



(EXTRACTED FROM THE REPORT DEVOTED TO LDCs DURING THE 123rd SESSION
OF THE FAO COUNCIL)

7. Having heard the statement delivered by Mr Anwarul Chowdhury, United Nations Under Secretary General and High Representative for the Least Developed Countries (LDCs), Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States, and the statements made by delegations of LDCs, the Council expressed its strong support to the Brussels Programme of Action (POA) adopted at the Third United Nations Conference on Least Developed Countries (LDCs) in Brussels in May 2001. The Council called on FAO to continue to participate - within the framework of its work programme - in the implementation of relevant sections of the Programme of Action.

Donors were invited to provide extra-budgetary funds for this purpose.

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