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CRITERIA AND PRIORITY AREAS FOR PROGRAMME DEVELOPMENT AND PROJECT WORK

The International Tropical Timber Council,

<u>Taking note of</u> the Report of the Permanent Committee on Reforestation and Forest Management at its Seventh Session as contained in document PCF(VII)/15,

<u>Endorses</u> the recommendation to establish and finance the work of a Working Group to formulate recommendations and principles for preparing "Guidelines for Management of Tropical Forest Plantations";

 $\underline{\text{Requests}}$ the Executive Director to arrange for the Working Group before the end of March 1991;

<u>Authorizes</u> the Executive Director to allocate necessary funds from the Administrative Budget to cover the expenses of representatives of Member Governments participating in the Working Group.