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EC XIII - CoP VIII

July 17-20, 2001

Panama City, Panama

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13th Meeting of the IAI Executive Council (EC) July 17-18, 2001 – Panama City, Panama

AGENDA

Tuesday – July 17, 2001

Day 1

- Morning session (08:30 - 12:30) -

Registration

Opening ceremony

A. MacDowell

Representative from Panama EC Chair: Antônio MacDowell

Approval of the Agenda.

Approval of the Report of the EC-XII meeting.

Report of the EC Chair:

A. MacDowell

- Activities charged to the EC by the CoP at its last meeting;
- EC activities, actions and decisions;
- EC items to be forwarded to the CoP.

Report of the IAI Directorate:

A. Rabuffetti and IAI Staff

- Update on institutional and programmatic activities, overview of the financial status of the IAI, and near-term perspectives;
- Efforts to increase the IAI's visibility;
- On-going and new initiatives.

Report of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC) Chair

J. Stewart

- Afternoon session (02:30 - 06:30) -

Report of the Working Groups/Task Forces/Committees:

- Communications.....Barbara Garea
- Rules of Procedure Committee.....Louis B. Brown

Day 2

- Morning session (08:30 - 12:30) -

Special Session: Global Changes Activities and IAI in Panama.

Report of the Working Group:

• Nominating Committee for the election of SAC members

Suspension and Termination Procedure for IAI Projects A. McDowell/J. Stewart/A. Rabuffetti

Approval of Action Lists and items to be forwarded to the CoP

A. MacDowell

Future sites and meetings

Adjourn

- Afternoon session (02:30-04:00) -

Meeting between the EC Chair and the IAI Directorate

Meetings of Working Groups as necessary.

Cocktail at the "Gamboa Rainforest Resort" (06:00 p.m.)