International development strategy for the fourth United Nations development decade

The Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia,

Being aware of the crucial importance of the international development strategy for the fourth United Nations development decade, and of the contribution of the member countries thereto, in setting forth the trends and conditions for development during the 1990s,

Expressing its appreciation for the efforts of the secretariat in the preparation of the forthcoming strategy,

Recalling General Assembly resolution 43/182 of 20 December 1988 on preparations for an international development strategy for the fourth United Nations development decade,

1. Decides to set up a committee of government development experts from member countries and to invite it to collaborate with the secretariat in the preparation of a report reflecting the priorities and objectives which the member countries aspire to achieve within the framework of the fourth United Nations development decade;

2. Invites the Executive Secretary to make the necessary arrangements to convene meetings of the committee of government experts at an appropriate time during 1989.

3rd plenary meeting
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