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## REPORT BY THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY BASED ON ANSWERS TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S QUESTIONNAIRE FOR THE STUDY ON REGIONAL STRUCTURES

The above questionnaire was transmitted by the Secretary-General to member States on 30 November 1970. Before then the Executive Committee had the opportunity of discussing the preliminary draft. The reactions of the Executive Committee to the draft questionnaire were set out in paras. 84-92 and in annex 4 of the Report of the fourth meeting of the Executive Committee (doc. E/CN.14/498).

To date messages have been received from Botswana, Kenya and Sierra Leone indicating that the replies were either dispatched or being dispatched. None of these replies, however, reached the Executive Secretary.

A reminder by cable was dispatched to member States on 5 January 1971 :

"Reference letter OR 311/653(13) 30/11/70 regarding study regional structures have honour request your Government's reply 15 latest. This item for discussion by Conference Ministers and most important your delegation be fully briefed on it. Grateful you send delegation large enough participate work of two sub-committees. Highest consideration."