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Communication received from China Concerning Its Policies Regarding the Management of Plutonium

1. The Secretariat has received a Note Verbale dated 3 March 2008 from the Permanent Mission of China to the IAEA in the enclosure of which the Government of China, in keeping with its commitment under the Guidelines for the Management of Plutonium (contained in INFCIRC/549 of 16 March 1998 and hereinafter referred to as the “Guidelines”), and in accordance with Annexes B and C of the Guidelines, has made available information on its annual figures for holdings of civil unirradiated plutonium as of 31 December 2007.
2. In light of the request expressed by China in its Note Verbale of 1 December 1997 concerning its policies regarding the management of plutonium (INFCIRC/549 of 16 March 1998), the enclosure of the Note Verbale of 3 March 2008 is attached for the information of all Member States.

