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Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961, as amended by the Protocol amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961 (New York, 8 August 1975)

Proposal of amendments by the Plurinational State of Bolivia to article 49, paragraphs 1 (c) and 2 (e)

Note by the Secretary-General

Further to the note by the Secretary-General contained in document E/2009/116, the Secretary-General hereby transmits to the Economic and Social Council a note verbale dated 28 January 2010 from the Permanent Mission of Egypt to the United Nations (see annex).

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Annex

Note verbale dated 28 January 2010 from the Permanent Mission of Egypt to the United Nations addressed to the Office of Legal Affairs

The Permanent Mission of the Arab Republic of Egypt to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Office of Legal Affairs of the United Nations and, with reference to the note by the Secretary-General contained in document E/2009/78 regarding the proposal by the Government of Bolivia to amend paragraphs 1 (c) and 2 (e) of article 49 of the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961, as amended by the Protocol amending the Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs, 1961 (New York, 8 August 1975), and the Mission's note CHAN/549/09/ST dated 28 August 2009,^a has the pleasure to inform the Office that the Arab Republic of Egypt withdraws its objection to the proposed amendment by the Government of Bolivia to the Convention.

^a Note verbale dated 28 August 2009 from the Permanent Mission of Egypt to the United Nations, transmitted to the Economic and Social Council in a note by the Secretary-General, issued as document E/2009/116.