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REQUEST FOR THE INCLUSION OF A SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM IN THE AGENDA OF THE THIRTY-EIGHTH SESSION

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONCLUSIONS OF THE SECOND REVIEW CONFERENCE
OF THE PARTIES TO THE TREATY ON THE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR
WEAPONS AND ESTABLISHMENT OF A PREPARATORY COMMITTEE FOR THE
THIRD REVIEW CONFERENCE

Letter dated 9 August 1983 from the representatives of Australia, Austria, the Bahamas, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bolivia, Bulgaria, Canada, Chad, Cyprus, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, El Salvador, Fiji, Finland, the German Democratic Republic, Germany, Federal Republic of, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Honduras, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Mauritius, Mongolia, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Paraguay, the Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Samoa, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Somalia, Sweden, Thailand, Turkey, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United States of America and Uruguay to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

Upon instructions from our Governments and in accordance with rule 14 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, we have the honour to request the inclusion in the agenda of the thirty-eighth session of the General Assembly of an item entitled "Implementation of the conclusions of the Second Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons and establishment of a preparatory committee for the Third Review Conference".

An explanatory memorandum is annexed to this request in accordance with rule 20 of the rules of procedure.

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ANNEX

Explanatory memorandum

.. The Second Review Conference of the parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons was held at Geneva in August 1980, under the Presidency of Mr. Ismat T. Kittani, Under-Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Iraq.

.. At its final plenary meeting, on 7 September, the Conference proposed to the Depository Governments that a third conference to review the operation of the Treaty be convened in 1985. The Conference accordingly invited States parties to the Treaty that are members of the United Nations to request the Secretary-General of the United Nations to include the following item in the agenda of the thirty-eighth session of the General Assembly: "Implementation of the conclusions of the Second Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons and establishment of a preparatory committee for the Third Review Conference".

.. In accordance with this proposal, the Governments named above request the inclusion of this item in the agenda of the forthcoming session of the General Assembly.
