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subject REPORT : YTEG6785-CLIMATE CHG: BERLIN MANDATE MTG:

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SUMMARY: THE AD HOC GROUP ON THE BERLIN MANDATE (AGBM) WAS ESTABLISHED BY THE FIRST CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES (COP 1) TO NEGOTIATE THE NEXT STEPS UNDER THE FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE. THE AUGUST SESSION OF THE AGBM WAS LARGELY ORGANIZATIONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE. TT ALSO CONSIDERED THE TYPE OF ANALYSIS AND ASSESSMENT (A&A), AND THE KIND OF INPUTS TO BE CONSIDERED AT FUTURE MEETINGS TO GUIDE THE NEGOTIATION OF A PROTOCOL OR OTHER LEGAL INSTRUMENT BY COP 3 IN 1997. REGARDING THE COMPOSITION OF THE AGBM BUREAU, THE CHAIRMAN HELD SEVERAL MEETINGS WITH THE REGIONAL COORDINATORS, BUT DID NOT ARRIVE AT ANY CONCLUSION. THE CHAIRMAN WILL TAKE UP THE ISSUE AGAIN AT THE OCTOBER 1995 SESSION AND IN THE INTERIM HE ALONE WILL DIRECT THE AGBM.

2. CANADA SUCCEEDED IN INCLUDING IN THE CHAIRMAN'S CONCLUSIONS THAT ANALYSIS AND NEGOTIATIONS ARE AN ITERATIVE PROCESS BETWEEN THE ANALYTICAL INPUT TO THE NEGOTIATIONS. IN ORDER TO GAIN THE SUPPORT OF THE G77 COUNTRIES FOR HIS CONCLUSIONS PAPER ON THE SESSION, THE CHAIRMAN AGREED TO DISCUSS THEIR INTERVENTION WHICH