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The Agency's Programme and Budget for 2004-2005

The Financing of Safeguards

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The General Conference,

- (a) Recalling its resolution GC(44)/RES/9 on "The Financing of Safeguards", and
- (b) <u>Having received</u> the recommendations¹ of the Board of Governors on the report to the Board of Governors by the Co-Chairmen of the Informal Open-ended Working Group on the Programme and Budget for 2004-2005 relating, inter alia, to de-shielding,

<u>Decides</u>, in accordance with those recommendations, that de-shielding shall begin by 1 January 2006 for Category 1 Member States and by 1 January 2008 for all other shielded Member States, and further <u>decides</u> that, for this purpose, States members of the Group of 77 included in Category 1 shall be considered by the Secretariat to be members of Category 2.

¹ GC(47)/INF/7 [Attachment 2].