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Letter dated 27 February 2020 from the Permanent Representative of Turkey to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I would be grateful if the present letter and its annex, which consists of the note verbale from the Permanent Mission of Turkey dated 11 December 2019 addressed to the Secretary-General, could be circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda item 74 (a), and be published on the website of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea as well as in the next edition of the *Law of the Sea Bulletin*.

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Annex to the letter dated 27 February 2020 from the Permanent Representative of Turkey to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of Turkey to the United Nations, with reference to the Permanent Representative's letter dated 13 November 2019 (A/74/550), has the honour to convey herewith the geographical coordinates of the Turkish continental shelf between point A (34°16'13.720"N – 26°19'11.640"E) and point B (34°09'07.9"N – 026°39'06.3"E) in the Eastern Mediterranean as established by the delimitation agreement between Turkey and Libya which entered into force on 8 December 2019.

The text of the abovementioned document can be found on the website of the *Official Gazette of the Republic of Turkey* using the following link: <https://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2019/12/20191207-3.pdf>.

The Permanent Mission of Turkey to the United Nations kindly requests that the present note verbale be published in the next edition of the *Law of the Sea Bulletin* and be posted on the website of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, which contains the web page "Maritime space: maritime zones and maritime delimitation".
