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DECISION SHEET AC/127-R/409

ECONOMIC COMMITTEE

Meeting held at NATO Headquarters, 1110 Brussels, on Thursday, 27th September, 1973 at 9.30 a.m.

DECISION SHEET

I. PROPOSED ROUND-TABLE ON ENERGY

The COMMITTEE:

- (1) noted that most delegations were very interested in the idea of holding a university-type symposium in January 1974 on the general subject of energy and East-West relations, under the auspices of the Economic and Information Directorates;
- (2) in respect of the subjects to be discussed at the round-table, noted that the majority of delegations agreed with Belgium that preference should be given to examining the prospects for, and the conditions and limits of, East-West co-operation over the joint development of energy resources;
- (3) also noted that most delegations were interested in the French proposal that relations between the Soviet Union and the emergent oilproducing countries should also be considered;
- (4) accordingly invited the International Staff to incorporate these points in a fresh draft of the questions to be discussed at the round-table;

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(5) authorized the Economic Directorate to start making arrangements for this meeting; the question of the classification and circulation of the proceedings would have to be settled later in view of the concern expressed by the United States Delegation in this connection.

II. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

11th and 12th October, 1973 (Economic analysis of Hungary and Bulgaria in conjunction with national experts).

NATO, 1110 Brussels.