

1997/242. Human rights and extreme poverty

At its 38th plenary meeting, on 22 July 1997, the Economic and Social Council, taking note of Commission on Human Rights resolution 1997/11 of 3 April 1997³⁹ and resolution 1996/23 of 29 August 1996 of the Subcommission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities,⁴⁰ approved the requests made to the Secretary-General:

(a) To publish the final report of the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on human rights and extreme poverty in all the United Nations official languages;

(b) To convey the Special Rapporteur's final report to the General Assembly, the Economic and Social Council, the Commission for Social Development, the Commission on Sustainable Development, the Trade and Development Board of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, the Executive Boards of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund and the United

Nations Children's Fund, and the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees for consideration at their next sessions, as well as to any other body to which the Secretary-General considers it should be communicated.

³⁹ See *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1997, Supplement No. 3 (E/1997/23)*, chap. II, sect. A.

⁴⁰ See E/CN.4/1997/2-E/CN.4/Sub.2/1996/41, chap. II, sect. A.