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ADDENDUM

1. 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.

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ANNEX

United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries

The Governing Council,

Recalling the Substantial New Programme of Action for the 1980s for the Least Developed Countries (SNPA) and General Assembly resolution 36/194 on the United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries,

Reaffirming the importance of technical co-operation for the development of the least developed countries in support of the SNPA,

Taking note of the resolution of the Conference of Ministers of African Least Developed Countries held at Tripoli in April 1982 and, in particular, its appeal to the international community to provide UNDP with the resources that will enable it to achieve the financial objectives of the 1982-1986 programming cycle and its request to support the Special Measures Fund for the least developed countries (SMF).

1. Takes note of the Administrator's oral progress report on measures taken by UNDP to implement the recommendations of the United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries in the New Substantial Programme of Action for the 1980s for the Least Developed Countries (SNPA);

2. Takes note with appreciation of the special contributions some donors have pledged to the United Nations Capital Development Fund and the Special Measures Fund for the least developed countries and urges other donors to consider making similar pledges;

3. Requests the Administrator to continue to support the implementation of the SNPA and, in particular, to act as lead agency when requested by Governments, in support of establishing and strengthening consultation mechanisms at the national level, as well as other measures in support and follow-up of the SNPA falling within the mandate of UNDP and of the funds and programmes under UNDP administration;

4. Takes note that a part of the contributions to the SMF is available only to those countries that have been formally designated by the General Assembly as Least Developed Countries.

