

ORGANISATION MONDIALE DU TOURISME WORLD TOURISM ORGANIZATION ORGANIZACION MUNDIAL DEL TURISMO BCEMUPHAR TYPUCTCKAR OPFAHUЗAЦИЯ

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DECISIONS TAKEN BY THE WTO COMMISSION FOR EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC AT ITS TWENTY-SIXTH MEETING

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DECISIONS

CAP/DEC/1(XXVI)

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA Agenda item 1 (document CAP/26/Prov.Ag.)

The Commission,

<u>Adopts</u> the provisional agenda of its twenty-sixth meeting as contained in the document (CAP/26/Prov.Ag.) submitted by the Secretary-General.

CAP/DEC/2(XXVI)

COMMUNICATION OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMISSION Agenda item 2

The Commission,

Having heard the Communication of the Chairman,

- 1. Thanks him for his Communication; and
- 2. <u>Appreciates</u> his words of welcome and greetings extended to all Members, non-members, the representatives of international organizations present at the meeting and the Secretary-General and his officers.

CAP/DEC/3(XXVI)

PRELIMINARY REMARKS BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL Agenda item 3 (document CAP/26/1)

The Commission,

Having heard the introductory remarks of the Secretary-General,

- 1. Thanks him for a very comprehensive review of world tourism in 1993;
- Congratulates him on the action initiated to achieve the four objectives which were outlined at the tenth General Assembly;
- 3. <u>Calls upon</u> the Members to extend their support and cooperation in full measure to the Secretary-General in order to achieve these objectives during the current biennium; and
- 4. Requests the Secretary-General to take up with the newly-formed World Trade Organization the matter of removing the synonym in the English language abbreviation (WTO) of both the organizations.

CAP/DEC/4(XXVI)

PRESENTATION OF THE STATISTICAL MONOGRAPH FOR THE REGION Agenda item 4

The Commission,

<u>Having listened</u> to the detailed presentation of the Statistical Monograph for East Asia and the Pacific,

<u>Having considered</u> the Statistical Monograph circulated among the participants,

- 1. Records with satisfaction the fact that a chapter of the Monograph is devoted to trends in tourism demand in the countries of the region, enabling each of the countries to assess its own performance compared to that of competing markets and destinations;
- 2. <u>Appreciates</u> the work of the Secretariat in the field of statistics and especially in implementing the recommendations of the International Conference on Travel and Tourism Statistics; and
- 3. <u>Calls upon</u> the Members to express their views on the contents and scope of the Monograph and to suggest any amendments or improvements that they consider necessary, bearing in mind the potential of the countries in the region to contribute the necessary basic data.

CAP/DEC/5(XXVI)

APPLICATION TO THE REGION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S GENERAL PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR 1994-1995 AND OTHER REGIONAL ACTIVITIES Agenda item 5 (document CAP/26/2)

The Commission,

Having considered the working document submitted by the Secretary-General on the subject,

- 1. <u>Notes</u> the various activities carried out during the first half of the current biennium and the development of relations with Members and international organizations;
- 2. Notes the activities planned for the second half of the biennium; and
- 3, <u>Urges</u> the Members to incorporate the tourism sector into their development programmes and grant it a high priority, taking advantage of the mechanisms existing for this purpose, such as WTO's technical assistance.

CAP/DEC/6(XXVI)

INFORMATION REPORT ON THE PREPARATION OF HANDBOOKS
FOR IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE INTERNATIONAL
CONFERENCE HELD IN OTTAWA ON TOURISM AND TRAVEL STATISTICS
Agenda item 6

The Commission,

<u>Having been informed</u> of the progress of the technical handbooks being prepared by the Secretariat to help countries implement the Recommendations on Tourism Statistics, which resulted from the Ottawa International Conference on Travel and Tourism Statistics and which were officially adopted by the United Nations Statistical Commission,

- 1. <u>Takes note</u> of the procedures laid down by the Secretariat for applying these handbooks, bearing in mind the needs and realities of the countries in the region; and
- 2. <u>Recommends</u> to its Members to give regular support to the Organization's continuing work in this field.

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PLACE AND DATE OF THE TWENTY-SEVENTH MEETING OF THE COMMISSION Agenda item 7

The Commission,

Accepts with gratitude the offer of the WTO Commission for South Asia to host the twenty-seventh meeting of the WTO Commission for East Asia and the Pacific in Pakistan in conjunction with the Asian Tourism Conference which is scheduled to be held in the first quarter of 1995.

ANNEX

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