

RESOLUTION (62) 42

(Adopted by the Committee of Ministers on 17th December 1962)

Invitation to the Swiss Confederation to become a Member of the Council of Europe

The Committee of Ministers,

1. Being informed of the fact that the Federal Council of the Swiss Confederation would welcome an invitation to become a Member of the Council of Europe;
2. Noting that the Swiss Confederation fulfils the requirements of Article 4 of the Statute;
3. Having regard to the favourable opinion expressed by the Consultative Assembly when consulted in accordance with the provisions of Statutory Resolution (51) 30 A,

Resolves:

(i) To invite the Swiss Confederation to become a Member of the Council of Europe and to accede to the Statute of the Council in accordance with Article 4 of that Statute;

(ii) The Swiss Confederation shall be entitled to have six Representatives in the Consultative Assembly;

(iii) To fix at 352,439.18 New French Francs the Swiss Confederation's contribution to the current Financial Year, calculated on the basis of the Budget approved for 1963, and at 33,000 New French Francs its contribution to the Working Capital Fund;

Instructs the Secretary-General to bring these decisions to the knowledge of the Federal Council of the Swiss Confederation and to take the necessary steps to ensure their application.