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**MANAGEMENT ISSUES: STRENGTHENING THE UNITED NATIONS
DEVELOPMENT PILLAR AT THE REGIONAL LEVEL: PROPOSED
ESCAP SUBREGIONAL OFFICES**

(Item 4 (c) of the provisional agenda)

**INITIAL REPORT ON THE MOST FEASIBLE AND STRATEGIC
LOCATIONS FOR THE NEW ESCAP SUBREGIONAL OFFICES FOR
EAST AND NORTH-EAST ASIA, NORTH AND CENTRAL ASIA,
AND SOUTH AND SOUTH-WEST ASIA**

Addendum

Corrigendum

1. Page 3, under List of abbreviations

Insert

CICA Conference on Interaction and Confidence-Building Measures in Asia

2. Paragraph 32, line 5

For Iran (Islamic Republic of) and Pakistan *read* Iran (Islamic Republic of),
Pakistan and Turkey

3. Paragraph 74

For the existing text *substitute*

74. Strategically, however, there is a significant difference. The Republic of Korea is a member of OECD and is shortly to become a member of the Development Assistance Committee (DAC) with a praiseworthy commitment to expand its development cooperation programmes, bilaterally and multilaterally. This is excellent news for the United Nations generally, but has naturally led to a change in the development community in Seoul and/or Incheon: the United Nations country team is extremely limited, although there are two United Nations regional offices, namely APCICT and ISDR (a global programme managed by OCHA), which are based in Incheon.

4. Paragraph 82, line 1

For two read three

5. Page 21

After paragraph 83, insert the following paragraph and renumber subsequent paragraphs accordingly

84. A further programme of significance to the subregion is the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-Building Measures in Asia (CICA). Founded in 1992 and headquartered in Almaty, it embraces all the countries of North and Central Asia, as well as a number of other countries in and beyond the Asia and Pacific region. It now includes 21 countries. Originally focused on security issues in the subregion, CICA now extends its activities to socio-economic, ecological and humanitarian programmes as essential elements in assuring long-term security.

6. Page 22, summary table 2

In the column headed “Almaty, Kazakhstan”, against “Alignment with regional and subregional programmes”, *after* the bullet point Eurasian Economic Community (EURAsEC) *insert*

- CICA Office

7. Page 24, summary table 3

In the column headed “Islamabad, Pakistan”, the first bullet point against “Transport connections and proximity to subregion” *should read*

Although plans are apparently afoot to redevelop the airport into the national air hub, it is Karachi, not Islamabad, that is currently the Pakistan hub.

8. Paragraph 98

The third sentence *should read* In terms of air travel, although plans are apparently afoot to redevelop its airport into the national hub, it is not currently the principal hub for Pakistan, let alone South and South-West Asia.

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