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ADVANCE GENERAL INFORMATION

GENERAL

1. The purpose of this document is to provide Member States with the first information concerning the arrangements for the twenty-third regular session of the General Conference. It is the intention of the Secretariat to provide further information in addenda to this document.

LOCATION

- 2. At the invitation of the Government of India, the General Conference will meet in New Delhi at the Vigyan Bhavan Conference Centre beginning 4 December 1979.
- 3. As the months of November/December fall in the peak tourist season in New Delhi, advance hotel bookings are strongly recommended. Airlines and travel agencies usually make block bookings of a number of hotel rooms and it may be advisable to contact them in this connection.

TRAVEL

4. Several international airlines have regular flights to New Delhi. The Air India office in Vienna. Opernring 1, telex 01/2030, telephone 57 21 47, has offered to provide travel and tourist assistance to all interested delgates.

VISAS AND HEALTH REGULATIONS

- 5. Visas are issued by the Indian Missions abroad. In Vienna, visas may be obtained from the Embassy of India (A-1010 Vienna, Opernringhof, telephone 57 81 03 or 57 81 12).
- 6. All persons entering India are advised to get vaccinated against smallpox and cholera. Those coming from yellow-fever areas should be in possession of valid inoculation certificates. Further information could be obtained from the Indian Missions abroad.

CLIMATE

7. The month of December in New Delhi is cool but sunny. The temperature usually ranges between $21^{\circ}C$ and $25^{\circ}C$ during the day, and the night temperature varies between $7^{\circ}C$ and $10^{\circ}C$.

ELECTRIC VOLTAGE

8. Voltage in New Delhi is 220 AC 50 Hz.