



Distr. LIMITED

TD/B/L.717 17 September 1984

Original: ENGLISH

United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD Twenty-ninth session Geneva, 10 September 1984 Agenda item 10

MEETING TO COMMEMORATE THE TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT

(to be held on 17 September 1984)

Message received from Mr. Zhao Ziyang, Premier of the State Council of the People's Republic of China addressed to the Secretary-General of UNCTAD

On the occasion of the twentieth anniversary of the founding of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, I would like, on behalf of the Chinese Government and people, to extend our warm congratulations.

Over the past 20 years, the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development has played a positive role in the enhancement of the trade relations and development of all countries, particularly the developing countries, in the promotion of north—south dialogue, south—south co-operation and in the establishment of a new international economic order, and has won the appreciation of the international community.

May the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development in its future work make greater contributions to the further promotion of economic development of the developing countries and the invigoration of the world economy as a whole.

ZHAO ZIYANG
Premier of the State Council
The People's Republic of China

Beijing, 16 September 1984

企.84-53237