MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE WORKING GROUP OF THE GOVERNING COUNCIL

Working paper by the Chairman of the Working Group

ADDENDUM

As indicated in paragraph 4 of DP/1982/WG/L.1, the Chairman of the Working Group is circulating, in the Annex to this document, further texts for consideration by the Working Group as a possible basis for draft decisions.
AGENDA ITEM 4(a)


The Governing Council,

1. Takes note with appreciation of the annual report of the Administrator for 1981 (DP/1982/6 and Add.1 and Annex) and of the basic and supplementary programme data for 1981 contained in documents DP/1982/6/Add.2 and Add.3 and of the subcontracts awarded and major equipment ordered in 1981 as contained in document DP/1982/6/Add.4;

2. Welcomes the Administrator’s intention, as set forth in DP/1982/7, to revise and update the Programme’s data base for third cycle annual reports, so as better to reflect the qualitative output orientation of the Programme and other changes evident since 1972;

3. Takes note also of the reports of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU) referred to in document DP/1982/8, namely, Co-ordination in the field of public information activities among the members of the United Nations system (JIU/REP/81/2), Management services in the United Nations system (JIU/REP/81/3), Status of international evaluation in United Nations system organizations (JIU/REP/81/5), Second report on evaluation in the United Nations system (JIU/REP/81/6), Application by the United Nations system of the Mar del Plata Action Plan on water development and administration (JIU/REP/81/8), Relationships between the Director-General for Development and International Economic Co-operation and entities of the United Nations Secretariat (JIU/REP/81/9), Report on the United Nations University (JIU/REP/81/12), and the Report on the Economic Commission for Africa (JIU/REP/82/1);

4. Requests the Administrator to take into account those recommendations of the Inspectors relevant to the improvement of UNDP-supported programmes and projects.

AGENDA ITEM 4(c) and 5

Draft Decision on Assistance to the Palestinian People

The Governing Council,

Taking note of the progress achieved in the implementation of its decisions 79/18 and 81/13,

Recalling decisions taken at its twenty-seventh session (decision 80/30) and twenty-eighth session (decision 81/16) regarding the use of Special Programme
1. **Endorses** the approach that has been followed by the Administrator in the implementation of decisions 79/18 and 81/13 which is described in document DP/1982/18;

2. **Authorizes** the Administrator to draw up to $4 million from Special Programme Resources during the remainder of the third programming cycle for the continuation and expansion of projects designed to help meet the economic and social needs of the Palestinian people; and

3. **Appeals** to Governments and intergovernmental organizations to provide at least an additional $3 million during the third programming cycle to supplement the resources available from Special Programme Resources for the purpose of helping to meet the economic and social needs of the Palestinian people.

Agenda item 5

Draft decision on programming planning: the third programming cycle, 1982-1984

Illustrative indicative planning figures (IPFs) and Special Programme Resources

The Governing Council,

1. **Takes note** of document DP/1982/21 and Add.2;

2. **Approves** the proposals indicated in the document regarding indicative planning figures for Antigua and Barbuda, Belize, Central African Republic, Equatorial Guinea, Iran, and the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen; and

3. **Approves** the recommended sources of financing for the increased IPFs;

3. **Further notes** the Administrator's action to apply the provisions of decision 80/30 concerning a flat across-the-board percentage reduction to the relevant items financed from Special Programme Resources as indicated in paragraph 9 of document DP/1982/21.