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### GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT

#### Notification of nuclear tests

#### Note by the Secretary-General

1. On 3 December 1996, the General Assembly adopted resolution 41/59 N, the operative part of which reads as follows;

"The General Assembly

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"1. Calls upon each of the States concerned to provide to the Secretary-General within one week of each nuclear explosion;

" (a) The date and time of the explosion;

" (b) The exact location of the explosion in terms of geographic co-ordinates and depth;

" (c) The geological characteristics, including the basic physical properties of the rock, of the site of the explosion;

" (d) The estimated yield of the explosion;

"2. Requests the Secretary-General to make this information immediately available to all States and to submit to the General Assembly annually a register of the information provided on nuclear explosions during the preceding twelve months."

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**2. Pursuant to resolution 41/59 N, a note verbale, dated 6 April 1987, was sent to all Member States informing them that any relevant information provided by the States concerned, in conformity with the terms of that resolution, would be made available as requested by its paragraph 2. No reply has been received to date.**

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