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Agreed conclusions

The Trade and Development Board,

Having considered the report of the independent evaluator on UNCTAD's programme of assistance to the Palestinian people as contained in document TD/B/58/6, the annexes to the report, as contained in the document TD/B/58/6/Add.1, and the management response to the evaluation as contained in document TD/B/58/CRP.2,

1. *Expresses its appreciation* to the independent evaluator for the evaluation report, to the secretariat for the support provided to the evaluation process, and to the Government of Norway for its financial support for the evaluation;

2. *Takes note* of the evaluation report and requests the secretariat to take into account the recommendations contained in the report of the independent evaluator in document TD/B/58/6 as well as the Trade and Development Board's deliberations at its fifty-eighth session under agenda item 11 (b) in its continuing implementation of the Accra Accord;

3. *Expresses its appreciation* to UNCTAD for its assistance to and support of the Palestinian people, and for its effort to secure adequate resources for the programme;

4. *Welcomes* the contributions made by donors to UNCTAD's programme of assistance to the Palestinian people.