NOTE TO THE READER

THE FIRST ASSESSMENT REPORT OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL PANEL ON CLIMATE CHANGE (IPCC)

The IPCC First Assessment Report consists of

- the Overview
- * the policymakers summaries of the IPCC Working Groups and Special Committee on the Participation of Developing Countries ÷
- the reports of the IPCC Working Groups.

This volume contains the IPCC Overview and the policymakers summaries.

The report of Working Group I has already been published commercially; there are plans to publish the other two reports also, each separately, by the end of the year. They are available, on request, from the IPCC Secretariat, World Meteorological Organization, P.O.Box 2300, CH 1211 Geneva 2, Switzerland.

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