

<u>Article and Paragraph</u>	<u>Title of Article</u>	<u>Powers and/or Duties</u>
77 3	Powers and Duties (Conference)	In exceptional circumstances not elsewhere provided for in this Charter, the Conference may <u>waive</u> , by a two-thirds majority of the votes cast, an <u>obligation</u> imposed upon a Member by the Charter.
77 3	"	The Conference may also, by a two-thirds majority of the votes cast, define certain <u>categories of exceptional circumstances to which other voting requirements shall apply for the waiver of obligations.</u>
77 4	"	The Conference may <u>prepare or sponsor agreements</u> with respect to any matter within the scope of this Charter and, by a two-thirds majority of the Members present and voting, <u>recommend</u> such agreements for acceptance.
77 4	"	The Conference shall <u>specify a period</u> within which each Member shall notify the Director-General of its acceptance or non-acceptance.
77 5	"	The Conference may <u>make recommendations to inter-governmental organizations</u> on any subject within the scope of this Charter. (The Executive Board has the same power under the Charter, see Article 81 (para.2)
77 6	"	The Conference shall <u>approve the budget</u> of the Organization and shall <u>apportion the expenditures</u> of the Organization among the Members in accordance with a <u>scale of contributions</u> to be <u>fixed from time to time</u> by the <u>Conference</u> following such principles as may be applied by the United Nations.
77 7	"	The Conference shall <u>determine the seat</u> of the Organization and shall <u>establish</u> such branch <u>offices</u> as it may consider desirable.
78 1,2(c), 3(b)	Composition of the Executive Board	The Conference shall <u>elect</u> the <u>Executive Board</u> .
78 3 (a)	"	At intervals of three years the Conference shall <u>determine</u> , by a two-thirds majority of the Members present and voting, the <u>eight Members of chief economic importance</u> , in the determination of which particular regard shall be paid to their shares in international trade.