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Member States that are members of the Executive Committee of the UNHCR shall support the adoption of the following amendment to the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Committee of the UNHCR:

"Rule 33 of the Rules of Procedure of the Executive Committee of the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (A/AC.96/187/Rev.7) is hereby amended to read as follows:

"The meetings of the Committee shall be held in public unless the Committee decides otherwise. The Chair, in consultation with the Committee, may invite specialized agencies, UN funds and programmes and intergovernmental organizations to participate in private meetings on the basis of their expertise and contributions to the work of the Committee.""