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## **Capacity-building extended to young competition agencies**

### **Corrigendum**

#### **Paragraph 5**

For the existing text *substitute*

5. At its fifty-fourth session, in 2007, the Trade and Development Board adopted decision 492(LIV) on the “Review of technical cooperation activities of UNCTAD”. In this regard, paragraph 18 of this decision, took note of recommendation 19 of the Report of the Panel of Eminent Persons concerning the “need of consolidation of technical cooperation projects and request[ed] the secretariat to initiate... in consultation with member States” the process of the establishment of “thematic trust funds within and among divisions”. In response to this decision, and in order to streamline UNCTAD’s technical assistance activities and increase impact, two initiatives were taken by the secretariat: (a) An extension of the COMPAL programme, with increased country coverage from 5 to 10; and (b) Launch of a regional programme for Africa, AFRICOMP. In providing assistance, UNCTAD often collaborates with other member States and development partners.

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