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## SOUTH AFRICA'S NUCLEAR CAPABILITIES

Resolution adopted during the 351st plenary meeting on 25 September 1992

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The General Conference,

(a) Recalling its resolutions GC(XXVII)/RES/408, GC(XXVII)/RES/423, GC(XXIX)/RES/442, GC(XXX)/RES/468, GC(XXXI)/RES/485, GC(XXXII)/RES/503, GC(XXXIII)/RES/524, GC(XXXIV)/RES/545 and GC(XXXV)/RES/567 on South Africa's nuclear capabilities,

(b) Recalling also that South Africa acceded to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons on 10 July 1991 and that its safeguards agreement with the Agency in connection with the Treaty entered into force on 16 September 1991, and

(c) Stressing once more that full disclosure on South Africa's nuclear installations and materials is essential to the peace and security of the region and to the success of efforts exerted towards the establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone (NWFZ), which is the basis of the Declaration on the Denuclearization of Africa adopted by the Conference of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity at its first ordinary session, held at Cairo from 17 to 21 July 1964, and of resolution A/RES/46/34.B of 9 December 1991 of the General Assembly of the United Nations,

1. Takes note of the report of the Director General on the implementation of the safeguards agreement between the South African Government and the Agency, including the verification of the completeness of the inventory of South Africa's nuclear installations and material, pursuant to General Conference resolution GC(XXXV)/RES/567;

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2. Requests South Africa to continue to co-operate with the Agency in the implementation of the safeguards agreement;
3. Requests the Director General to assist the African States in their efforts towards the establishment of a NWFZ in Africa; and
4. Further requests the Director General to report on the progress made in implementing this resolution to the Board of Governors and to the General Conference at its thirty-seventh regular session under an agenda item entitled "The denuclearization of Africa".