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REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON ITS TWENTY-NINTH SESSION

Draft report

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Chapter ____

ORGANIZATION OF THE SESSION

A. Opening and duration of the session

- 1. The Statistical Commission held its twenty-ninth session at United Nations Headquarters from 11-14 February 1997. The Commission held ____ meetings (483rd to).
- 2. The session was opened by the temporary Chairman, Mr. Yuri Yurkov (Russian Federation).
- 3. The Director of the United Nations Statistics Division made a statement.

B. <u>Attendance</u>

4. The session was attended by ____ States members of the Commission. Observers for other States Members of the United Nations and observers for intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations also attended. A list of participants is given in annex __ to the present report.

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C. Election of officers

5. At the 483rd meeting, on 11 February, the Commission elected the following officers, by acclamation:

Chairman: Carlos Jarque (Mexico)

<u>Vice-Chairmen</u>: Edvard Outrata (Czech Republic)

S. Sathyam (India)

Tim Holt (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)

Rapporteur: G. M. Charumbira (Botswana)

D. Agenda and organization of work

- 6. Also at the 483rd meeting, the Commission adopted the provisional agenda contained in document E/CN.3/1997/1. The agenda is set out in annex __ to the present report.
- 7. At the same meeting, the Commission approved the organization of the work of the session (E/CN.3/1997/L.1), as amended.

E. <u>Documentation</u>

8. The documents before the Commission at its twenty-ninth session are listed in annex $_$ to the present report.

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