

318 (XXVIII). Adoption of session reports of the subsidiary bodies of the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia

The Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia,

Affirming the importance of the role played by its subsidiary bodies in designing, coordinating and following-up its programme of work in their respective domains, and for upholding the best interests of member States,

Recognizing the importance of implementing the recommendations made by those bodies to enable ESCWA to undertake its duties in the competencies falling within the remit of its subsidiary bodies,

Having considered the recommendations contained in the reports of the subsidiary bodies on their sessions held in the period between the twenty-seventh and the twenty-eighth sessions of the Commission, namely: the report of the Statistical Committee on its tenth session;¹ the report of the Committee on Energy on its ninth session;² the report of the Committee on Social Development on its ninth session;³ the report of the Committee on Women on its sixth session;⁴ the report of the Technical Committee on its seventh meeting;⁵ the report of the Committee on Water Resources on its tenth session;⁶ the report of the Committee on Transport on its thirteenth session;⁷ the report of the Committee on Transport on its fourteenth session;⁸ the report of the Technical Committee on Liberalization of Foreign Trade and Economic Globalization and Financing for Development on its eighth session;⁹ and the report of the Technical Committee on its eighth meeting,¹⁰

1. *Adopts* the recommendations contained in the reports of the subsidiary bodies with the amendments agreed on during the twenty-eighth session of the Commission;

2. *Requests* the secretariat to prepare a paper on the reasons and justifications of the requests concerning annual meetings of the sessions of the Statistical Committee, the Committee on Water Resources and the Committee on Energy;

3. *Calls upon* member States to implement measures to ensure that those amended recommendations are put into effect.

8th plenary meeting
18 September 2014

¹ E/ESCWA/SD/2012/IG.1/10/Report.

² E/ESCWA/SDPD/2013/IG.2/7/Report.

³ E/ESCWA/SDD/2013/IG.1/6/Report.

⁴ E/ESCWA/ECW/2013/IG.1/7/Report.

⁵ E/ESCWA/2012/C.7/8/Report.

⁶ E/ESCWA/SDPD/2013/IG.1/8/Report.

⁷ E/ESCWA/EDGD/2012/IG.1/8/Report.

⁸ E/ESCWA/EDGD/2013/IG.1/7/Report.

⁹ E/ESCWA/EDGD/2013/IG.2/10/Report.

¹⁰ E/ESCWA/2013/C.8/10/Report.