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1. Page iv

Under "Annexes", add

2. Page 14, paragraph 47

The last sentence should read

Statements were also made by a number of other intergovernmental organizations and of non-governmental organizations.

3. Page 28

After paragraph 111, insert a new paragraph reading

The Deputy Secretary-General of the International Telecommunication Union stated that his organization enjoyed a close working relationship with the national and international scientific communities, exchanging and contributing the results of their investigations to permit the orderly adaptation or scientific and technological progress to world telecommunication systems. He referred to disparities and obstacles in telecommunication development and emphasized the need to follow policies in the national determination of investment priorities which would directly support development and other essential specialized projects such as improved health care, human settlement and the transfer of information. The development of satellite communications was revolutionizing historical investment policies, since they were cost-insensitive to distance. Coupled with other technical developments, with the advantages of dramatic cost reductions and with international collaboration and shared facilities, the use of telecommunications could be organized quickly for the rural and isolated areas at an acceptable cost. These possibilities were receiving detailed study in ITU and were of considerable importance in connexion with the Programme of Action of the Conference.

4. Page 41, fifth preambular paragraph, first line For concerned read concerted

5. Page 103, subparagraph (c)

At the end of the subparagraph, add

On the basis of this position, our delegations will,
at a later date, determine their attitude towards
newly created funds, including interim funds.

6. Page 121

The symbol of the report of the First Committee should read A/CONF.81/12 and Add.1-4

7. Page 125

(a) After Ireland, insert

47 Israel

(b) After Mali, insert

51 Malta

8. Page 127

Under subheading "(a) United Nations", add

BP/UNICEF Applied Science and Technology for Development through the Basic Services Approach

BP/UNDP Science, Technology and World Development: The Views of UNDP

BP/UNU The Role of the United Nations University in Science and Technology for Development

BP/UNU/Add.1 The United Nations University, The Third Year (1977 - 1978)

BP/UNU/Add.2 The United Nations University

BP/ECE Regional and Supregional Co-operative

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America in the Field of Science and

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Technological Forecasting: Solar Energy

BP/ESCAP Report of the Round-Table Discussion on

"Participation of Women and their Emancipation

through the Application of Science and

Technology to Development"

BP/ECWA Background document