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Note by the Secretary-General

In connection with the discussion of chapter IV, section G, of the draft platform for action, entitled "Women and decision-making at all levels", and chapter V, entitled "Institutional arrangements", the Secretariat has provided the following documents to delegations as background material for their deliberations at the Conference:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General on the improvement of the status of women in the Secretariat (A/49/587 and Corr.1), which includes in paragraphs 30 to 47 the Strategic Plan of Action for the Improvement of the Status of Women in the Secretariat, 1995-2000;

(b) Report of the Secretary-General on the composition of the Secretariat (A/49/527);

(c) Statement on the status of women, adopted by the Administrative Committee on Coordination at its first regular session of 1995 (A/C.5/49/62);

(d) Report of the Secretary-General on the improvement of the status of women (E/CN.6/1995/7);

(e) Special measures to improve the status of women in the Secretariat: Administrative instruction (ST/AI/382);

(f) Promotion of equal treatment of men and women in the Secretariat and prevention of sexual harassment: Secretary-General's Bulletin (ST/SGB/253);

(g) Information circular on guidelines for promoting equal treatment of men and women in the Secretariat (ST/IC/1992/67).

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