

131(XI) Information system at the Economic Commission
for Western Asia*

The Economic Commission for Western Asia

Recalling Economic and Social Council resolution 1981/63 on the strengthening and co-ordination of information systems in the United Nations,

Recalling further General Assembly resolution 36/237 of 18 December 1981 on the establishment of an information systems unit in the Department of International Economic and Social Affairs of the United Nations,

Mindful of the essential services that an information system at ECHA could provide for members of the Commission and other potential users,

Taking note of the report of the Executive Secretary on the Commission's work in the field of information systems,

1. Requests the Executive Secretary to elaborate a comprehensive programme of work to develop the secretariat's information infrastructure within the context of the 1986-1987 programme of work and priorities comprising projects that could be financed from various extrabudgetary sources;

2. Further requests the Executive Secretary to co-operate with Arab, regional and international organizations for the purposes of co-ordinating the information programme, ensuring complementarity and preventing duplication;

3. Calls upon the Executive Secretary to report to the fourth session of the Standing Committee for the Programme on the programme of work for the development of the information system.

6th meeting
26 April 1984

*The Standing Committee for the Programme referred this project resolution to the eleventh session. See the report of the Standing Committee (E/ECWA/XI/7/Rev.2).