Corrigendum to the Non-paper of the facilitation team  
on the Plan of Action

Paragraph 30

Alternative 30. Pursuant to GA Resolution 56/183 and taking into account the outcome of the Geneva phase of the WSIS, the Preparatory Committee will hold a preparatory meeting in the first half of 2004 to review those issues of the Information Society which should form the focus of the Tunis phase of the WSIS and to decide on the structure of the preparatory process for the second phase. In that context, the Preparatory Committee should consider, in particular the following issues:

a) Elaboration of the final documents to be adopted at the second phase of the WSIS:
   
   (i) a policy document building on the outcome of the Geneva phase of WSIS with a view to consolidating and strengthening its achievements in building a global Information Society;
   
   (ii) an operational document outlining programmes or projects as part of the efforts of the international community to reduce the digital divide and its transformation into digital opportunities.

b) Implementation and Follow-up of the Plan of Action at national, regional and international levels, including establishment of national e-strategies, establishment of partnerships among stakeholders, development of progress evaluation and benchmarking, establishment of ICT Development Index and indicators for digital divide.

c) Review of regional activities in the implementation of the Plan of Action, including possible regional initiatives to elaborate action plans

d) Follow-up of possible thematic processes initiated at the first phase of the WSIS

e) Organization of a stakeholders’ meeting to consider contributions to the implementation of the Plan of Action

f) Implementation and follow-up of the outcome of the WSIS in the United Nations system.