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on the

Report of the Secretary-General on the Flow of Financial Resources for Assisting

Mr. Chairman,
Distinguished Delegates,

I am pleased to introduce the Report of the Secretary-General on *The Flow of Financial Resources for Assisting in the Implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development* (E/CN.9/2013/5). The document responds to a request by the Commission on Population and Development (E/1995/27) for an annual report on *Financial Resources for Assisting in the Implementation of the ICDD Programme of Action*. It also complies

of Action. It includes funding in the following four categories: family planning services; basic reproductive health services; sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and HIV/AIDS activities; and

and education.

Current funding levels are simply not enough to meet the growing needs in developing countries. These needs are felt in all four areas: family planning, reproductive health, STD/HIV/AIDS prevention and treatment, and data, research and population and development policy analysis.

The price may be high, but the cost of not mobilizing adequate financial resources is

