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**Chairman's Report of the 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting**

The Secretary encloses (with the postal and e-mail versions of this Circular Communication) a copy of the Chairman's Report of the 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Commission held in Muscat, Oman, 16-20 May 1998. This Report has been authorised by the Chairman of the Commission, Mr. Michael Canny.

The Verbatim Record of the plenary sessions of the meeting is also now available and has been distributed to those Commissioners who normally receive it. Additional copies can be obtained on request from the Secretariat, as hard copy or by e-mail.

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