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The Director General has received a letter dated 22 February 2002 from the Governor from Germany and, as requested therein, the letter is attached hereto for the information of Member States.

THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY TO THE OFFICE OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND TO THE OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS VIENNA

Vienna, 22 February 2002

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Mr. Mohamed ElBaradei Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency V.I.C. -A 2822

1400 Vienna

Sir.

On request of my Government I have the honour to inform you that Germany has met all requirements for entry into force of the amendments of Article VI and Article 3aV of the Statute of the 1AEA, adopted at the 43rd Session of the General Conference on I October 1999.

On 20 September 2001 the US Department of State has acknowledged receipt of the relevant instruments of ratification by the Federal Republic of Germany for deposit with the Government of the United States of America.

In view of being informed by the US Government about the depository status, you are kindly requested to publish this fact in the usual form

Accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration

(Karl Borchard) Ambassador

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