Second Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Prohibition of the Emplacement of Nuclear Weapons and Other Weapons of Mass Destruction on the Sea-Bed and the Ocean Floor and in the Subsoil Thereof

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PROGRAMME OF WORK ADOPTED BY THE REVIEW CONFERENCE

On the recommendation of the General Committee, at its third plenary meeting on 13 September 1983, the Second Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Prohibition of the Emplacement of Nuclear Weapons and Other Weapons of Mass Destruction on the Sea-Bed and the Ocean Floor and in the Subsoil Thereof adopted the following Programme of Work:

1. The General Debate should begin on Tuesday morning, 13 September, and be concluded by the end of the morning of Thursday, 15 September. Accordingly, the list of speakers should be closed on Wednesday, 14 September at 12.00 noon.

2. On Friday, 16 September, the Plenary would review the provisions of the Treaty article by article, followed by consideration of the Preamble.

3. Delegations that might wish to submit proposals for inclusion in the final document(s) should do so as early as possible, taking into account the need for their speedy examination by the Plenary and early referral to the Drafting Committee. The deadline for the submission of such proposals should be Monday, 19 September at 12.00 noon.

4. The Drafting Committee should begin its work on the morning of Monday, 19 September.

5. The Drafting and the Credentials Committee should adopt their reports by Wednesday, 21 September. The Plenary would examine these reports on Thursday, 22 September.

6. The Conference would devote its last day, 23 September, to the adoption of the final document(s) and to the conclusion of the Conference.

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