

is not bridged it will increase tensions to the point where eventually they could prove to be more explosive than any other divisions in the world today.

32. It is frequently suggested that a suitable target for the value of development assistance to be given by developed countries is one per cent of their Gross National Products. But just as important as help of this sort is modification of the terms of trade to give new industries in developing economies access to markets on terms which make it possible for them to compete. Unquestionably this is going to be even more difficult to attain.

33. The one sure fact is that if the present trend is to be reversed and the "widening gulf" (as the Secretary-General called it narrowed, the whole scale of the trade and development assistance operation will have to be changed. It will demand hitherto undreamed-of depths of generosity, patience and imagination on