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Note verbale dated 18 March 1976 from the Permanent Mission of Bulgaria  
to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of the People's Republic of Bulgaria to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and has the honour to reiterate its position regarding the representative of the Federal Republic of Germany to the second session of the United Nations Commission on Transnational Corporations.

Dr. Eberhard Günther, President of the Federal Office for the Supervision of Cartels and Trusts illegally headquartered in West Berlin, was listed in the capacity of official representative of the Federal Republic of Germany to this Commission.

This action by the Federal Republic of Germany openly contradicts the Quadripartite Agreement of 3 September 1971, according to which Berlin (West) is not a constituent part of the Federal Republic of Germany and is not governed by it.

In view of the above, the Permanent Mission of Bulgaria cannot recognize Dr. E. Günther as the representative of the Federal Republic of Germany to the Commission on Transnational Corporations.

The Permanent Mission of Bulgaria would be grateful if this note could be circulated as an official document of the General Assembly under item 12 of the preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the thirty-first session.

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