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Commission on the proper legal weight to be attached to these articles in practice. Apart from the many legal questions that already confront us in the everyday life of an international organization, today, interesting policy issues also arise with the establishment of international organizations under national private law. These organizations have

sophisticated mixed membership structures and, in some cases, undertake mandates and operations comparable to those of intergovernmental organizations. We consider that the Commission's work can provide useful inspiration for creative legal and policy solutions to these and other issues, without necessarily remaining on the provisional agenda of a future session.

Thank you, Mr Chair.

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