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WORLD PLAN OF ACTION

Norway and Sweden: amendments to the Draft World Plan of Action
contained in document E/CONF.66/5

INTRODUCTION

Add the following new paragraph before paragraph 13:

"Child-care centres and other child-minding facilities are means to
supplement the training and care that the children get at home. At the
same time they are of vital importance in promoting equality between men
and women. Governments have therefore a responsibility to see to it that
such centres and facilities are available in the first place for those
children, whose parents or parent are employed, in self-employment and
particularly in agriculture for rural women, in training or in education
or wish to take up employment, training or education."

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