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22nd May, 1954

REQUEST FOR INCLUSION IN THE AGENDA OF THE SESSION¹

Motion

tabled by Mr. CALLAGHAN and other members of the Assembly

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

Prohibition of the discharge of waste oil into the sea

The Assembly,

Calling attention to the problems created in post-war years by :

- a. the transport of crude oil to Europe, with the resulting discharge into the sea of waste oil by tankers ;
- b. the increasing use of oil fuel by cargo ships ;

Noting with alarm that the discharge of waste oil overboard is resulting in the destruction of animal life and fisheries, and the fouling of the coastline and beaches of the maritime nations of the Council of Europe,

Decides to include in its Agenda, the following question :

" Prohibition of the discharge of waste oil into the sea.

Signed (see overleaf)

1. See 6th Session, 1954: (included in the Agenda).



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Signed:

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