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Re-wording of the question appearing on the Agenda of the Assembly

Motion for an Order
tabled by the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee

Motion for an Order of the Assembly [1]

The Assembly,

Considering that in September, 1953 it decided to place on its Agenda and refer to its Committee on Social Questions the following question :

" Investigation of the possibility of coordination among the national institutions of the member countries of the Council of Europe concerned with social research, and of the application of such research, particularly in backward areas within the competence of those institutions ";

Considering that the Committee on Social Questions, as a result of its preliminary examination of this problem, is of the opinion t h a t its terms of reference should be extended so as to include :

1. the problem of the adaptation of the individual and the family to modern conditions arising from mechanisation and industrialisation;
2. consideration of the difference between generally under-developed regions and limited " problem areas " in developed countries;
3. measures which should be taken by Member States to solve the problem,

Decides to re-word the question on its Agenda as follows :

" Measures to be taken by the Member States with a view to the social and cultural adjustment of the individual and the family to conditions arising from mechanisation and industrialisation, both in under-developed areas and other backward zones already affected by these conditions."

1. Adopted by the Standing Committee on 21st April, 1956 (Order No. 96).