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PROGRAMME PLANNING

Country and intercountry programmes and projects

EXTENSION OF THE FOURTH COUNTRY PROGRAMME FOR SWAZILAND

Note by the Administrator

1. The fourth country programme for Swaziland was approved by the Governing Council at its special session in February 1987 for the period 1987 to 1991. The Government has requested a one-year extension of the fourth country programme so that the fifth programme can take more fully into account and reflect the latest three-year rolling development plan and the review of the country’s longer-term development priorities. The extension will also permit the Government and the United Nations Development Programme working group the time necessary to realign ongoing sectoral projects and new proposals with the programme approach to be adopted for the fifth country programme. The Government will review with line ministries the thrust and focus of the new programme proposals.

2. The objectives of the fourth country programme will continue to remain valid during the period of the programme extension. They are public sector management and agricultural and manpower development.

3. It is expected that the fifth country programme for Swaziland will be submitted to the Governing Council at its special session in February 1993.

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