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The Commission on Human Rights,

Recalling its resolutions 15 (XXXV) of 13 March 1979, 33 (XXXVI) of 11 March 1980, 31 (XXXVII) of 11 March 1981, 1982/34 of 11 March 1982 and 1983/32 of 8 March 1983 concerning the situation of human rights in Equatorial Guinea,

Recalling that the Economic and Social Council, in its resolution 1982/36 of 7 May 1982, took note of the plan of action proposed by the Secretary-General on the basis of recommendations submitted by Mr. Fernando Volio Jiménez, the expert appointed by the Secretary-General pursuant to Commission on Human Rights resolution 33 (XXXVI).

Further recalling that the Economic and Social Council, in its resolution 1982/36, requested the Secretary-General, with expert assistance if necessary, to discuss with the Government of Equatorial Guinea the role that the United Nations could play in the implementation of the plan of action and invited the Government of Equatorial Guinea to co-operate with the Secretary-General in that respect,

1. Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General 140/ submitted in pursuance of Economic and Social Council resolution 1983/35 of 27 May 1983;
2. Recommends the following draft resolution to the Economic and Social Council for adoption:

[For the text, see chap. I, sect. A, draft resolution XIII.]

139/ Adopted at the 57th meeting, on 14 March 1984, without a vote.
See chap. XII.

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The Economic and Social Council

Recalling its resolutions 1982/36 of 7 May 1982 and 1983/35 of 27 May 1983,

Bearing in mind Commission on Human Rights resolution 1984/51 of 14 March 1984,

Considering that there has been no major change in the situation of human rights in Equatorial Guinea since the events of 3 August 1979,

Noting that it has not been possible to implement all the recommendations contained in its resolution 1983/35,

1. Urges the Government of Equatorial Guinea to co-operate with the Secretary-General in order to ensure the full enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms in that country;
2. Requests the Secretary-General to appoint an expert to visit Equatorial Guinea in order to study, in conjunction with the Government of that country, the best way of implementing the plan of action proposed by the United Nations;
3. Requests the Commission on Human Rights to keep this matter under consideration at its forty-first session.

23/ See chap. II, sect. A, resolution 1984/51, and chap. XII.