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AND SEMI-ENCLOSED SEAS, AND COASTAL AREAS AND THE PROTECTION,  
RATIONAL USE AND DEVELOPMENT OF THEIR LIVING RESOURCES

Letter dated 1 February 1996 from the Permanent Representatives of  
Brazil and of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern  
Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

We would be most grateful for your agreement to circulate, as an official paper of the Commission on Sustainable Development's Inter-sessional Working Group on Sectoral Issues (26 February-1 March) and also to the Commission on Sustainable Development (18 April-4 May) the enclosed report - available in English, French and Spanish - on the London Workshop on Environmental Science, Comprehensiveness and Consistency in Global Decisions on Ocean Issues, held from 30 November to 2 December 1995. This workshop was jointly hosted by the Governments of Brazil and the United Kingdom.

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