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**Security Council Committee established pursuant
to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan****Note verbale dated 11 July 2005 from the Permanent Mission
of Lithuania to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman
of the Committee**

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Lithuania to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) and, referring to his note dated 27 May 2005, has the honour to communicate to the Committee the following information on the implementation of sanctions against the Sudan as established by Security Council resolutions 1556 (2004) and 1591 (2005).

In the Republic of Lithuania, in accordance with the Law on the Implementation of Economic and Other Sanctions (22 April 2004, No. IX-2126), legal acts of international organizations imposing restrictive measures are implemented by adopting government resolutions and directly applicable regulations of the European Union. Under this Law, the institutions responsible for the implementation of sanctions are obliged to implement the requirements laid down in EU Regulations and Government resolutions of the Republic of Lithuania.

The arms embargo against the Sudan is implemented by Council regulation (EC) No. 131/2004 of 26 January 2004. Pursuant to Security Council resolution 1591 (2005), the Council of the European Union has also adopted Common Position 2005/411/CFSP of 30 May 2005, imposing restrictions on admission of sanctioned persons and freezing of their funds.

The arms embargo is also imposed by Government resolution No. 237, which entered into force on 1 March 2005.