

**Security Council**

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**Letter dated 9 November 2005 from the President of the  
Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General**

I have the honour to respond to your letter of 2 November 2005 (S/2005/702), in which you referred to Security Council resolution 1284 (1999), by which the Council established the United Nations Monitoring, Verification and Inspection Commission, and to the related resolutions 687 (1991) and 706 (1991).

I wish to inform you that the Security Council has decided to approve the proposal contained in your letter that \$2,182,168 plus €226,493 be transferred from the escrow account established under the above-mentioned resolutions to be credited against assessments issued in respect of the obligations of the Government of Iraq for the International Atomic Energy Agency budget.

(Signed) Andrey I. Denisov  
President of the Security Council

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