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Africa and Sweden)**

1. The States members of the New Agenda Coalition strongly believe that the regular reporting requirements contained in paragraph 15, subparagraph 12, of the section entitled “Article VI and eighth to twelfth preambular paragraphs of the Final Document of the 2000 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (NPT/CONF.2000/28 (Parts I and II)) is an integral and essential element of the consideration by the Preparatory Committee and the Review Conference of the progress in implementation of article VI of the Non-Proliferation Treaty and paragraphs 3 and 4 (c) of the 1995 Decision on “Principles and objectives for nuclear non-proliferation and disarmament”.

2. It is clear to the New Agenda Coalition that the reporting requirements of paragraph 12 of the nuclear disarmament part of the Final Document are an integral part of the language in the indicative timetable that we have just taken note of.