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INTERIM FUND FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FOR DEVELOPMENT

Draft Decision

The Governing Council,

1. Takes note of the progress of the Interim Fund for Science and Technology for Development as reported by the Administrator in his statement to the Council, of the resolutions adopted by the Intergovernmental Committee on Science and Technology for Development at its second session, and of the views expressed in the Council during the consideration of this item;
2. Expresses appreciation for the steps taken by the Administrator to ensure a rapid start of the operations of the Interim Fund;
3. Further expresses appreciation to those Governments that have made contributions permitting significant progress to be achieved toward accomplishing the objectives of the Interim Fund;
4. Urges all Governments to contribute additional resources which are required to ensure the continuing success of these endeavours; and
5. Requests the Administrator to inform the Governing Council at its next session of further developments and progress.