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NOTE ON OPERATIONS AGAINST THE DESERT LOCUST

1. Funding and state of execution of the ECLO programme

• One inter-regional Desert Locust control project, funded by FAO's Technical Cooperation Programme (TCP), provided assistance to Yemen. The project lasted until 30 November 2005. As of that date, an assistance worth US\$141 383 had been provided to Yemen.

2. Assistance provided by FAO in 2004 and 2005

- **Technical assistance:** In-service training and local temporary assistance were provided at a value of US\$14 000.
- **Pesticides:** 15 000 litres of the pesticide Fenitrothion 450 at a value of US\$93 568 were delivered to Yemen in September 2004.
- **Equipment:** Positioning and communication equipment (10 GPS and 2 mobile radios, respectively) were provided at a value of US\$14 415, and fuel, tyres, vehicle spare parts, office stationery and other field supplies were provided at a value of US\$16 400.