

1, of the Agreement, in particular taking into account such factors as growth, seasonal variations in consumption and cyclical changes.

2. A decision by the Governing Board to change the definition of the reference period mentioned in paragraph 1 shall be taken by unanimity.

#### Article 8

The Standing Group on Emergency Questions shall examine and report to the Management Committee on all elements of Chapters I to IV of the Agreement to eliminate

possible mathematical and statistical anomalies.

#### Article 9

The reports from the Standing Group on Emergency Questions on the matters mentioned in this Annex shall be submitted to the Management Committee by 1st, April 1975. The Management Committee shall make proposals, as appropriate, to the Governing Board, which, acting by majority not later than 1st July, 1975, shall decide on these proposals, except as provided for in Article 7, paragraph 2 of this Annex.