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Sweden: draft resolution

Comprehensive study on the military use of research and development

The General Assembly,

Recalling resolution 37/99 J of 13 December 1982 by which it requested the Secretary-General, with the assistance of qualified governmental **experts**, to **carry** out a comprehensive study of the military use of research and development with a view to preventing a qualitative arms race and to ensuring that scientific and **technological** achievements may ultimately be used solely for peaceful purposes,

Recalling also resolution 39/151 F by which it took note of the progress **report** of the Secretary-General and requested the Secretary-General to continue the study and to submit the final report to the General Assembly at **its** fortieth session,

1. Takes note of the report of the Secretary-General 1/ containing a letter from the Chairman of the Group of Experts on Military **Research** and Development informing the Secretary-General, inter alia, that the Group of Governmental Experts had continued the efforts to reach agreement on its draft report but that, although the area of disagreement was narrow, it had not been possible to reach agreement on the draft report as a **whole**;

2. Requests the Secretary-General to present available material with an indication where consensus could not be reached.

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