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Foreword

ICIMOD is a newly established International Centre focusing on the issues of integrated mountain development in the Hindu Kush-Himalaya Region. Its first priority has been to review the current state of knowledge and of field experience on selected topics, by organising International workshops to bring together leading professionals from the countries of the Region, and international agencies and organisations.

An International Workshop on Watershed Management in the Hindu-Kush Himalaya Region was held in Chengdu, China in October 1985. It was organised by ICIMOD, the International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development in collaboration with CISNAR, Commission for Integrated Survey of Natural Resources, Chinese Academy of Sciences.

The conclusions are summarised in the Workshop Report published in 1986.

This is a volume of Collected Papers on Watershed Management in Southwestern China, addressing major issues of natural resources management in Hengduan and Himalaya Mountain areas of China. A volume of the same papers in their full text version is available in the Chinese language.

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The International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development began professional activities in September 1984, with the first objective of reviewing development and environmental management experience in the Hindu-Kush Himalaya Region. An International Workshop was planned for each of four major fields to review the state of knowledge, and practical experience, and to provide an opportunity for the exchange of professional expertise with regard to integrated mountain development.

ICIMOD completed Phase I activities in June 1986, having held:

- o the International Workshop on Watershed Management in the Hindu-Kush Himalaya -- Chengdu, China, 14 to 19 October 1985
- o the International Workshop on Planned Urbanisation and Rural Urban Linkages in the Hindu-Kush Himalaya Region -- Kathmandu, Nepal, 25 to 29 March 1986
- o the International Workshop on District Energy Planning and Management for Integrated Mountain Development -- Kathmandu, Nepal, 3 to 5 May 1986
- o the International Workshop on Off-Farm Employment Generation in the Hindu-Kush Himalaya -- Dehradun, India, 17 to 19 May 1986.

These Workshops were attended by over two hundred experts from the countries of the Region, and concerned professionals and representatives from international agencies. A large number of papers and research studies were presented and discussed in detail. With the permission of the authors, copies of papers in full will be supplied on request, with a charge to cover reproduction and postage costs.

In September 1986, ICIMOD published four summary Workshop Reports. Each is intended to represent the conclusions reached at the Workshop and does not necessarily reflect the views of ICIMOD or other participating institutions.

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