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Procurement from developing countries

The Governing Council

- 1. Takes note of the report of the Administrator of the United Nations
 Development Programme on Procurement of equipment and services with special
 reference to procurement from developing countries (DP/1987/19) and the oral report
 thereon;
- 2. Notes with satisfaction that the Inter-Agency Procurement Services Unit (IAPSU) will shortly be undertaking supply source identification missions to a number of developing countries with the purpose of producing country binders to be made available to the procurement services of all executing agencies;
- 3. Recognizes that efforts to increase procurement from developing countries depend on conscious and constructive action by all parties UNDP, the funding and executing agencies of the United Nations system and the Governments taking those steps that are in their power to promote such procurement;
- 4. Requests agencies to ensure that statistical data submitted for 1987 reflect information on both country of procurements and country of origin; and
- 5. Requests the Administrator to report to the thirty-fifth session of the Council on the steps taken, results and further actions planned.