

Decision III/3
Emergency Fund

The Conference,

Recalling decision II/2 of the second meeting of the Conference of the Parties:

1. Requests the Extended Bureau to:

a) ensure that special consideration should be given, if appropriate through a special informal working group, to the issues related to establishing an emergency fund, including the elements required for its establishment;

b) convene the special informal working group meeting, if possible, in conjunction with the Ad Hoc Working Group of Legal and Technical Experts to consider and develop a Draft Protocol on Liability and Compensation;

c) present a progress report on the establishment of such AN emergency fund to the fourth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, taking into account the relationship of an emergency fund and a draft protocol on liability and compensation and the work being done on that protocol by the Ad Hoc Working Group of Legal and Technical Experts.