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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ADMINISTRATOR FOR 1988

Reports of the Joint Inspection Unit

Note by the Administrator

1. Eight reports of the Joint Inspection Unit (JIU) have been issued since the last note by the Administrator to the Governing Council (DP/1988/12 and Add.1). Six of these are of interest or concern to the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and to the Governing Council and are the subject of this note. 1/

JIU/REP/87/5 Technical co-operation between organizations of the United Nations system and the least developed countries

2. The report was circulated among members of the General Assembly under the symbol A/43/228 and the comments of the Administrative Committee on Co-ordination were circulated in document A/43/228/Add.1.

JIU/REP/88/2 A review of the use of equipment provided to technical co-operation projects in developing countries

3. The report has been issued as a document of the Economic and Social Council (E/1989/7) and will be before the Council at its second regular session of 1989.

JIU/REP/88/3 Representation of organizations of the United Nations system at conferences and meetings: Part A. The United Nations

4. The report was circulated among members of the General Assembly under the symbol A/43/586.

JIU/REP/88/4 Project RLA/86/002 - Support for the foreign services of Latin America - Mid-term evaluation

5. The report was circulated among members of the General Assembly under the symbol A/43/627. Project RLA/86/002 is a UNDP-assisted regional project, with the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean acting as the executing agency.

JIU/REP/88/5 Contribution of the United Nations system to the preservation and management of cultural and natural heritage in Western Asia

6. As of the end of February 1989, the report had not been issued as a document of the General Assembly.

JIU/REP/88/6 (Part I) Evaluation of the United Nations technical co-operation and project evaluation systems

JIU/REP/88/6 (Part II)

7. The report has been issued as a document of the Economic and Social Council, Part I as document E/1989/41 and Part II as an addendum (E/1989/41/Add.1), and it will be before the Council at its second regular session of 1989.

Annual report of JIU on its activities during the period 1 July 1987 to 30 June 1988

8. In its consideration of the annual report of JIU, 2/ the General Assembly in resolution 43/221 of 21 December 1988, welcomed the measures introduced thus far in improving the quality, effectiveness and presentation of the reports of the Unit pursuant to Assembly resolution 42/218. UNDP reiterates that it will continue to work closely with JIU in the implementation of its work programmes.

Notes

1/ The following additional reports were prepared by the Joint Inspection Unit in 1988: "Reporting on the performance and results of United Nations programmes: monitoring, evaluation and management review components" (JIU/REP/88/1), circulated among members of the General Assembly under the symbol A/43/124, (the Assembly took note of the report and the comments of the Secretary-General thereon (A/43/124/Add.1, annex), in resolution 43/219 of 21 December 1988); and "Representation of organizations of the United Nations system at conferences and meetings: Part B. The specialized agencies" (JIU/REP/88/7), circulated among members of the General Assembly under the symbol A/44/135. At its forty-third session the General Assembly, in decision 43/453 of 21 December 1988, took note of the report of JIU on autonomous research institutes of the United Nations (A/42/540) and the related comments of the Secretary-General (A/43/397).

2/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-third Session, Supplement No. 34 (A/43/34).