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REPORT OF THE SECONDTING OF THE AD HOC COLLITTLE ON ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

Wednesday April 4, 1951

Attendance

Canada:

Stewart Bates, Chairman

J. Howard Hackichan

A.W.H. Needler 3. Dinesen

Denmark:

Paul A. Hansen Kristian Djurhuus

France: Iceland: Norway:

Louis J. Audigou Arni Fridriksson Klaus Sunnanaa A.T.A. Dobson

United Kingdom: United States:

Hilary J. Deason Fred E. Taylor Hary B. Trenary Francis W. Sargent

FAO:

D. B. Finn

Sec'y. General: Richard S. Wheeler Secretary:

William F. Royce

DR. BATES (CHAIRMAN) suggested that the Committee consider the establishment of a temporary site at St. Andrews, and a temporary executive secretary, Dr. W. R. Martin, until the next annual meeting.

AR DOBSON agreed with this principle of a temporary arranmement and favored a site in Canada.

DR. DEAGON, M. DIMEGOI, R. FRIDRIKGSON, GR. AUDIGOU, M. SUNNAWAA, and DA. FIM. agreed with both the temporary arram tement and the site in Canada.

Curther consideration was postponed in order that Dr. Needler could consult with Dr. Martin and fiscal officers of the Canadian Government about the arrangements.

Rule 13

Was reconsidered and the sollowing wording was suggested:

The Commission shall adopt and may amend financial regulations buitable to the conduct of its affairs."

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It was agreed that the site should be in Canada; to apprarily at St. Andrews, New Brunswick.

The draft financial regulations were considered in detail. The additions and changes are outlined in DOC/10 Corrigendum A.

The Committee then:

Agreed to a recommendation that the bond mentioned in Section 12.1 of the Draft Financial Regulations should be #25,000. Guring the first year of operation of this Commission.

Adjourned until Thursday morning at 10:00 a.m. April 5, 1951, in Room C.