

appropriate it shall request Members concerned to furnish supplementary information, for example, information from commercial enterprises within their jurisdiction. After reviewing the relevant information the Organization shall decide whether an investigation is justified.

5. If the Organization decides that an investigation is justified, it shall notify all Members of the complaint, request any Member to furnish such additional information relevant to the complaint as the Organization may deem necessary, and shall conduct or arrange for hearings on the complaint. Any Member, and any person, enterprise or organization on whose behalf the complaint has been made, as well as the commercial enterprises alleged to have engaged in the practice complained of, shall be afforded reasonable opportunity to be heard.

6. The Organization shall review all information available and decide whether the practices in question have had, have or are about to have the effect described in paragraph 1 of Article 44.

7. The Organization shall notify all Members of its decision and the reasons therefor.

8. If the Organization decides that in any particular case the practices complained of have had, have or are about to have the effect described in paragraph 1 of Article 44, it shall request each Member concerned to take every possible remedial action, and may also recommend to the Members concerned remedial measures to be carried out in accordance with their respective laws and procedures.

9. The Organization may request any Member concerned to report fully on the remedial action it has taken in any particular case.

10. As soon as possible after its proceedings in respect of any complaint under this Article have been provisionally or finally closed, the Organization shall prepare and publish a report showing fully the decisions reached, the reasons therefor and any measures recommended to the Members concerned. The Organization shall not, if a Member so requests, disclose confidential information furnished by that Member which if disclosed would substantially damage the legitimate business interests of a commercial enterprise.

11. The Organization shall report to all Members and make public the remedial action which has been taken by the Members concerned in any particular case.

Article 46

Studies relating to Restrictive Business Practices

1. The Organization is authorized

(a) To conduct studies, either on its own initiative or at the request of any Member or of any organ of the United Nations or of any other inter-governmental organization relating to