## VII. LAYING THE GROUNDWORK

- (i) Outreach and advocacy
  - Consulting with Governments
  - Establishing contacts with leaders of affected countries
  - Developing a framework for collaboration within the UN
  - Discussions with leaders of regional organizations
  - Engaging non-governmental organizations
  - Outreach to media and opinion leaders
- (ii) Selected initial projects
  - Input into the draft statute for a permanent International Criminal Court
  - Strengthening standards for peace-keeping personnel
  - Developing pilot projects for post-conflict situations
  - Strengthening the knowledge base
- (iii) Setting up a secretariat for the Special Representative

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