

# Science and the Environment\*

At its 77th meeting, on 25 April 2001, the Commission on Human Rights, **noting** the forthcoming United Nations Conference on Environment and Development to be held in Johannesburg, South Africa, in September 2002,

**recalling** its resolutions 1993/90 of 10 March 1993, 1994/65 of 9 March 1994 and 1995/14 of 24 February 1995 and

**bearing** in mind General Assembly

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\* E/CN.4/DEC/2001/111. 25 April 2001.  
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resolution 55/199 of 20 December 2000 on the ten-year review of progress achieved in the implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development,

**decided**, without a vote, to invite the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and the Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme to consider taking into account their respective approved work programmes and budgets, the organization of a joint seminar, to be funded through vol-

untary contributions, to review and assess progress achieved since the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development in promoting and protecting human rights in relation to environmental questions and in the framework of Agenda 21, in collaboration with the concerned international institutions and agencies and taking into account the views of concerned States, and to consider this question at its fifty-eighth session under the agenda item entitled "Promotion and protection of human rights: (d) Science and environment".

