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COMMUNICATION RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONFERENCE FROM BOLIVIA

The text of a letter which the President of the Conference received from the Resident Representative of Bolivia on 17 September 1991 is reproduced below for the information of delegates.

"I have the honour to address myself to you with reference to the delay in the payment of our contribution to the Agency's Regular Budget and Bolivia's situation with regard to its right to vote at the thirty-fifth regular session of the IAEA General Conference, to be held from 16 to 22 September 1991.

"I would like to emphasize the efforts made by the Bolivian Government to fulfil its financial obligations to the Agency, as a result of which it succeeded in paying US \$31 389 at the end of 1990. Owing to the critical financial situation in Bolivia, a situation caused by factors beyond the Government's control, I have to inform you of my country's inability to make its contribution to the Regular Budget before the present session. I would therefore be grateful if this situation could be taken into account under Article XIX.A of the Agency's Statute to enable us to exercise our right to vote.

"My Government will make every effort to fulfil its obligations as soon as possible."*

* It is suggested that, pursuant to Rule 42(b) of the Conference's Rules of Procedure and in line with past practice, this request be referred to the General Committee for consideration.

