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AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE BIENNIIUM 2000–2001

Report of the United Nations Board of Auditors

Note by the Executive Secretary

Addendum

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This document contains the financial statements for the biennium 2000–2001 which have been audited by the United Nations Board of Auditors. The audit statement is provided in document FCCC/SBI/2002/10.

The Subsidiary Body for Implementation is invited to take note of the information contained in this document and the report of the external auditors. It may also wish to propose appropriate actions which may be included in the draft decisions on administrative and financial matters to be adopted by the Conference of the Parties at its eighth session.

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I. NARRATIVE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE BIENNIUM ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2001

1. The Executive Secretary has the honour to submit herewith the financial report, together with the accounts for the biennium 2000–2001 ended 31 December 2001, of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC). The report is presented in accordance with paragraph 16 of the Financial procedures for the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, its subsidiary bodies and its permanent secretariat (FCCC/CP/1995/7/Add.1).

STATEMENT I

Statement of income and expenditure and changes in reserves and fund balances

I. Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC

2. The amount of \$22,567,883 shown in statement I represents indicative contributions from governments. The amount of \$1,389,302 represents voluntary contributions paid by the host country to the core budget for the biennium 2000–2001 (schedules 1.1 and 1.2). In addition, \$954,500 was received as interest income and \$2,041 as other income and \$3,421,694 representing contributions not yet received, thus bringing the total expected income to \$24,913,726. Expenditures for the biennium 2000–2001 amounted to \$26,472,078, which resulted in a shortfall of income below expenditure of \$1,558,352. The prior period adjustments of \$73,396 decreased the shortfall to \$1,484,956. This shortfall is covered from the reserve and fund balances brought forward from the last biennium. The reserve and fund balance of the core budget amounted to \$7,232,179 at the end of December 2001.

II. Trust Fund for Participation in the UNFCCC Process

3. A total amount of \$2,856,434 was received during the biennium 2000–2001 as voluntary contributions from various governments (schedule 1.1). In addition \$61,130 was received as interest income and \$78,265 as other income. Thus the total income of the fund was \$2,995,829.

4. The total expenditure, which included \$1,990 as loss on exchange, was \$3,689,945, resulting in a shortfall of income over expenditure of \$694,116. The prior period adjustment of \$116,750 reduced the shortfall to \$577,366.

5. The reserve and fund balance of the fund was \$630,239 at the end of December 2001 due to a transfer of \$618,226 from the supplementary fund and \$111,898 savings from prior period obligations.

III. Trust Fund for Supplementary Activities

6. The voluntary contributions to the fund amounted to \$5,455,785 for the biennium 2000–2001 (schedule 1.1). Total income in this fund was \$5,873,315 after inclusion of interest income of \$410,403 and \$7,127 as miscellaneous income.

7. Total expenditure was \$3,426,960, which resulted in an excess of income over expenditure of \$2,446,355. The prior period adjustment of \$215,161 increased the excess to \$2,661,516.

8. The reserve and fund balance reached \$4,426,171 at the end of December 2001 after setting aside \$618,226 as unspent balances for various supplementary activities for refunding to governments.

IV. Trust Fund for the Special Annual Contribution from the Government of Germany

9. \$3,174,841 was received from the Government of Germany. Total income in this fund was \$3,286,734 after inclusion of \$111,893 as interest income.

10. The expenditure amounted to \$3,213,093, which resulted in an excess of income over expenditure of \$73,641. The prior period adjustment of \$32,624 increased the excess of income over expenditure to \$106,265.

11. Together with the savings on prior period expenditure of \$250,953 and the refund of \$320,312 to the Government of Germany, the fund balance amounted to \$675,496 at the end of December 2001.

V. Trust Fund for Technical Cooperation

12. UNFCCC entered into a basic agreement with the United Nations Fund for International Partnerships (UNFIP) on 23 August 1999 in which the latter agreed to provide grants for the implementation of specific projects. Following this agreement, a project was developed on "Engaging the private sector in clean development mechanism (CDM) project activities under the Kyoto Protocol", which would be facilitated by UNFCCC and implemented by the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Industrial Development Organization and the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, with the United Nations Development Programme taking the lead.

13. The voluntary contributions to the fund amounted to \$1,500,000 for the biennium 2000–2001. Total income in this fund was \$1,527,671 after inclusion of interest income of \$27,671.

14. Total expenditure was \$442,978, which resulted in an excess of income over expenditure of \$1,084,693.

15. The reserve and fund balance reached \$1,084,693.

VI. Special Account for Programme Support Costs

16. The programme support cost income received during the biennium from voluntary contributions to the fund amounted to \$4,296,699 for the biennium 2000–2001. Total income in this fund was \$4,368,208 after inclusion of interest income of \$71,509.

17. Total expenditure was \$1,929,419, which resulted in an excess of income over expenditure of \$2,438,789.

18. The reserve and fund balance reached \$2,438,789.

STATEMENT II

Statement of assets, liabilities, reserves and fund balances

I. Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC

19. The assets of the fund amounted to \$11,024,576 and included cash of \$5,995,462, indicative contributions receivable of \$3,421,694, inter-fund balances receivable of \$744,723, other accounts receivable of \$862,697.
20. The liabilities consisted of other accounts payable of \$1,527,579, unliquidated obligations of \$2,005,520 and contributions received in advance of \$259,298.
21. The working capital reserve was \$1,122,877 by the end of 2001 and the cumulative surplus of the fund was \$6,109,302.

II. Trust Fund for Participation in the UNFCCC Process

22. Total assets of \$1,242,831 included cash of \$1,237,874 and other accounts receivable of \$4,957.
23. The liabilities consisted of inter-fund balances payable of \$128,198 and unliquidated obligations of \$484,394.
24. The cash operating reserve of the fund amounted to \$127,612 and the cumulative surplus to \$502,627 at the end of December 2001.

III. Trust Fund for Supplementary Activities

25. The assets of the fund amounted to \$6,282,220, including cash of \$6,257,602 and other accounts receivable of \$24,618.
26. The liabilities consisted of inter-fund balances payable of \$506,529, other accounts payable of \$1,108,804 and unliquidated obligations of \$240,716.
27. The cash operating reserve reached \$173,225 and the cumulative surplus was \$4,252,946.

IV. Trust Fund for the Special Annual Contribution from the Government of Germany

28. The total assets of the fund consisted of cash of \$1,082,764 and other accounts receivable of \$4,355.
29. The liabilities included inter-fund balances payable of \$141,207 and unliquidated obligations of \$270,416.
30. The cash operating reserve of the fund amounted to \$196,925 and the cumulative surplus to \$478,571 at the end of December 2001.

V. Trust Fund for Technical Cooperation

31. The assets of the fund amounted to \$1,148,821, which included cash of \$708,063, other accounts receivable of \$2,572 and operating funds provided to executing agencies of \$438,186.
32. The liabilities consisted of inter-fund balances payable of \$64,128.
33. The reserve for allocations amounted to \$438,186 and the cumulative surplus was \$646,507.

VI. Special Account for Programme Support Costs

34. The assets of the fund amounted to \$2,595,150, which included cash of \$2,586,634 and other accounts receivable of \$8,516.
35. The liabilities consisted of inter-fund balances payable of \$142,836 and unliquidated obligations of \$13,525.
36. The cash operating reserve reached \$445,670 and the cumulative surplus was \$1,993,119.

II. CERTIFICATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

17 May 2002

I certify that the appended financial statements of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, numbered I to IV, are fairly stated.

(Signed) Tahar Hadj-Sadok
Officer-in-Charge

Statement I

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE

Statement of income and expenditure and changes in reserves and fund balances for the biennium 2000–2001 ended 31 December 2001
 (US dollars)

	Schedule or note reference	<u>2001</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>1999</u>	TRUST FUND FOR THE SPECIAL ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF GERMANY (FAQ)	
								TRUST FUND FOR THE CORE BUDGET OF UNFCCC (FC)	PARTICIPATION IN THE UNFCCC PROCESS (FI)
INCOME:									
Indicative Contributions	Note 2 (g) (i)	22,567,883	19,577,064	-	-	-	-	-	-
Voluntary Contributions	Note 2 (g) (ii)	1,389,302	1,712,492	2,856,434	1,943,610	5,455,785	3,262,681	3,174,841	3,894,592
Received under Inter-Organization arrangements	-	-	1,385	-	-	-	-	-	-
Programme Support Cost Income	Note 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other/Miscellaneous Income									
Interest income	Note 2 (g) (iii)	954,500	548,707	61,130	106,791	410,403	213,738	111,893	97,216
Miscellaneous	Note 2 (g) (iv)	2,041	20,700	78,265	-	7,127	-	-	9,562
TOTAL INCOME		24,913,726	21,860,348	2,995,829	2,050,401	5,873,315	3,476,419	3,286,734	4,001,370
EXPENDITURE:									
Staff and other personnel costs		15,462,692	11,305,775	-	-	982,643	1,232,065	989,421	1,016,528
Travel	1,777,915	1,149,188	3,263,448	2,837,652	1,683,274	518,064	20,361	452,632	
Contractual services	946,660	256,372	-	-	45,724	28,720	-	-	
Operating expenses									
Acquisitions	Note 3	2,115,889	804,109	1,990	99,787	207,201	159,005	1,822,352	1,980,752
		1,250,792	699,299	-	-	10,561	2,962	15,161	21,162

Statement I (continued)

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE						
Statement of income and expenditure and changes in reserves and fund balances for the biennium 2000–2001 ended 31 December 2001						
	TRUST FUND FOR THE CORE BUDGET OF UNFCCC (FC)			TRUST FUND FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE UNFCCC PROCESS (FI)		TRUST FUND FOR SUPPLEMENTARY ACTIVITIES (FR)
Schedule or note reference	<u>2001</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>1999</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>1999</u>
						<u>2001</u>
Fellowships, grants and other	1,876,529	1,685,708	-	103,305	297,433	-
Total direct expenditure	23,430,477	15,900,451	3,265,438	3,032,708	2,238,249	2,847,295
Programme support costs	3,041,601	2,067,059	424,507	368,895	394,252	365,798
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	26,472,078	17,967,510	3,689,945	3,306,334	3,426,960	2,521,614
Prior period adjustments	73,396	33,899	116,750	107,581	215,161	12,779
NET EXCESS (SHORTFALL) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE	(1,484,956)	3,926,737	(577,366)	(1,148,352)	2,661,516	967,584
Transfers (to) from reserves and other funds	-	-	618,226	-	(618,226)	(915,003)
Refund to donors	Note 5	564,587	169,126	111,898	588,716	137,215
Savings on prior period obligations	Note 2 (e)	-	-	-	-	98,301
RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES: BEGINNING OF PERIOD	8,152,548	4,056,685	477,481	1,037,117	2,245,666	2,094,784
RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES: END OF PERIOD	7,232,179	8,152,548	630,239	477,481	4,426,171	2,245,666

Statement I (continued)

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE						
Statement of income and expenditure and changes in reserves and fund balances for the biennium 2000-2001 ended 31 December 2001 (US dollars)						
		TRUST FUND FOR UNFCCC TECHNICAL COOPERATION (UNFIP) (FU)	SPECIAL ACCOUNT FOR UNFCCC PROGRAMME SUPPORT COSTS (ZR)		TOTAL	
	Schedule or note reference	2001	1999	2001	1999	2001
INCOME:						
Indicative contributions	Note 2 (g) (i)	-	-	-	22,567,883	19,577,064
Voluntary contributions	Note 2 (g) (ii)	1,500,000	-	-	14,376,362	10,813,375
Received under inter-organization arrangements		-	-	-	-	1,385
Programme support cost income	Note 10	-	4,296,699	-	4,296,699	-
Other/miscellaneous income						
Interest income	Note 2 (g) (iii)	27,671	-	71,509	-	966,452
Miscellaneous	Note 2 (g) (iv)	-	-	-	87,433	30,262
TOTAL INCOME		1,527,671		4,368,208		42,965,483
EXPENDITURE:						
Staff and other personnel costs						
Travel	165,385	-	1,914,714	-	19,514,855	13,554,368
Contractual services	56,772	-	9,810	-	6,811,580	4,957,536
Operating expenses	184,727	-	4,316	-	1,181,427	285,092
Acquisitions	-	-	-	-	4,147,432	3,043,653
Fellowships, grants and other	36,094	-	-	-	1,277,093	723,423
Total direct expenditure	442,978	-	1,929,419	-	2,015,928	1,993,141
Programme support costs	-	-	-	-	34,948,315	24,557,213
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		442,978		1,929,419		39,174,473
						27,729,072

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE		Statement of income and expenditure and changes in reserves and fund balances for the biennium 2000-2001 ended 31 December 2001 (US dollars)			
Schedule or note reference		2001	1999	2001	1999
		TRUST FUND FOR UNFCCC TECHNICAL COOPERATION (UNFIP) (FU)	SPECIAL ACCOUNT FOR UNFCCC PROGRAMME SUPPORT COSTS (ZR)		TOTAL
Prior period adjustments	Note 4	-	-	-	154,259
NET EXCESS (SHORTFALL) OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE		1,084,693	2,438,789	4,228,941	3,813,725
Transfers (to) from reserves and other funds		-	-	-	19,381
Refund to donors	Note 5	-	-	(320,312)	(363,550)
Savings on prior period obligations	Note 2 (e)	-	-	1,064,653	856,143
RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES: BEGINNING OF PERIOD				11,514,285	7,188,586
RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES: END OF PERIOD		1,084,693	2,438,789	16,487,567	11,514,285

Statement II

Statement II (continued)

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE						
Statement of assets, liabilities, reserves and fund balances for the biennium 2000–2001 as at 31 December 2001 (US dollars)						
Schedule or note reference	TRUST FUND FOR UNFCCC TECHNICAL COOPERATION (UNFIP) (FU)			SPECIAL ACCOUNT FOR UNFCCC PROGRAMME SUPPORT COSTS (ZR)		TOTAL
	2001	1999	2001	1999	2001	
ASSETS						
Cash and term deposits	Notes 2 (f), 6	708,063	-	2,586,634	-	17,868,399
Accounts receivable:						
Indicative contributions receivable from Member States	Sched. 1.1	-	-	-	-	3,421,694
Inter-fund balances receivable	-	-	-	-	-	14,315
Other accounts receivable	Note 7	2,572	-	8,516	-	907,715
Deferred charges	-	-	-	-	-	5,516
Operating funds provided to executing agencies	438,186	-	-	-	438,186	566,628
TOTAL ASSETS	1,148,821	-	2,595,150	-	22,635,994	17,035,844
LIABILITIES						
Contributions/payments received in advance	Sched. 1.1	-	-	-	-	259,298
Unliquidated obligations	-	-	13,525	-	-	3,014,571
Accounts payable	64,128	-	142,836	-	-	1,552,211
Inter-fund balances payable						1,322,347
Other accounts payable	Note 8	-	-	-	-	534,709
TOTAL LIABILITIES	64,128	-	156,361	-	6,148,427	5,521,559

Statement II (continued)

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE					
Statement of assets, liabilities, reserves and fund balances for the biennium 2000–2001 as at 31 December 2001 (US dollars)					
Schedule or note reference	TRUST FUND FOR UNFCCC TECHNICAL COOPERATION (UNFTCP) (FU)	SPECIAL ACCOUNT FOR UNFCCC PROGRAMME SUPPORT COSTS (ZR)		TOTAL	
		1999	2001	1999	2001
RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES					
Operating reserve	Note 9	-	445,670	-	943,432
Working capital reserve	Note 9	-	-	-	1,122,877
Reserve for allocations	438,186	-	-	-	689,754
Cumulative surplus (deficit)	646,507	-	1,993,119	-	14,421,258
TOTAL RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES	1,084,693	-	2,438,789	-	16,487,567
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND FUND BALANCES	1,148,821	-	2,595,150	-	22,635,994
					17,035,844

Statement III

	FC	1999	2001	FI	2001	1999	FR	2001	1999	FQ	2001	1999	FU	2001	2001	ZG
UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE																
Statement of cash flows for the biennium 2000–2001 ended 31 December 2001																
(US dollars)																
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:																
Net excess (shortfall) of income over expenditures (statement I)	(1,484,956)	3,926,737		(577,366)	(1,148,352)		2,661,516	967,584		106,265	67,756	1,084,693		2,438,789		
(Increase) decrease in contributions receivable	(2,230,043)	120,075		-	-		-	-		-	-	-		-		
(Increase) decrease in other accounts receivable	(208,855)	326,028	10,939	(15,096)	58,590	79,497		80,314	(84,669)		(2,572)	(8,516)				
(Increase) decrease in other assets	30,000	(35,516)	536,628	(536,628)	-	-	-	-			(438,186)					
Increase (decrease) in contributions received in advance	(155,400)	369,477	-	-	(279,576)	941,192	148,945	-	-	-	-	-				
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	(1,160,482)	107,791	-													
Increase (decrease) in unliquidated obligations	292,690	506,104	(668,642)	22,836	(61,130)	(106,791)	(410,403)	(213,738)	(508,555)	(111,893)	(97,216)				13,525	
Less: interest income received	(954,500)	(548,707)													(71,509)	
NET CASH FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(3,550,582)	4,771,989	(759,571)	(2,063,607)	3,329,501	1,021,980	(433,869)	664,842					616,264		2,372,289	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING AND FINANCING ACTIVITIES:																
(Increase) decrease in due from United Nations General Fund	(730,408)	187,275	-	1,113,543	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Increase (decrease) in due to United Nations General Fund	-	-	(420,094)	548,292	343,963	124,059		86,860		54,347		64,128		142,836		
Plus: interest income received	954,500	548,707	61,130	106,791	410,403	213,738							97,216		27,671	71,509

Statement III (*continued*)

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE

Statement of cash flows for the biennium 2000–2001 ended 31 December 2001
(US dollars)

Statement IV

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE					
The core budget: statement of appropriations for the biennium 2000–2001 ended 31 December 2001 (US dollars)					
Budget classification	Approved budget	Disbursements	Expenditures	Unliquidated obligations	Balance
Executive Direction and Management	1,523,230	1,030,787	46,587	1,127,374	395,856
Planning, Coordination and Emerging Issues:					
Coordination and Management	895,170	742,619	28,872	771,491	123,679
Cooperative Mechanisms	973,800	540,366	44,319	584,685	389,115
Emissions Trading	578,400	361,917	6,246	368,163	210,237
Planning, Coordination and Emerging Issues	2,447,370	1,644,902	79,437	1,724,339	723,031
Science and Technology:					
Coordination and Management	1,877,180	1,948,728	72,404	2,021,132	(143,952)
Methodology and Science	1,746,000	1,259,145	152,052	1,411,197	334,803
Technology	1,021,000	675,053	65,792	740,845	280,155
Science and Technology	4,644,180	3,882,927	290,248	4,173,175	471,005
Implementation:					
Coordination and Management	1,049,180	1,012,318	120,379	1,132,697	(83,517)
Implementation Process	1,361,900	800,854	38,429	839,283	522,617
Annex I Implementation	1,900,900	1,446,885	50,489	1,497,374	403,526
Non-Annex I Implementation	2,104,400	1,434,501	139,235	1,573,736	530,664
Implementation	6,416,380	4,694,558	348,532	5,043,090	1,373,290
Information, Outreach and Administrative Services:					
Coordination and Management	800,750	913,949	45,809	959,758	(159,008)
Information Support	1,957,790	1,649,990	408,525	2,058,515	(100,725)
Outreach	431,680	277,377	44,889	322,266	106,444
Information, Outreach and Administrative Services	3,190,220	2,841,316	499,223	3,340,539	(150,319)
Intergovernmental and Conference Affairs:					
Coordination and Management	762,530	781,486	42,641	824,127	(61,597)
Intergovernmental and Legal Affairs	645,000	491,453	28,905	520,358	124,642
Conference Support	1,479,100	1,613,269	107,474	1,720,743	(241,643)
Secretariat-wide costs	2,570,000	2,575,801	395,329	2,971,130	(401,130)
Intergovernmental and Conference Affairs	5,456,630	5,462,009	574,349	6,036,358	(579,728)
Preparation for the sixth session of the Conference of the Parties	884,956	1,784,908	167,144	1,952,052	(1,067,096)
Total	24,562,966	21,391,407	2,005,520	23,396,927	1,16,039

Schedule 1.1

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE		Status of indicative contributions as at 31 December 2001 (US dollars)					
Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC (FC)	Member State	Indicative contribution receivable as at 01.01.2000	Contribution received in advance as at 01.01.2000	Indicative contribution for 2000–2001 and adjustment of prior periods	Collections 2000–2001	Indicative contribution received in advance for 2002	Indicative contribution receivable as at 31.12.2001
	Albania	100	-	656	775	19	-
	Algeria	14,389	-	17,049	23,718	-	7,720
	Angola	-	-	673	-	-	673
	Antigua and Barbuda	-	1,536	438	-	1,098	-
	Argentina	106,428	-	247,139	260,710	-	92,857
	Armenia	3,421	-	872	-	-	4,293
	Australia	-	102,247	341,298	222,091	-	16,960
	Austria	4	-	207,177	207,181	-	-
	Azerbaijan	23,732	-	1,634	-	-	25,366
	Bahamas	-	5,250	2,950	-	2,300	-
	Bahrain	1,065	-	3,829	-	-	4,894
	Bangladesh	3,248	-	2,188	-	-	5,436
	Barbados	727	-	1,861	1,880	-	708
	Belarus	-	-	4,672	4,672	-	-
	Belgium	114,596	-	245,042	356,068	-	3,570
	Belize	196	-	218	414	-	-
	Benin	-	780	438	-	342	-
	Bhutan	-	953	218	-	735	-
	Bolivia	1,254	-	1,641	2,895	-	-
	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	441	-	-	441
	Botswana	-	42	2,188	2,501	355	-
	Brazil	-	87	405,620	136,579	-	268,954

Schedule 1.1 (continued)

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE		Status of indicative contributions as at 31 December 2001			
Member State	Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC (FC)	Indicative contribution receivable as at 01.01.2000	Contribution received in advance as at 01.01.2000	Indicative contribution for 2000–2001 and adjustment of prior periods	Indicative contribution received in advance for 2002
(US dollars)					
Bulgaria	-	3,765	-	2,627	-
Burkina Faso	377	-	438	-	1,138
Burundi	759	-	218	707	-
Cambodia	1,407	-	329	-	-
Cameroon	3,897	-	2,403	-	-
Canada	-	-	580,121	591,883	11,762
Cape Verde	1,661	-	327	-	-
Central African Republic	1,642	-	218	-	-
Chad	1,561	-	218	-	-
Chile	16,318	-	36,590	46,062	-
China	45	-	277,887	277,917	-
Colombia	-	2,597	32,337	25,150	-
Comoros	1,561	-	218	-	-
Congo	1,293	-	435	-	-
Cook Islands	-	-	218	363	-
Costa Rica	4,462	-	3,942	5,258	-
Côte d'Ivoire	3,312	-	1,969	-	-
Croatia	-	41	7,555	16,892	9,378
Cuba	2,801	-	5,912	8,373	-
Cyprus	-	34	7,879	7,402	-
Czech Republic	-	2,025	32,451	30,426	-
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	11,415	-	2,620	-	-
Democratic Republic of the Congo	1,402	-	1,200	2,151	-
Denmark	25	-	158,111	151,368	-
					6,768

Schedule 1.1 (continued)

Member State	Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC (FC)	Indicative contribution receivable as at 01.01.2000	Contribution received in advance as at 01.01.2000	Indicative contribution for 2000–2001 and adjustment of prior periods	Collections 2000–2001	Indicative contribution received in advance for 2002	Indicative contribution receivable as at 31.12.2001
Djibouti		196	-	218	340	-	74
Dominica		1,561	-	218	-	-	1,779
Dominican Republic		1,592	-	4,164	5,736	-	20
Ecuador		2,079	-	4,926	8,157	1,152	-
Egypt		12,575	-	15,985	19,626	-	8,934
El Salvador		3,470	-	3,287	6,757	-	-
Equatorial Guinea		-	-	110	-	-	110
Eritrea		-	953	218	-	-	-
Estonia		-	128	2,405	3,858	1,581	-
Ethiopia		2,579	-	1,092	3,876	205	-
European Community		-	-	546,349	546,195	-	154
Fiji		-	16	875	844	-	15
Finland		-	23,161	116,803	95,596	1,954	-
France		-	-	1,427,163	1,431,418	4,255	-
Gabon		1,559	-	3,171	-	-	4,730
Gambia		-	-	218	800	582	-
Georgia		14,531	-	1,311	-	-	15,842
Germany		-	1	2,152,805	2,152,804	-	-
Ghana		-	7	1,311	-	-	1,304
Greece		27,519	-	97,851	104,284	-	21,086
Grenada		1,561	-	218	1,779	-	-
Guatemala		3,473	-	4,930	8,403	-	-
Guinea		1,930	-	656	-	-	2,586
Guinea-Bissau		1,509	-	218	-	-	1,727

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(US dollars)

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UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE		Status of indicative contributions as at 31 December 2001			
<u>Member State</u>	<u>Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC (FC)</u>	<u>Indicative contribution receivable as at 01.01.2000</u>	<u>Contribution received in advance as at 01.01.2000</u>	<u>Indicative contribution for 2000–2001 and adjustment of prior periods</u>	<u>Indicative contribution received in advance for 2002</u>
(US dollars)					
Guyana		1,561	-	218	-
Haiti		377	-	438	-
Honduras		1,962	-	877	-
Hungary		6,972	-	26,362	33,333
Iceland		-	25	7,111	6,950
India		76	-	70,263	31,053
Indonesia		18,178	-	42,561	36,384
Iran (Islamic Republic of)		84,862	-	45,368	102,326
Ireland		-	2,303	56,943	101,588
Israel		13,848	-	83,956	90,395
Italy		10,011	-	1,151,578	1,199,106
Jamaica		-	5,860	1,092	-
Japan		-	67,436	4,396,471	2,231,573
Jordan		-	25	1,533	840
Kazakhstan		44,627	-	8,405	5,461
Kenya		1,318	-	1,641	2,842
Kiribati		196	-	218	429
Kuwait		10,701	-	30,207	27,994
Kyrgyzstan		-	-	381	-
Lao People's Democratic Republic		-	953	218	-
Latvia		-	2,781	2,947	1,747
Lebanon		67	-	3,059	3,536
Lesotho		-	421	327	2,163
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya		4,301	-	20,839	-

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Member State	Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC (FC)	Indicative contribution receivable as at 01.01.2000	Contribution received in advance as at 01.01.2000	Indicative contribution for 2000–2001 and adjustment of prior periods	Collections 2000–2001	Indicative contribution received in advance for 2002	Indicative contribution receivable as at 31.12.2001
		(US dollars)					
Liechtenstein	-	25	1,313	1,476	-	188	-
Lithuania	-	2,796	3,502	465	-	-	241
Luxembourg	39	-	16,199	14,911	-	-	1,327
Madagascar	107	-	656	861	98	-	-
Malawi	577	-	438	800	-	-	215
Malaysia	17,339	-	45,989	57,362	-	-	5,966
Maldives	-	953	218	639	1,374	-	-
Mali	1,826	-	438	-	-	-	2,264
Malta	1,506	-	3,173	4,546	-	-	133
Marshall Islands	-	196	218	-	-	-	22
Mauritania	1,561	-	218	-	-	-	1,779
Mauritius	-	1,297	2,189	671	-	-	221
Mexico	37,769	-	228,477	183,251	-	-	82,965
Micronesia (Federated States of)	-	688	218	470	940	-	-
Monaco	-	480	875	1,082	687	-	-
Mongolia	-	968	327	741	1,382	-	-
Morocco	-	21	9,410	10,257	868	-	-
Mozambique	-	872	218	-	654	-	-
Myanmar	-	34	1,971	1,716	-	-	221
Namibia	-	431	1,531	2,207	1,107	-	-
Nauru	196	-	218	-	-	-	414
Nepal	2,118	-	875	2,695	-	-	298
Netherlands	4	-	369,813	356,930	-	-	12,887

Schedule 1.1 (continued)

Member State	Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC (FC)	Indicative contribution receivable as at 01.01.2000	Contribution received in advance as at 01.01.2000	Indicative contribution for 2000–2001 and adjustment of prior periods	Collections 2000–2001	Indicative contribution received in advance for 2002	Indicative contribution receivable as at 31.12.2001
New Zealand	46	-		50,662	48,362	-	2,346
Nicaragua	352	-	218	1,396	826	-	
Niger	1,742	-	327	-	-	2,069	
Nigeria	-	13,830	10,309	-	3,521	-	
Niue	-	283	218	-	65	-	
Norway	39	-	137,856	133,448	-	4,447	
Oman	2	-	12,370	22,173	9,801	-	
Pakistan	10,469	-	13,128	4,458	-	19,139	
Palau	-	-	200	-	-	200	
Panama	-	483	3,395	2,360	-	552	
Papua New Guinea	-	29	1,421	1,482	90	-	
Paraguay	4,001	-	3,284	-	-	7,285	
Peru	34	-	23,864	-	-	23,898	
Philippines	14,809	-	19,925	11,636	-	23,098	
Poland	-	15,457	60,193	44,736	-	-	
Portugal	74,377	-	98,036	172,391	-	22	
Qatar	-	10	7,330	-	-	7,320	
Republic of Korea	-	104,596	299,704	115,421	-	79,687	
Republic of Moldova	17,036	-	1,306	-	-	18,342	
Romania	47	-	12,581	20,131	7,503	-	
Russian Federation	-	11,221	249,172	236,400	-	1,551	
Rwanda	129	-	218	-	-	347	
Saint Kitts and Nevis	-	953	218	-	735	-	
Saint Lucia	-	1,906	329	-	1,577	-	

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Member State	Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC (FC)	Indicative contribution receivable as at 01.01.2000	Contribution received in advance as at 01.01.2000	Indicative contribution for 2000–2001 and adjustment of prior periods	Collections 2000–2001	Indicative contribution received in advance for 2002	Indicative contribution receivable as at 31.12.2001
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines		696	-	-	218	-	914
Samoa		-	-	218	-	-	20
San Marino		-	772	438	-	334	-
Sao Tome and Principe		-	-	218	-	-	218
Saudi Arabia	208,023	-	-	122,393	330,742	326	-
Senegal	2,494	-	-	1,203	3,781	84	-
Seychelles	-	557	-	438	-	119	-
Sierra Leone	1,561	-	-	218	-	-	1,779
Singapore	20	-	-	62,981	63,001	-	-
Slovakia	-	632	-	8,538	7,022	-	884
Slovenia	-	-	21	15,551	28,308	12,778	-
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	218	-	-	218
South Africa	-	-	65	84,919	149,823	64,969	-
Spain	-	33	-	560,525	566,629	6,137	-
Sri Lanka	2,344	-	-	3,067	3,646	-	1,765
Sudan	2,851	-	-	1,421	-	-	4,272
Suriname	753	-	-	655	-	-	1,408
Swaziland	-	-	772	438	-	334	-
Sweden	-	-	25,061	230,970	210,890	4,981	-
Switzerland	-	-	7	272,302	170,005	-	102,290
Syrian Arab Republic	11,881	-	-	15,876	7,055	-	20,702
Tajikistan	520	-	-	544	-	-	1,064
Thailand	56	-	-	48,770	35,290	-	13,536
The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	416	-	-	1,096	-	-	1,512

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UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE		Status of indicative contributions as at 31 December 2001			
Member State	Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC (FC)	Indicative contribution receivable as at 01.01.2000	Contribution received in advance as at 01.01.2000	Indicative contribution for 2000–2001 and adjustment of prior periods	Indicative contribution received in advance for 2002
		(US dollars)			Indicative contribution receivable as at 31.12.2001
Togo		1,642	-	218	-
Tonga		118	-	218	318
Trinidad and Tobago		3,285	-	3,501	9,158
Tunisia		1,937	-	6,456	3,037
Turkmenistan		2,097	-	982	-
Tuvalu		1,561	-	218	1,699
Uganda		-	1,447	986	-
Ukraine		71,327	-	26,454	97,781
United Arab Emirates		12,341	-	41,807	24,885
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland		20	-	1,166,433	1,113,661
United Republic of Tanzania		1,655	-	766	-
United States of America		-	-	5,138,171	5,138,171
Uruguay		4,676	-	13,479	4,974
Uzbekistan		-	4,072	3,925	1,242
Vanuatu		1,561	-	218	3,410
Venezuela		59,355	-	40,516	94,560
Viet Nam		-	-	2,413	2,413
Yemen		2,992	-	1,857	-
Yugoslavia		9,229	-	5,026	3,638
Zambia		1,826	-	438	-
Zimbabwe		-	303	1,858	-
Total	1,191,651	414,698	22,567,883	20,182,440	259,298
					3,421,694

The accompanying notes below are an integral part of the financial statements.

Schedule 1.2

UNITED NATIONS FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE	
Status of voluntary contributions as at 31 December 2001 (US dollars)	
Country/trust fund	Voluntary contributions received in 2000 and 2001
I. Trust Fund for the Core Budget of UNFCCC (FC)	
Germany	1,389,302
Total	1,389,302
II. Trust Fund for Participation in the UNFCCC Process (FI)	
Canada	103,306
Denmark	63,686
European Community	218,545
Finland	29,812
France	56,650
Germany	100,000
Japan	360,000
Netherlands	464,888
Norway	87,456
Portugal	10,000
Sweden	94,819
Switzerland	48,632
United Kingdom	393,640
United States	825,000
Total	2,856,434

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Status of voluntary contributions as at 31 December 2001 (US dollars)	
Country/trust fund	Voluntary contributions received in 2000 and 2001
III. Trust Fund for Supplementary Activities (FR)	
Australia	59,260
Bahrain	1,857
Canada	213,285
Denmark	115,000
Finland	134,271
Iceland	30,000
Ireland	5,150
Japan	200,000
Monaco	883
Netherlands	479,882
Norway	123,685
Sweden	100,000
Switzerland	29,103
United Kingdom	171,580
United States	3,791,829
Total	5,455,785
IV. Trust Fund for the Special Annual Contribution from the Government of Germany (FQ)	
Germany	3,174,841
Total	3,174,841
V. Trust Fund for UNFCCC Technical Cooperation (UNFIP) (FU)	
UNFIP	1,500,000
Total	1,500,000
GRAND TOTAL	14,376,362

III. NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1 Statement of purpose

The permanent secretariat of UNFCCC was established on 1 January 1996 with the following purposes:

- (a) To make arrangements for sessions of the Conference of the Parties and its subsidiary bodies established under the Convention and to provide them with services as required;
- (b) To compile and transmit reports submitted to it;
- (c) To facilitate assistance to the affected developing country Parties, on request, particularly those in Africa, in the compilation and communication of information required under the Convention;
- (d) To coordinate its activities with the secretariats of other relevant international bodies and conventions;
- (e) To enter, under the guidance of the Conference of the Parties, into such administrative and contractual arrangements as may be required for the effective discharge of its functions;
- (f) To prepare reports on the execution of its functions under this Convention and present them to the Conference of the Parties;
- (g) To perform such other secretariat functions as may be determined by the Conference of the Parties.

Note 2 Accounting policies

The following are the main accounting policies of UNFCCC:

(a) Rules and procedures

The accounts of the Convention are maintained in accordance with the Financial Regulations of the United Nations, its own Financial Rules and the United Nations System Common Accounting Standards (A/48/530) as recognized by General Assembly resolution 48/216 C of 23 December 1993 and subsequent revisions.

Under the financial procedures adopted by the Conference of the Parties, the Executive Secretary prepares the administrative core budget for the following biennium and submits it to the Conference of the Parties for its consideration and approval. The approved budget constitutes authority for the Executive Secretary to issue allotments, incur obligations and make payments for the purposes for which the appropriations were approved. The COP approved a core budget of \$27.9 million, out of which the equivalent of DM 3 million was paid by the host Government and \$3.7 million from unspent balances from previous financial periods. The remaining amount is raised by all Parties, who are invited to make contributions based on an adjusted United Nations scale of assessment.

(b) Accounting convention

The accounts are prepared on a historical cost basis, modified to the extent that the cost of all property acquired is charged as an expense in the year of purchase except for the period under review where

property donated in kind by the host Government was valued using the average United Nations rate of exchange.

The UNFCCC normal accounting period is a biennium consisting of two consecutive calendar years. The UNFCCC accounts are maintained on a “fund accounting” basis. Separate funds for general or special purposes may be established by the Conference of the Parties or the Executive Secretary. Each fund is maintained as a distinct financial and accounting entity, with a separate self-balancing, double-entry group of accounts.

(c) Contingent liabilities

The expenditures do not include possible costs to cover contingencies under appendix D to the United Nations staff rules, for personnel financed under resources obtained from contributions.

(d) Income tax refund policy

The UNFCCC salaries are charged to the budget on a net basis during the year in which the services have been rendered. Income tax refunds are charged to the year in which they are made to the staff member.

(e) Unliquidated obligations

Unliquidated obligations are expenditures based on firm obligations entered into, but not disbursed, in the financial period. Unliquidated obligations for the current period in respect of all UNFCCC activities remain valid for 12 months following the end of the period to which they relate.

All prior period unliquidated obligations as at 31 December are recorded as savings on the prior period's obligation.

(f) Cash and term deposits

Funds on deposit in interest-bearing bank accounts, time deposits and call accounts are shown in the statements of assets and liabilities as cash. All term deposits are placed in line with the United Nations investment policies and guidelines.

(g) Income

(i) Assessed contributions from Parties

Income from indicative contributions is recognized on an accrual basis based on the budget approved by the Conference of the Parties.

(ii) Voluntary contributions

Voluntary contributions to UNFCCC trust funds, which include funds received under inter-organization arrangements, are recorded as income when received.

(iii) Interest income

Interest income is based only on amounts received and accrued from cash and term deposits relating to the financial period. Interest due from cash and term deposits made in the financial period but not maturing until future periods is recorded as accounts receivable.

(iv) Miscellaneous income

Refunds of expenditures charged to prior financial periods, net gains on exchange, moneys accepted for which no purpose is specified and proceeds from the sale of surplus property are credited to miscellaneous income.

(v) Contributions

All contributions to the secretariat's activities are deposited with the United Nations Office at Geneva. UNFCCC operates an imprest account in Deutschmarks to cover its expenditure in Bonn. Reports on the utilization of the imprest account are submitted to the United Nations Office at Geneva on a regular basis.

(h) Translation of currencies

The financial statements of UNFCCC are presented in United States dollars, which is the currency best suited to its operations. As per United Nations accounting standards, transactions in other currencies are recorded in United States dollars by applying the United Nations operational rate of exchange at the time of the transaction. Realized exchange losses are charged to the appropriate budgetary account.

Note 3 Trust fund expenditures

The total direct expenditure of \$34,948,315 in statement I includes an exchange loss of \$64,014 in the operating expenses.

Note 4 Prior period adjustments

This represents an adjustment of programme support costs of \$138,405 relating to a saving of 1999 unliquidated obligations of \$1,064,653, and \$60,976, being the contribution from the Government of Sweden received in 1999, but not identified for the trust fund FI.

Note 5 Refund to donors

This represents the refund of DM 623,344, being the unspent balance in 1997, to the Government of Germany.

Note 6 Cash and term deposits (in United States dollars)

	As at 31 December 2001
Imprest – Bonn	97,023
Imprest – meetings/conferences	781,228
Interest-bearing bank deposits maturing within twelve months	<u>16,990,148</u>
Total	<u>17,868,399</u>

Note 7 Other accounts receivable (in United States dollars)

	As at 31 December 2001
Education grant advances	218,525
Travel advances	257,354
Salary advances	86,719
Value added tax	30,929
Accrued interest receivable	105,879
Other	<u>208,309</u>
Total	<u>907,715</u>

Note 8 Other accounts payable (in United States dollars)

	As at 31 December 2001
Miscellaneous payables	150,000
Unspent balance of Conference of the Parties Third session	908,804
Reserve for appendix D	122,138
Other	<u>141,405</u>
Total	<u>1,322,347</u>

Note 9 Operating and working capital reserves

Operating reserves are established at 15 per cent (FR and FQ) and 10 per cent (FI) of the total annual expenditure under the voluntary general trust funds, while an operating reserve for the programme support account (ZR) is maintained at 20 per cent of annual programme support income earned. The working capital reserve is maintained at 8.3 per cent of the total annual expenditure under the core budget (FC). These reserves are to cover unforeseen shortfalls, uneven cash flows, unplanned costs and other financial contingencies. For the reporting period there was no need to draw on the operating reserves and therefore the level of reserves was reported as being \$943,432 (operating reserve) and \$1,122,877(working capital reserve) (statement II).

Note 10 Programme support

UNFCCC retains 13 per cent of the actual expenditures of all established UNFCCC trust funds under a separate account (ZR), subject to specific exceptions made by the Controller. When a project is shared between UNFCCC and another United Nations agency, programme support charges are also shared accordingly between the two organizations, with the combined amount not exceeding 13 per cent. For the reporting period, an amount of \$4,296,699 was generated as programme support income, \$4,226,158 from trust funds and \$70,541 from the special account for the Third session of the Conference of the Parties (statement I).

Note 11 Non-expendable inventory

The inventory of non-expendable property as at 31 December 2001 included furniture and equipment valued at an acquisition cost of DM 2,205,896.

Note 12 Disclosure as to participation in the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund

UNFCCC is a member organization of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund, which was established by the United Nations General Assembly to provide retirement, death, disability and related benefits. The financial obligation of the organization to the Fund consists of its mandated contribution at the rate established by the United Nations General Assembly together with its share of any actuarial deficiency payments that might become payable pursuant to article 36 of the Fund's regulations.

Note 13 Other donations in kind

There were no donations in kind reported during the period.

Note 14 Comparative prior period figures

The Trust Fund for UNFCCC Technical Cooperation (FU) was established in June 2000 and the Special Account for UNFCCC Programme Support Costs (ZR) was established effective January 2000. Accordingly, no comparative prior period figures are available.

Note 15 Other financial implications

In addition to the above statements, UNFCCC received advances totalling \$2,477,369 from three Host Governments for UNFCCC conferences held at the venues offered by the respective Governments, against which \$1,557,153 was expended. Any balances after closure of the accounts will be refunded to the Governments in question.
