

22 (III). Site of the permanent headquarters of the Economic Commission for Western Asia

The Economic Commission for Western Asia,

Recalling its resolution 6 (S-I) on the site of the permanent headquarters of the Commission,

Taking into consideration the offers to host the permanent headquarters which have been submitted and the discussions held on this question,

1. Decides to postpone the final decision on the site of the permanent headquarters of the Commission until a special session to be held at Doha on 21 August 1976;
2. Decides also that the end of the new time-limit shall be absolutely the final deadline for the three member States which have submitted offers to host the permanent headquarters of the Commission to complete all the requested studies and detailed information and to submit them to the Commission, waiving application of paragraph 3 of rule 8 of the Commission's provisional rules of procedure;
3. Decides to transmit its final decision on the selection of the permanent headquarters to the Economic and Social Council at its resumed sixty-first session;
4. Calls upon the Executive Secretary to prepare an estimate of the cost of implementing the offers presented in accordance with rule 24 of the Commission's provisional rules of procedure;
5. Expresses gratitude to the State of Qatar for volunteering to host the forthcoming special session and defray the costs involved.

4th meeting
12 May 1976