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**UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE FOR THE NEGOTIATION
OF A SUCCESSOR AGREEMENT TO THE ITTA, 1983**

The International Tropical Timber Council,

Recalling the resolution adopted on 16 April 1993 at the first part of the United Nations Conference for the Negotiation of a Successor Agreement to the International Tropical Timber Agreement, 1983;

Taking note of the Report of the Executive Director on the first part of the Conference;

Taking note also of the statement by the President of the Conference to the Council;

Considering the informal consultations held by the Chairman of the Council regarding the negotiation of a successor agreement to the ITTA, 1983;

Recognizing the need to continue further consultations among members in order to achieve as broad an agreement as possible on major issues;

Invites the Executive Director to transmit to the President of the Conference the outcome of the informal consultations by the Chairman of the Council for consideration by the Conference;

Requests the Executive Director to seek financial assistance from members and private sector organizations to support the participation in the Conference of technical experts from developing member countries of the International Tropical Timber Organization;

Welcomes the willingness of members to redouble their efforts to bring the negotiations to a successful conclusion.
