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COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED FROM CERTAIN MEMBER STATES REGARDING GUIDELINES FOR THE EXPORT OF NUCLEAR MATERIAL, EQUIPMENT OR TECHNOLOGY

A further communication, dated 1 August 1990

- On 2 August 1990 the Director General received a Note Verbale dated 1 August 1990 from the Permanent Mission of Romania relating to the export of nuclear material, equipment or technology.
- 2. As requested, the text of the Note Verbale is reproduced below for the information of all Member States.

The Permanent Mission of Romania to the International Organizations in Vienna presents its compliments to the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency and has the honour to inform him that the Government of Romania has decided that when considering the export of nuclear material, equipment and technology it will act in accordance with the principles and guidelines contained in document INFCIRC/254.

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In reaching this decision, the Government of Romania is fully aware of the need to contribute to the development of nuclear power, in order to meet world energy requirements while avoiding contributing in any way to the dangers of a proliferation of nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices, and of the need to remove safeguards and non-proliferation assurances from the field of commercial competition.

The Government of Romania is convinced that the strengthening of the non-proliferation regime will promote the peaceful uses of nuclear energy and international co-operation in this field.

The Romanian Government hopes that other Governments will also decide to base their own nuclear export policies upon the principles contained in the document INFCIRC/254.

The Government of Romania requests the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency to circulate the text of this Note to all member Governments for their information and as demonstration of support by the Government of Romania for the Agency's non-proliferation objectives and safeguards activities.

The Permanent Mission of Romania to the International Organizations in Vienna avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency the assurances of its highest consideration.