

to cooperate in a substantive manner and on a sufficient scale is essential if adequate development is ever to be activated.

It is in the overriding interest of both less and more developed countries to develop the necessary sense of urgency to make those choices and decisions that are most likely to result in accelerated production in the less-developed countries and to give priority to implementing these decisions. Political will is ultimately the general attitude of the peoples of the countries concerned, which is reflected in the positions and decisions of their governments and of their business communities. UNCTAD's greatest accomplishment could be to reach a better understanding of the nature and origin of these attitudes, so that choices can realistically be made that will result in the creation of the needed political will in MDCs and LDCs alike and in the harmonization of the conditions of its exercise.