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INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON CONSERVATION OF HIMALAYAN ENVIRONMENT

Wednesday, October 13, 1982 at 9 a.m., Hotel SHANKER

AGENDA

- O. PRESENTATION
- 0.1 Introduction and greetings, general presentation

Dr BHATTA, Nepal

0.2 Speech

The Minister of Tourism, Nepal

0.3 Objectives of the symposium

Mr Pierre BOSSUS, President IUAA

0.4 Framework and unfolding of the proceedings

Mr Roland MEIGE, delegate, IUAA Office

- 1. THE MEANS
- 1.0 Presentation

Mr José VANDEVOORDE, President, IUAA Commission of mountain protection

- 1.1 Educational and informative: in order to create better behaviour of visitors and natives.
- 1.2 Administrative and legal: development of local and national organisms, regulation, control, possible sanctions.
- 1.3 Technical and scientific: formation of officers in charge, physical planning, setting up of investigation programs.
- 2. THE THEMES
- 2.0 Presentation

Mr José VANDEVOORDE

- 2.1 <u>Information-education</u>: actions to be taken in the countries of origin of the visitors, and in the countries of the Himalayas.
- 2.2 <u>Mountaineering code</u>: complementary document, or supplementary pages to Trekking Permit through which the visiting mountaineer respects certain behaviour rules.
- 2.3 Formation of specialists: extension of the function of the liaison officers concerning the protection of the environment, formation of specialists in welcoming and accompanying.

- 2.4 Physical planning: opportunity of creation of fixed lodging poles, (campings, huts, etc.) in the most sensitive aereas.

 Networks of tracks and marking out, topo-guides.
- 2.5 Energies, waste and consumer products: setting up of investigations concerning wood substituting energies, starting up collection circuits, processing and recuperation of waste, definition of the rules for commercialization of nutritious products and handicraft.
- 3. INDIVIDUAL INTERVENTIONS
- 4. (break) REUNION OF WORKING GROUPS
- 5. (continuing the plenary session) SYNTHESIS
- 5.0 Presentation

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- 5.1 Report of working groups.
- 5.2 Discussions, amendments.
 - 5.3 Approval in view of the ratification by the General Assembly.
 - 6. CONCERTATION OF DELEGATES OF BOTH SYMPOSIUMS
 Synthesis of works on the common points.