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THE SUBJECT RACES JOINT COMMITTEE ON A PERMANENT AND
EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL BASIS**

1. That this Committee be called The International Subject Races Committee.
2. THAT the purpose of the Committee shall be to provide opportunities for cooperation between the promoters and supporters of organisations favourable to the protection of the rights, and advancement of the interests, of subject races and nationalities, whatever their grade of civilisation.
3. THAT its intention being to assist the organisations represented on it in securing unity and harmony of action without in any way hampering their independence, the Committee shall neither usurp the functions nor interfere in the management of those organisations nor be responsible for any action they may take on their own responsibility.
4. That in advocating the cause of any subject nationality the Committee shall maintain a strict neutrality between any sections into which the national party may be divided.

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1. THAT the head-quarters of the Joint Committee shall, at present, be in London, and its duties shall include: -
 - (a) Such efforts as it can make towards the for-

mation of allied Committees, in other centres.

(b) Such assistance as it can give in arousing public interest in the objects aimed at and the work done by any or all of the organisations associated with it and by communications to the Press, by meetings and lectures, and by other methods which members may suggest and the Committee approve.

(c) The arrangement, if possible, of an International Congress in each year, generally in one of the European capitals, at which delegates from the different countries may confer with one another, and agree to take common action.

2. THAT allied Committees being left to arrange their own details of organisations, the Central Committee shall be composed of delegates from the several organisations represented upon it, not more than three delegates being appointed by each organisation, and the Committee shall have power to co-opt in certain cases, individuals not members of the organisations represented. Such co-opted members not to exceed one-fourth of the Committee at the time of co-optation.

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1. THAT the Joint Committee may appoint an Executive or Sub-Committees, and ^{shall} elect for its first year, a Chairman, an Honorary Secretary, and a Treasurer, or other officers.
2. THAT each organisation represented on the Joint Committee shall contribute not less than £2. per annum towards its funds, the amounts being due at the time of joining and annually afterwards from that date; and that general subscribers of 10s. or upwards, shall be entitled to copies of all its publications and to the right of entrance to its International Congresses or other public gatherings, but not of voting.

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