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REPORT TO THE CONFERENCE

1. Committee I held its meetings from 22 to 25 October 1974. Mr. G.A.E. Longo (Nigeria) was unanimously elected Chairman and Cdr. E. Mitropoulos (Greece) Vice-Chairman. The Committee adopted the Agenda set out in SOLAS/CONF/C.1/1.

2. After having considered the draft text of the Articles and Chapter I of the Annex of the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1974 contained in SOLAS/CONF/4 and SOLAS/CONF/4/2, together with comments submitted by governments and organizations, the Committee agreed on the draft texts of the Articles and Chapter I of the Annex of the 1974 Convention as shown in SOLAS/CONF/C.1/2 to SOLAS/CONF/C.1/5. These are being submitted, through the Drafting Committee, to the Conference for consideration and adoption.

3. The Committee also considered draft resolutions contained in SOLAS/CONF/5 and SOLAS/CONF/C.1/FP.1 and agreed on the draft Resolutions shown in SOLAS/CONF/C.1/6 which are being submitted through the Drafting Committee to the Conference for consideration and adoption.