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THE PERMANENT MISSION OF BOLIVIA
TO THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

The text of a note verbale dated 16 September 1996 which the Director General has received from the Permanent Mission of Bolivia is - as requested - reproduced for the attention of the General Conference.

"The Permanent Mission of Bolivia to the International Atomic Energy Agency presents its compliments to the IAEA and has the honour to inform the Agency that the Government of Bolivia has authorized the payment of the amount indicated in document GC(40)/INF/11 in order to be able to participate fully in the fortieth session of the IAEA's General Conference.

"In this regard, the Permanent Mission of Bolivia would like to state that on Wednesday, 18 September a cheque will be sent for US \$81 000 (eighty-one thousand United States dollars) made payable to the IAEA.

"In the light of the above, which demonstrates Bolivia's commitment to fulfilling its financial obligations to the IAEA, and in case there is any delay in receiving the above-mentioned cheque, the Permanent Mission of Bolivia requests that this communication be brought immediately to the attention of the competent bodies of the IAEA and of the General Conference so that Bolivia may regain its right to vote and be able to participate fully in the General Conference's forthcoming session.

"The Permanent Mission of Bolivia takes this opportunity of reiterating to the IAEA the assurances of its highest esteem."*

* 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.

