

Conseil DU CANADA

1981 – Peace

1. BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Government of Canada be urges to: Promote changes in Canadian foreign, military and trading policies that will encourage peace by strengthening international bodies, weakening military alliances and working toward disarmament. WHEREAS governments have made no real progress in 35 years towards disarmament through negotiations alone; and

WHEREAS individual people have a right to participate directly in the choice for world disarmament;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the International Association for Religious Freedom:

- a. Endorses the concept of a Global Referendum on Disarmament
- b. Communicates this support to U.N. Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim
- c. Urges national organizations within the International Association for Religious Freedom to call upon their governments to introduce the Global Referendum on Disarmament proposal in the United Nations General Assembly.

Passed by delegates at the Annual General Meeting, 1981 **Canadian Unitarian Council**