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25th May, 1952

REQUEST FOR INCLUSION IN THE AGENDA OF THE SESSION - Request to the International Olympic Committee to consider any suggestions which would enable political exiles to take part in the Olympic Games in future years

Request for inclusion in the agenda of the session¹

tabled by M. BEAMISH and other members of the Assembly

This motion has not been discussed in the Assembly and commits only those who have signed it

The Assembly,

Regretting that, since the International Olympic Committee recognizes only one governing body from each member country, many individuals who are refugees from their own country are thus precluded from taking part in the Olympic Games,

Observing that this is contrary to the rule that there should be no discrimination against any country or person on grounds of colour, religion, or politics,

Decides to include in its Agenda the following question :

" Request to the International Olympic Committee to consider any suggestions which would enable political exiles to take part in the Olympic Games in future years. "

Signed (see overleaf)

1. Item included in the Agenda of the Session, 6th Sitting, 29th May, 1952. Referred to the Special Committee to watch over the interests of European Nations not represented in the Council of Europe, 7th Sitting, 29th May, 1952.



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