The Secretariat has been requested to amend a paragraph of document IDB 3 containing the summary of discussions of the seminar workshop on the Integrated Data Base which took place in June 1988.

The following two sentences should be added to the end of line 23 on page 8 in the section “First Discussion of Output Requirements”:

"A specific recommendation was made by a participant, supported by some others, that the Secretariat use a more flexible data base software package (such as "ORACLE SQL") and the "C" language for the development of the IDB due to the portability of this software between different computers, including microcomputers. It was strongly felt that establishing the IDB on that basis would maximize its availability and usefulness to the widest possible number of contracting parties, thereby encouraging broad participation in the IDB."