I. INSTITUTION-BUILDING / NATIONAL ANTI-DRUG STRATEGY

Peru had a National Drug Control Plan for the period 1994-2000. Since 2000, the Commission for the Fight Against Drug Use (CONTRADROGAS), in collaboration with CICAD and in coordination with governmental and societal sectors, designed an Integral Strategy for the Fight Against Drugs, which is in the process of being approved. The Strategy will be executed in the 2002-2006 period. On May 11, 2002, Supreme Decree No. 032-2002-PCM changed the name of CONTRADROGAS to the National Commission for Drug-Free Life and Development (DEVIDA). DEVIDA, whose Executive President has the rank of minister, is the entity responsible for all aspects of the national drug control policy. It is made up of the Ministers of Agriculture; Defense; Economy and Finance; Education; Interior; Justice; Promotion of Women and Human Development; Foreign Affairs; Health; Transportation and Communication; Housing and Development; or their representatives. This commission is also composed of two representatives from the coca growers association and one representative from the National Assembly of University Chancellors, who is chosen from the universities located in the coca growing regions. Its budget is based on government allocations and international cooperation resources. That budget rose considerably in 2002 (US$6.5 million) over 2000 and 2001 (US$4.224 and 3.924 million, respectively). The Constitution makes no provision for approval of a designated budget for the Integral Strategy. However, Peru estimates a reference cost of US$139 million for drug control activities in 2002. The following are estimated figures for each sector:

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The Alternative Development Support Unit (CADA) of the Executive Office for Drug Control (OFECOD) of the Ministry of the Interior has been implementing a project to determine the area planted with poppy and marijuana. It is extremely difficult to estimate these crops by satellite detection as farmers sow them interspersed with other plants, such as beans, yucca, and corn. However, it is expected that estimates will be available on areas planted with poppy and marijuana by the end of the second half of 2002. Likewise, on June 21, 2002, an agreement was signed with UNDCP to expand the project "System for Monitoring Illicit Crops in Peru," which will develop estimates of coca and poppy crops. Peru indicates that poppy and marijuana crops are not native to the country and that their recent appearance results from the implementation of Plan Colombia, which has led international criminal groups to shift activity to Peruvian territory. The country believes that indoor production of marijuana is negligible, as reflected by the low number of seizures in 2000 and 2001 (7 and 412 plants, respectively). There are no data on marijuana and poppy crops, but there is evidence of a substantial increase in poppy cultivation.

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In Peru, there were 36 alternative development projects in operation in 2000, 25 projects in 2001 and 26 projects in 2002. Their budgets were in 2000, US$55,117 million; in 2001, US$85,329 million and in 2002, US$128,300 million. The alternative development programs under way during the evaluation period (2001-2002) benefited 18,422 families; increased the total area of legal crops to 35,852 hectares and directly generated 75,686 jobs. In addition, 786 classrooms were built, 94 health care stations, and 183 water systems were created and 830 km. of road infrastructure were rehabilitated. The country believes that alternative development programs are not only feasible, but are the most effective instrument for reducing cultivation and, particularly, for consolidating that reduction. It also believes that alternative development constitutes a medium-term effort that goes beyond crop substitution and involves building basic infrastructure, providing credit, guaranteeing markets, etc. Alternative development programs must also be accompanied by an effective interdiction policy, which, by preventing drugs from exiting the country, can help to hold the prices for coca leaf below the levels required for profitability.

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II. DEMAND REDUCTION

The Integral Strategy for the Fight against Drugs, which is being approved, includes a national demand reduction strategy covering the areas of prevention, treatment, social reinsertion, and aftercare. The strategy incorporates the Guiding Principles of Drug Demand Reduction and its Plan of Action adopted by the United Nations and has a national budget.

Peru is implementing a national system of prevention programs that targets key sectors of the population, reaching 773,860 primary school students, 15,000 secondary school students and 3,906 tertiary level students; 7,400 children workers; 3,500 street children; 960 adults in non-formal community based programs; 3 public sector offices with “Drugs in the Workplace” programs, and 9,000 prisoners. However, the system does not include indigenous groups or private sector workplace prevention programs. The country reports the First National Survey on Drug Use, conducted in 1998, and sociological studies, document that indigenous groups do not manifest problems associated with illicit substance use. The Ministry of Health, however, has conducted studies on alcohol abuse-related problems among such groups in five cities in the interior of Peru. Three of the five cities are in the Sierra (the Andean region of Peru): Cajamarca, Arequipa, and Ayacucho, where aspects of the problem are more serious. A broad range of specialized professional training activities is provided in Peru at the university level on drug abuse prevention, treatment, and research, including courses for university students, master’s programs, and regional and international exchange programs. However, the country reports that existing courses do not meet the national demand for professional training. In 2001, an evaluation was made of the intervention methodology of the Teachers in the Street Program of the National Family Welfare Institute (INABIF) and the impact of the National Program for the Prevention of Psychoactive Substance Abuse in Primary School and Teacher Training of the Ministry of Education.

Ministerial Resolution No. 407-97-DM-SA, issued by the Ministry of Health in September 1997, laid down mandatory provisions on standards of care for drug abuse treatment. There is a national registry of treatment services, instruments for accrediting those services, and a national mechanism to oversee adherence to the standards of care. Peru provided information on available drug treatment modalities and treatment centers. Regarding evaluation of national drug dependency treatment capacity, the country estimated that only 10% of the population in need of treatment is
I. INSTITUTION-BUILDING / NATIONAL ANTI-DRUG STRATEGY

Peru had a National Drug Control Plan for the period 1994-2000. Since 2000, the Commission for the Fight Against Drug Use (CONTRADROGAS), in collaboration with CICAD and in coordination with governmental and societal sectors, designed an Integral Strategy for the Fight Against Drugs, which is in the process of being approved. The Strategy will be executed in the 2002-2006 period. On May 11, 2002, Supreme Decree No. 032-2002-PCM changed the name of CONTRADROGAS to the National Commission for Drug-Free Life and Development (DEVIDA). DEVIDA, whose Executive President has the rank of minister, is the entity responsible for all aspects of the national drug control policy. It is made up of the Ministers of Agriculture; Defense; Economy and Finance; Education; Interior; Justice; Promotion of Women and Human Development; Foreign Affairs; Health; Transportation and Communication; Housing and Development; or their representatives. This commission is also composed of two representatives from the coca growers association and one representative from the National Assembly of University Chancellors, who is chosen from the universities located in the coca growing regions. Its budget is based on government allocations and international cooperation resources. That budget rose considerably in 2002 (US$8.5 million) over 2000 and 2001 (US$4.224 and 3.924 million, respectively). The Constitution makes no provision for approval of a designated budget for the Integral Strategy. However, Peru estimates a reference cost of US$139 million for drug control activities in 2002. The following are estimated figures for each sector:

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