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SPECIAL ECONOMIC AND DISASTER RELIEF ASSISTANCE: SPECIAL PROGRAMMES OF ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

Afghanistan, Bangladesh, China, Cuba, Czechoslovakia, Djibouti, Egypt, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jordan, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Mauritania, Peru, Philippines, Somalia, Syrian Arab Republic: draft resolution

Special assistance to Yemen

The General Assembly,

<u>Recalling</u> its resolutions 45/193 and 45/222 of 21 December 1990, Economic and Social Council resolution 1991/62 of 26 July 1991 and decisions 91/19 and 91/20 of 25 June 1991 of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme, 1/

Noting the return of approximately one million Yemeni expatriates to their country as result of the situation between Iraq and Kuwait, in addition to the flows of tens of thousands of refugees and returnees from the Horn of Africa because of the recent developments in that region,

<u>Deeply concerned</u> at the grave economic and social consequences of the considerable flows of returnees, taking place at a time when Yemen is afflicted by stringent economic crises,

1/ See Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1991, Supplement No. 13 (E/1991/34), annex I. A/C.2/46/L.42 English Page 2

1. <u>Calls upon</u> States, United Nations organizations, governmental organizations, international non-governmental organizations and international financial institutions to extend their assistance to Yemen to enable that country to deal with the effects of the flows of refugees and returnees;

2. <u>Requests</u> the Secretary-General to assist in mobilizing resources and to prepare a comprehensive programme to assist Yemen in finding a solution to the serious situation created by these flows;

3. <u>Requests</u> the Secretary-General to submit a report on the implementation of the present resolution to the General Assembly at its forty-seventh session.