The Governing Council,

Having considered the Administrator's Report in DP/1988/70 entitled "Fourth Programming Cycle: Net Contributor Status",

Noting that certain IDCs were to achieve Net Contributor Status in the Fourth Cycle,

Also noting that due to the marked decline in their economic position since 1983 as reflected in their GNP per capita, they are unable to do so,

Decides that without prejudice to decision 85/16 of the Governing Council to relieve these IDCs from the obligations of Net Contributor Status for the Fourth Cycle.

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