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NINETY-SEVENTH SESSION OF THE COUNCIL
Geneva - 25 June 1993

DRAFT COUNCIL RESOLUTION
CONCERNING
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CONSIDERING:

The interest of both the Czech Republic and CERN in the accession of the Czech Republic as a Member State of the Organization;

the application from the Government of the Czech Republic dated 16 December 1992;

the accession of the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic to CERN as from 1 January 1992, following the admission by Council at its Ninety-third Session on 20 December 1991, and the financial arrangements agreed upon for the transition period 1992-1999;

the documents CERN/CC/1968 dated 23 February 1993 and entitled "Accession of the Czech Republic to CERN" and CERN/CC/1968/Add. dated 8 March 1993 and entitled "Particle Physics in the Czech Republic";

CONSIDERING ALSO:

the Convention for the establishment of the Organization, dated 1 July 1953, as amended on 17 January 1971, hereinafter called "The Convention", in particular Articles III, VII and XVII;

DECIDES AS FOLLOWS:

ARTICLE I

1. The Czech Republic is admitted to the Organization by unanimous vote of all the Member States.

2. The Czech Republic shall become a Member of the Organization by acceding to the Convention in conformity with Article XVII of the Convention.
ARTICLE II

1. The Czech Republic shall participate in the basic programme of the Organization.

2. The Czech Republic succeeds to the benefit of the transition period of eight years - namely 1992-1999 - granted to the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic on 25 October 1991, according to which for the first four years, i.e. 1992-1995, the contribution of the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic was set at 0.14% of the total contribution level decided by Council each year, which is about 1.3 MCHF (one million three hundred thousand Swiss francs) for the year 1992 at 1992 prices. The Czech Republic shall during the initial period of 4 years yearly contribute two-thirds (2/3) of the contributions described above. For the years 1996-1999, the contribution, calculated as a percentage of the full contribution based on Net National Income (NNI) of the Czech Republic, should in principle rise linearly to reach 100% in the year 2000;

it is proposed to determine the exact rate of increase in the course of 1994, when a proper assessment of the economic performance of the Czech Republic can be made.

3. These contributions shall cover all the financial obligations due by the Czech Republic as an acceding Member State, according to Article VII of the Convention.

4. The contribution from the Czech Republic shall be subject to the Organization's financial and budgetary rules.

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