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IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION ON THE DENUCLEARIZATION
OF AFRICA

Letter dated 11 November 1991 from the Permanent Representative
of South Africa to the United Nations addressed to the
Secretary-General

I have the honour to refer to the report of the Secretary-General on the nuclear capability of South Africa, which was submitted to the General Assembly at its forty-sixth session as document A/46/572 dated 21 October 1991, under item 58, Implementation of the Declaration on the Denuclearization of Africa.

I informed you in a letter dated 11 July 1991 that my Government had the previous day deposited its instrument of accession to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (A/46/302).

I now have the honour to inform you further that, as a result of the Republic of South Africa having acceded to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, the relative domestic legislation has been reviewed and in terms of the Armaments and Development Act (No. 57 of 1968) new regulations were promulgated on 30 August 1991 through a notice published in the South African Government Gazette. The text of Government Gazette notice No. R 2122 of 30 August 1991 clearly underlines South Africa's commitment to its obligations. The full text reads as follows