

8. Secretariat staffing

The Bureau noted the planned departure of the two senior staff members of the UNFF Secretariat, Jag Maini and Jaime Hurtubia by the end of December 2001, and expressed deep concern about the lack of staff in the Secretariat in context of the magnitude of the substantial tasks ahead. The Secretariat briefed the Bureau about the recruitment process of its new posts. The UN has already classified the four professional and two general service posts, which are now ready for advertisement. The post of Coordinator and Head is expected