22. Environmental Law

Considering the growing demand for legal assistance in regard to environmental questions, and the shortage of trained personnel in this field;

Noting the development of the IUCN multilingual system for computerized indexing of environmental law documentation:

Convinced of the importance of establishing an effective service for the exchange of information on national and international environmental law;

Noting with satisfaction Recommendation 101 of the Stockholm Conference calling for an International Referral Service for sources of environmental information;

The 11th General Assembly of IUCN meeting at Banff, Canada, in September 1972:

Requests governments and agencies concerned to take part in the further expansion of the coverage of the above system by supplying personnel and other support;

And affirms its willingness to participate in the proposed referral service by providing access to the information and data available at its Environmental Law Centre.