut, the Executive Secretary received applications to participate in a consultative capacity in the work of the eighth session of the Commission from the Governments of the States listed below. He has not yet received any indication that they will be participating in the work of the session when it is held in Sana'a.
 - Australia
 - Belgium
 - Spain.