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ITEM[Adoption of the agenda]

TXT[Adoption of the agenda

Note verbale dated 26 March 1992 from the Acting Permanent

Representative of Jordan addressed to the Chairman

Communications from the Office of the Executive Delegate of the Secretary-General

Letter dated 12 November 1991 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Chairman

Communications under the "no-objection" procedure The agenda was adopted.]

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SPKR[Hohenfellner] MS[Austria] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Note verbale dated 26 March 1992 from the Acting Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.276)]

TXT[Note verbale S/AC.25/1992/COMM.276 contained a report on the traffic of food and medical supplies to Iraq through the Ruweished border point, covering the period from 7 to 13 March 1992. If he heard no objection, he would take it that the Committee wished to take note of the communication. It was so decided.]

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SPKR[Hohenfellner] MS[Austria] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications from the Office of the Executive Delegate of the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.262 and Add.1)]
TXT[Document S/AC.25/1992/COMM.262 contained the text of a letter dated 16 March 1992 from the Officer-in-Charge, Office of the Executive Delegate, addressed to the Chairman and originally circulated under the "no-objection" procedure on 26 March 1992. The letter contained a request for approval of two proposed projects for emergency control of rinderpest, involving the importation to Iraq of vaccines and related materials and equipment for the rehabilitation of vaccine production facilities. Objection had been

raised, in particular, to the rehabilitation of vaccine production

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facilities.]

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SPKR[Moose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications from the Office of the Executive Delegate of the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.262 and Add.1)]
TXT[His Government had no problem with the basic thrust of the request contained in document S/AC.25/1992/COMM.262; it supported a properly controlled country-wide programme of vaccination and agreed about the urgency of beginning the campaign. However, it had serious problems with the rehabilitation of vaccine production facilities in Iraq because of possible dual use. The importation of vaccines was needed immediately, but the rehabilitation of the production facilities would not help to meet the urgent requirements that existed.]

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SPKR[Hohenfellner] MS[Austria] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 12 November 1991 from the Permanent
Representative of Iraq addressed to the Chairman
(S/AC.25/1991/COMM.456, S/AC.25/1991/COMM.577 and Add.1,
S/AC.25/1991/COMM.607 and Add.1, S/AC.25/1992/COMM.107 and Add.1,
S/AC.25/1992/NOTE/93 and S/AC.25/1992/COMM.297)]
TXT[Recalled that, further to a decision of the Committee taken at its 63rd meeting, he had written to the UNDP Resident Coordinator at Khartoum to acknowledge the notification of shipments of livestock and meat from the Sudan to Iraq (S/AC.25/1992/NOTE/93).
Document S/AC.25/1992/COMM.297 contained the text of a letter from the Permanent Representative of the Sudan in which he referred to 13 air waybills for those shipments and asked that the Committee approve their settlement.]

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ITEM[Letter dated 12 November 1991 from the Permanent
Representative of Iraq addressed to the Chairman
(S/AC.25/1991/COMM.456, S/AC.25/1991/COMM.577 and Add.1,
S/AC.25/1991/COMM.607 and Add.1, S/AC.25/1992/COMM.107 and Add.1,
S/AC.25/1992/NOTE/93 and S/AC.25/1992/COMM.297)]
TXT[Proposed that he be authorized to inform the Permanent
Representative of the Sudan that the Committee's role with regard
to shipments of foodstuffs normally ended with the acknowledgement
of notification and that the Committee had no mandate over, or
responsibility for, the settlement of payments for transportation.
It was so decided.]

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CAT[661] MTG[68] DATE[4/3/92] TYPE[Procedure] SPKR[Hohenfellner] MS[Austria] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1] ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)] TXT[Recalled that document S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 was a communication from the Netherlands that had been considered at the Committee's 67th meeting, at which time further information had been sought regarding the computer equipment mentioned in the request, and a translation of the medical appliances listed. A translation was provided in addendum 1.]

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(S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)] TXT[On the basis of the information received, his delegation could agree to release the hold on reagents for laboratory use. It still needed additional information on the digital data processing machine and on the nature of some of the electronic instruments mentioned. It was seeking clarification from the Netherlands delegation and hoped to satisfy its concerns in the near future.]

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CAT[661] MTG[68] DATE[4/3/92] TYPE[Intervention] SPKR[Moose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1] ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)] TXT[While the bulk of the proposed shipment posed no difficulty, his delegation had been asked to contact the Turkish Mission regarding the proposed end use of the nylon cord. It would do so promptly and report back to the Committee.]

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CAT[661] MTG[68] DATE[4/3/92] TYPE[Intervention] SPKR[Silva] MS[France] FCT[Member] LANG[1] ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)] TXT[His delegation had requested a delay because of difficulties with the request, particularly in view of the considerable quantities involved. It had had intensive contacts with the Pakistani mission to seek a solution to those difficulties.]

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CAT[661] MTG[68] DATE[4/3/92] TYPE[Intervention] SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1] ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)] TXT[His delegation also had a number of difficulties with the applications because of the quantities involved. Moreover, in some cases it seemed that raw materials would be provided for production. His delegation was in bilateral contact with the Pakistani delegation to seek to resolve those difficulties.]

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CAT[661] MTG[68] DATE[4/3/92] TYPE[Intervention] SPKR[Sumi] MS[Japan] FCT[Member] LANG[1] ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)] TXT[His delegation associated itself with the two previous speakers. In principle, Japan had no problem with the requests for clothing but the quantities seemed to be in excess of basic humanitarian needs. If the application were resubmitted with a drastic reduction in quantity, his delegation would reconsider it.]

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SPKR[Hohenfellner] MS[Austria] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)]
TXT[Suggested that delegations that were engaged in bilateral consultations with the Pakistani delegation should try to obtain clarification as soon as possible so that the Committee could take up the matter again and approve the parts of the request that did not meet with objections in the Committee. It was so decided.]

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SPKR[Hohenfellner] MS[Austria] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure

(S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)]

TXT[Communications S/AC.25/1992/COMM.279-286 were from

Czechoslovakia and all requested approval for materials connected with the ceramics industry.]

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ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure

(S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)]

TXT[Would inform the Permanent Representative of Czechoslovakia of the views expressed in the Committee.]

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SPKR[Hohenfellner] MS[Austria] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)]
TXT[Document S/AC.25/1992/COMM.290 was a communication from Turkey requesting approval for sending electric stoves and glue.]

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use of the glue and, when the consultations were concluded, it hoped that it would be possible to release the temporary hold on the item.]

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ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1992/COMM.213 and Add.1, 245; 260, 265-273, 279-286, 290)]
TXT[The Committee would revert to the matter when additional clarification was provided.]