

Appendix III. Special Meeting of the Consultative Committee

The Convention should contain an annex with provisions along the lines outlined below. The special meeting of the Consultative Committee provided for in the Convention should undertake to solve any problem which may be raised by the parties requesting the meeting. For this purpose, the assembled parties should be entitled to request and receive any information which a party is in a position to communicate.

The work of the special meeting should be organized in such a way as to permit it to perform the functions set forth above. The assembled parties should decide procedural questions relative to the organization of their work, where possible by consensus, but otherwise by a majority of those present and voting. There should be no voting on findings of fact.

Any party should be able to participate in the meeting. The meeting should be chaired by the Depositary or his representative.

Each party should have the right, through the chairman, to request from States and from international organizations such information and assistance as the party considers desirable for the accomplishment of the work of the meeting.

A summary of the meeting, incorporating all views and information presented during the meeting, should be prepared. The Depositary should distribute the summary to all parties.