

26. At the 11th meeting, on 22 August, the representative of the secretariat of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development introduced the progress report of the Secretary-General of the Conference on institutions, (A/CONF.151/PC/80). Statements were made by the representatives of Peru, Singapore, Austria, the Netherlands (on behalf of the European Community and its member States), Chile, Brazil, Sweden, Canada, Switzerland, Mali, the United Republic of Tanzania, Malaysia, Mexico, China, Fiji and Cuba.

27. At the 12th meeting, on 22 August, statements were made by the representatives of Kuwait, Colombia, Romania, the United States of America, Finland, Algeria, Norway, Indonesia, Kenya, Australia, India, the Philippines, New Zealand, Czechoslovakia, Bangladesh, Germany, Zimbabwe and the Central African Republic. The representative of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean made a statement on behalf of the regional commissions. Statements were also made by the Netherlands National Committee for IUCN, the Citizen's Alliance for Saving the Atmosphere and the Earth and the International Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources, non-governmental organizations accredited to the Preparatory Committee in accordance with its decisions 2/2 and ____.

28. At the 13th meeting, on 23 August, statements were made by the representatives of Pakistan, Zambia, Guyana, Barbados, Mauritius, Gambia, Malawi, Japan, Saint Lucia, the United States of America, Guinea, Egypt and Uganda. Statements were also made by the representatives of Consortium for Action to Protect the Earth (CAPE '92), Greenpeace International, World Association for World Federation, Centre of Development of International Law and Four Directions Council, non-governmental organizations accredited to the Preparatory Committee in accordance with its decisions 2/2 and ____.

29. The Chairman's summary of the discussion was subsequently issued in document A/CONF.151/PC/WG.III/L.10.

30. At the 14th meeting, on 27 August, the representative of Sweden introduced a draft decision entitled "Legal instruments for transboundary waters" (A/CONF.151/PC/WG.III/L.11).

31. At the same meeting, statements were made by the representatives of India and the Netherlands (on behalf of the European Community and its member States).

The Chairman made a statement.

32. At the 15th meeting, on 29 August, the Working Group was informed that, as a result of informal consultations on A/CONF.151/PC/WG.III/L.11, it had been agreed to replace the words in the operative paragraph "under the agenda item on other legal, institutional and related matters" by the words "under agenda item 2 of Working Group III at the fourth session of the Preparatory Committee."