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ANTARCTIC TREATY
XII CONSULTATIVE MEETING

ДОГОВОР ОБ АНТАРКТИКЕ ХІІ КОНСУЛЬТАТИВНОЕ СОВЕЩАНИЕ

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(Submitted by Australia)

The Representatives,

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<u>Recognising</u> that the Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR) of the International Council of Scientific Unions comprises a unique assemblage of knowledge and expertise in Antarctic scientific fields;

<u>Noting with appreciation</u> the advice provided to the Antarctic Treaty Consultative Parties by SCAR in response to various requests;

<u>Being_aware</u> that under its Constitution SCAR is charged with "furthering the co-ordination of scientific activity in Antarctica, with a view to framing a scientific program of circumpolar scope and significance";

<u>Being aware also</u> that the assistance requested of SCAR by the Consultative Parties imposes additional demands on scarce resources;

Recommend to their Governments:

That they consider in the light of its expertise and past assistance any requests that may be made by their national committees for additional funding to meet costs to SCAR of responding to requests for advice by the Antarctic Treaty Consultative Parties.