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585(XXVIII) CARIBBEAN DEVELOPMENT AND COOPERATION COMMITTEE

The Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean,

Recalling its resolution 358(XVI) of 1975 establishing the Caribbean Development and Cooperation Committee as a subsidiary organ of the Commission to act as a coordinating body for activities relating to development and cooperation in that subregion,

Recognizing the importance of the Caribbean Development and Cooperation Committee in its role as a forum in which the Governments of the subregion can exchange information and share experiences,

Bearing in mind that, as a subsidiary organ of the Commission, the Caribbean Development and Cooperation Committee held its eighteenth session in Port-of-Spain, Trinidad and Tobago, at which it adopted resolutions on support for activities to implement the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development; support for the work of the ECLAC Subregional Headquarters for the Caribbean; support for the implementation of the Plan of Action for Small Island Development States; the importance of economic and social data in the planning and policy formulation process in CDCC member countries; support for activities to implement the Platform for Action adopted at the Fourth World Conference on Women in Beijing; integrated management of the Caribbean Sea; and the Chaguaramas Declaration,

1. <u>Takes note</u> of the report¹ and endorses the resolutions adopted at the eighteenth session of the Caribbean Development and Cooperation Committee.

¹ Report of the eighteenth session of the Caribbean Development and Cooperation Committee.