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LETTER DATED 1 FEBRUARY 2002 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE-S REPUBLIC OF KOREA ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT TRANSMITTING THE TEXT OF ANSWER GIVEN BY THE SPOKESMAN OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY OF THE DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE-S REPUBLIC OF KOREA TO THE KOREAN CENTRAL NEWS AGENCY REGARDING THE REMARKS MADE BY US UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE BOLTON AT THE CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT ON 24 JANUARY 2002

I have the honour to transmit the text of answer given by the Spokesman of the Foreign Ministry of the Democratic People-s Republic of Korea to the Korean Central News Agency regarding the remarks made by US Under Secretary of State Bolton at the Conference on Disarmament on 24 January, 2002.

I would be grateful if you issue this text as an official document of the Conference on Disarmament and distribute it to all Member States and non-member participant States of the Conference.

(Signed:)

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