EXTENSION OF THE FIFTH COUNTRY PROGRAMME FOR KENYA

Note by the Administrator

1. The fifth country programme for Kenya was approved by the Governing Council at its thirty-fifth session (1988) for the programme period January 1987 to December 1991.

2. In March 1990, when the mid-term review was held, it was agreed that the country programme should be redefined with a sharper focus on four themes: (a) small enterprise development and the informal sector; (b) economic management and public administration; (c) assistance to technical areas; and (d) rural development.

3. An extension has thus been requested by the Government in order to allow time for the fifth country programme to achieve substantive results in the four themes mentioned above. Building on these results will enable further work on defining priorities and national programmes for support in the sixth country programme.

4. The sixth country programme is scheduled for submission to the Governing Council at its fortieth session (1993).

5. The Administrator wishes to inform the Governing Council that he has approved the extension of the fifth country programme for Kenya for a period of one year, beginning 1 January 1992.