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General and complete disarmament: addressing the legacy of nuclear weapons: providing victim assistance and environmental remediation to Member States affected by the use or testing of nuclear weapons

Resolution adopted by the General Assembly on 1 December 2025

[on the report of the First Committee ([A/80/534](#), para. 7)]

80/56. Modalities of the 2026 meeting on victim assistance and environmental remediation

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions [78/240](#) of 22 December 2023 and [79/60](#) of 2 December 2024,

Welcoming the decision contained therein for the Secretary-General to convene a one-day meeting on victim assistance and environmental remediation that encouraged participants to produce a series of recommendations based on the discussions,

1. *Decides* that the formal meeting will be held in early 2026 at United Nations Headquarters, with conference services and with the participation of Member States, observer States and observers of the United Nations General Assembly, where they will share their relevant experience;

2. *Also decides* that the Secretary-General shall invite civil society representatives, including from organizations accredited to the Economic and Social Council, as well as relevant United Nations agencies, scientists, representatives of communities affected by the use, production and testing of nuclear weapons, and academia;

3. *Encourages* participation at the highest possible level;

4. *Decides* to include in the provisional agenda of its eighty-first session, under the item entitled “General and complete disarmament”, the sub-item entitled “Addressing the legacy of nuclear weapons: providing victim assistance and environmental remediation to Member States affected by the use or testing of nuclear weapons”.

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