

Fourthly, we would support the idea of investigating the role of incentives, such as the award of special honours and awards, in promoting human rights and fundamental freedoms. The possibility might be examined of awarding one major international prize only, described perhaps as the Human Rights Prize, along the lines of the Nobel Peace Prize.

Fifth, where seminars, conferences and study groups are thought to be desirable, it probably would be preferable to concentrate on a single or a few closely related themes, rather than on generalized, broadly-gauged discussions, so as to reap the advantage of in-depth inquiry instead of discursive examination. Topics that readily come to mind are, for example,

- (i) fundamental liberties and the arrest and detection process;
- (ii) individual liberties and the administrative processes;
- (iii) freedom of information.

Sixth, in our view, the specialized agencies and non-governmental organizations should be associated closely with the preparation and implementation of the various programmes for 1968. The non-governmental organizations are often particularly close to the general public, the academic community, independent sources of information and inspiration, and this alone qualifies them as valuable contributors to the formulation of a meaningful programme on human rights.

These, Sir, are a few of the ideas that are representative of the thinking of my delegation in regard to the matter at hand. We have no illusions about their completeness, much less their perfection. We know that every delegation here could