The Conference,

Recognizing that, on account of his personal qualities and his work on geographical names, Mr. H.A.G. Lewis (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland) was elected President of the Second United Nations Conference on the Standardization of Geographical Names, which was held in London from 10 to 31 May 1972;

Considering the outstanding scientific contribution made by Mr. Lewis in the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names;

Considering also that this Conference has decided that the President of the preceding Conference should be the Honorary President of the subsequent United Nations Conference on the Standardization of Geographical Names;

Decides to elect Mr. H.A.G. Lewis Honorary President of the Third Conference.