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Chapter I

MATTERS REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE BY THE PLENARY

D. Integration of women in development

1. For consideration of the financial implications of item 4(b)(viii) of the Council’s agenda, the Committee had before it the relevant report of the Administrator as contained in document DP/1982/16.

2. In introducing the item, the Deputy Administrator informed the Committee of the objectives of the studies and advised of the financial provisions made for the purpose of carrying them out. Sufficient funds were available partly under the "Consultants" item in the biennial budget of UNDP, and other resources were to be made available in project budgets.

3. Members of the Committee were supportive of the objectives of the plan. Some requested a few clarifications which the Deputy Administrator provided. In response to one delegation, the Deputy Administrator pointed out that the envisaged UNDP studies were co-ordinated with and related to the activities of the decade for women.

4. Following the discussion, the Committee agreed that appropriate provisions had been made in project budgets and in the biennial budget to cover the cost of $100,000 required for the evaluation programme recommended by the Administrator in paragraph 49 of his report.