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Combined Board at a high level by over-lapping membership on the United States side. No action has yet been taken to pursue this matter.

There has come under consideration at the same time the proposals under discussion in Washington for the creation of a United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration. The draft of these proposals suggests the establishment of a United Nations Council consisting of a representative of each of the United Nations. Between sessions of the Council (which would be held infrequently) a Policy Committee would exercise the Council's powers and would be made up of representatives of the United Kingdom, United States, the U. S. S. R. and China. We have taken the position that this does not provide for adequate representation of Canada, since Canada will be expected to contribute largely to post-war relief. This attitude has been made known to Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, who is in Washington discussing the proposed organization with the United States authorities.