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Classification	Title	Paragraphs
<p>AG/RES. 2575 (XL-O/10)</p> <p>AG/RES. 2611 (XL-O/10)</p>	<p>International Humanitarian Law</p>	<p>It requested the IJC, based on proposals on priority topics submitted by member states, to continue preparing and to propose model laws to support the efforts made by member states to fulfill obligations under international humanitarian law treaties, and to report on the progress made to the General Assembly at its forty-first regular session.</p>
<p>AG/RES. 2577 (XL-O/10)</p>	<p>International Criminal Court</p>	<p>It requested the IJC to continue promoting, using as a basis the OAS Guide on cooperation with the International Criminal Court, the adoption of national legislation in the area in states that do not yet have it; and, with collaboration from the General Secretariat and the Secretariat for Legal Affairs, to continue providing support for and promoting in the OAS member states the training of administrative and judicial officials and academics for that purpose, and to report to the States Parties on progress thereon at the next working meeting on the International Criminal Court and to the General Assembly at its forty-first regular session.</p> <p>It requested the ICJ to to continue its work of preparing model legislation on implementation of the Rome Statute, in particular regarding the definition of crimes within the jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court, and to present a report on the progress made at the next working meeting on the International Criminal Court.</p>

AG/RES. 2611 (XL-O/10)	Asylum	It requested the ICJ to report on progress made on the preparation of a study on the issue of asylum in the Americas taking into account the importance of the matter and the work being conducted by the Committee on Juridical and Political Affairs (CAJP) and by the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, pursuant to their respective mandates.
AG/RES. 2611 (XL-O/10)	Freedom of thought and expression	It request the CJI to report on progress made on the a study on the importance of guaranteeing the right of freedom of thought and expression of citizens, in light of the fact that free and independent media carry out their activities guided by ethical standards, which in no case can be imposed by the state, consistent with applicable principles of international law
AG/RES. 2611 (XL-O/10)	Cultural diversity	It requested the CJI to report to the General Assembly on the gradual progress made on the topic of cultural diversity in the development of international law.
AG/RES. 2611 (XV-O/10)	Participatory democracy and citizen participation	It requested the CJI to undertake a legal study of the mechanisms of participatory democracy and citizen participation contained in the legislation of some countries in the region.
AG/RES. 2611 (XV-O/10)	Peace, security and cooperation	It requested the CJI to conduct, within its existing resources, a comparative analysis of the principal legal instruments of the inter-American system related to peace, security, and cooperation.