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UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT

India: draft resolution*

United Nations Conference on an International Code of Conduct on the Transfer of Technology

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 3201 (S-VI) and 3202 (S-VI) of 1 May 1974 containing the Declaration and the Programme of Action on the Establishment of a New International Economic Order, 3281 (XXIX) of 12 December 1974 containing the Charter of Economic Rights and Duties of States and 3362 (S-VII) of 16 September 1975 on development and international economic co-operation,

Recalling also its resolutions 32/188 of 19 December 1977 and 33/157 of 20 December 1978,

Bearing in mind resolution 89 (IV) of 30 May 1976 of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on an international code of conduct on the transfer of technology 1/ and decision 113 (V) of 3 June 1979, of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on the same subject, 2/

Taking note of the recommendation made by the United Nations Conference on an International Code of Conduct on the Transfer of Technology at its second session to convene, under the auspices of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, a third session in the first half of 1980,

^{*} The draft resolution is submitted by the delegation of India on behalf of the States Members of the United Nations which are members of the Group of 77.

^{1/} See Proceedings of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, Fourth Session, vol. I, Report and Annexes (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.76.II.D.10 and corrigendum), part one, sect. A.

^{2/} TD/268, part one, sect. A.

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Deeply concerned because, despite the political will and flexibility demonstrated by the developing countries during the second session of the United Nations Conference on an International Code of Conduct on the Transfer of Technology, no agreement has been achieved on a number of fundamental issues of interest to the developing countries,

- 1. <u>Decides</u> to convene a third session of the United Nations Conference on an International Code of Conduct on the Transfer of Technology in the first half of 1980 and requests the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development to undertake the necessary preparations;
- 2. Strongly urges the developed countries to display the necessary political will and flexibility at the third session of the Conference in order to complete negotiations and take all decisions necessary for the adoption of an international code of conduct on the transfer of technology, bearing in mind the interests and concerns of the developing countries.
