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ITEM RELATING TO A GREATER PARTICIPATION
IN S.C.A.R. BY THE NON-CONSULTATIVE
CONTRACTING PARTIES OF THE ANTARCTIC TREATY
(Submitted by Argentina)

The Representatives,

Taking into account Recommendation XII relating to the strengthening of ties between SCAR and the National Committees of the Contracting Parties which are not Consultative Parties to the Antarctic Treaty;

Considering that the Contracting Parties which are not Consultative Parties are clearly interested in participating more actively in the scientific and technological activities in Antarctica;

Stating that SCAR is the non-governmental organisation that coordinates [all] national and international scientific and technical programmes related to Antarctic research;

Believing that a greater number of contributions would be advantageous to SCAR;

Recommend to their Governments that:

They ask SCAR, through their respective National Committees, to intensify its exchange of scientific information with the National Committees of the Contracting Parties which are not Consultative Parties to the Antarctic Treaty, to ensure an [active, growing] effective and progressive participation of their scientists in scientific and technological research activities in Antarctica in order to avoid an unnecessary duplication of effort, and that they ask SCAR to take all precautions to ensure that those Contracting Parties which are not Consultative Parties to the Antarctic Treaty are allowed sufficient participation through their respective National Committees in the XVIII Meeting of SCAR, to be held in the Federal Republic of Germany on 1984.