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**COMMUNICATION DATED 30 MAY 2001 RECEIVED
FROM THE GOVERNOR FROM FRANCE ON THE
AGENCY'S BOARD OF GOVERNORS REGARDING
AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES VI AND XIV
OF THE STATUTE OF THE AGENCY**

The Director General has received a letter dated 30 May 2001 from the Governor from France and, as requested therein, the letter is attached hereto for the information of Member States.

GOVERNOR FROM FRANCE AT THE INTERNATIONAL
ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

Paris, 30 May 2001

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Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that France has completed the constitutional procedures required for the approval of the amendments to Articles VI and XIV of the IAEA's Statute adopted in Vienna on 1 October 1999. The instrument of acceptance, signed by the Minister of Foreign Affairs, was deposited on 2 May 2001 with the Government of the United States of America, the depositary State, which acknowledged receipt thereof on the same day.

I would be grateful if you would bring this letter to the attention of IAEA Member States in an Information Circular.

Accept, Sir, etc.,

(signed) Philippe Thiébaud

Mr. Mohamed ElBaradei
Director General
IAEA, Vienna