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> REPORT ON THE MEETING OF INTERESTED DELEGATIONS ON SPECIFIC PROPOSALS FOR POSSIBLE CONSIDERATION BY THE WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE

Setting up of Informal Working Group

1. As a result of informal consultations, the Chairman proposed at the 28th meeting on Thursday 26 September 1974, and the Committee agreed, to set up an Informal Working Group, with the following terms of reference:

- (a) Examine how the conclusions of the Conference can best be presented to the world;
- (b) Examine how follow-up action to the decisions of the Conference should be dealt with;
- (c) Discuss what should be the general contents of a declaration and programme of action in case this should be decided upon.

2. There would be an understanding that items (b) and (c) would not be taken up in the Working Group until the Preparatory Committee or the Working Group decides, and it is expected that this would be after there had been discussion on those items in the Committee.

3. The Chairman of the Informal Working Group is Sierra Leone. The members are: Algeria, Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Egypt, German Democratic Republic, India, Indonesia, Japan, Mexico, Norway, Pakistan, Romania, Saudi Arabia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Zambia.

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