

particularly in social science and technology), culture and communication. Progress in these fields will deal with the causes rather than the symptoms and will be more effective in the long run than direct attacks on these problems, which should also be continued (by the appropriate agencies) to relieve human misery. Canada is well aware that the changes that are required in the international system, particularly progress towards a new world order based on human solidarity, interdependence and mutual interests, will require major adjustments in Canada and other industrial societies. What these adjustments will be and how they can be anticipated and work out, need urgent study at both national and international levels. But Canada also realizes that it is ultimately in the best interest of everyone everywhere that significant progress towards the solution of this fundamental problem in the evolution of human society be made in this decade.

#### Role and Missions of Unesco

QUESTION 3: What do you conceive to be Unesco's role in the study and elucidation of these problems and in raising the awareness of those in authority and the population at large?

QUESTION 4: What lines of emphasis do you think should be given to the efforts to find solutions to these problems, taking into account recent developments in international affairs?

#### QUESTION 10:

(a) In the light of your comments and suggestions above, what overall idea does your country or Organization have on Unesco's role and its main missions during the eighties?

(b) In paragraph 2 of 21C/Resolution 100, the General Conference:

"Considers that the main forms Unesco's actions should take in contributing to the solution of global problems might be the following:

- (a) encouraging research, reflection and intellectual and scientific co-operation;
- (b) familiarizing the general public throughout the world with the nature of these problems in order to make the world community conscious of their importance and urgency;
- (c) promoting the dissemination of knowledge and exchanges of experience;
- (d) contributing to the framing of policies and strategies with a view to finding practical solutions to these problems;