

Decision

2011/217

Report of the Committee on World Food Security to the Economic and Social Council

At its 40th plenary meeting, on 22 July 2011, the Economic and Social Council, recalling its decision 1999/212 of 25 March 1999 concerning the submission to the Council every four years, starting in 1999, of a report on progress in the implementation of the World Food Summit Plan of Action, taking note of the reform of the Committee on World Food Security in 2009, which was endorsed by the Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations at its thirty-sixth session, in November 2009, and taking note especially of the recommendations contained in paragraphs 6 (ii) and 21 of the Committee on World Food Security reform document:¹

(a) Decided to discontinue its quadrennial consideration of reports on progress in the implementation of the World Food Summit Plan of Action, with effect from 2011;

(b) Invited the Chair of the Committee on World Food Security to transmit to the Economic and Social Council every year, starting in 2012, a report on the main decisions and policy recommendations made as well as the results achieved by the Committee in the area of food security and nutrition, in accordance with its new roles and vision.

¹ See report of the thirty-fifth session of the Committee on World Food Security, Rome, 14, 15 and 17 October 2009 (C 2009/21-Rev.1), appendix H.