

**Group of Experts on
Geographical names**

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Agenda Item 14

DURATION OF THE FIFTH U.N. CONFERENCE ON THE
STANDARDIZATION OF GEOGRAPHICAL NAMES

(Submitted by the Dutch and German-speaking Division)

- (1) The Dutch and German-speaking Division fully appreciates the points made in Working Paper 5 of the 11th UNEGN-Session, 15-23 October 1984.
- (2) Only as regards the duration of the Conference the Division pleads for a further reduction i.e., to two weeks (10 working days).
This certainly would make it possible to a greater number of experts to participate.
- (3) In order to manage with this time the following points might be considered:
 - (a) Observance of a strict time table
 - (b) Prolongation of the daily working time
 - (c) Refusal to discuss working papers belatedly submitted
 - (d) Exclusion of political discussions