67 (VI). The headquarters of the Economic Commission for Western Asia 1/

The Economic Commission for Western Asia,

Recalling its resolution 6 (S-I),

Affirming its resolution 35 (S-II),

Taking note of the note by the Executive Secretary entitled "Report on the headquarters of the Commission" (E/ECMA/78 and Add.1),

<u>Welcoming</u> the offer made by the Iraqi Government to provide temporary offices for the secretariat with effect from 9 September 1979 until the construction of the permanent headquarters buildings is completed,

1. Decides:

- (a) That the Economic Commission for Western Asia should commence its move to its permanent headquarters in Baghdad on the expiry of the five-year transitional period in Beirut and with effect from 9 September 1979;
- (b) That the Commission should occupy the temporary offices provided by the Government of Iraq until completion of the permanent headquarters buildings in Baghdad;
- all of which is to take place in accordance with a time-table to be agreed upon between the Iraqi Government and the United Nations;
- 2. <u>Decides further</u> to recommend the present resolution for adoption by the Economic and Social Council.

^{1/} See chap. III, sect. C. para. 30.