

**1453 (XIV). Study of the juridical régime of historic waters, including historic bays**

*The General Assembly,*

*Recalling* that, by a resolution adopted on 27 April 1958,<sup>6</sup> the United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea requested the General Assembly to arrange for

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<sup>6</sup> United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea, *Official Records, Volume II: Plenary Meetings* (United Nations publication, Sales No.: 58.V.4, Vol. II), annexes, document A/CONF.13/L.56, resolution VII.

the study of the juridical régime of historic waters, including historic bays, and for the communication of the results of the study to all States Members of the United Nations,

*Requests* the International Law Commission, as soon as it considers it advisable, to undertake the study of the question of the juridical régime of historic waters, including historic bays, and to make such recommendations regarding the matter as the Commission deems appropriate.

*847th plenary meeting,  
7 December 1959.*