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NOTE VERBALE DATED 1 AUGUST 1991 FROM THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES A.I.  
OF THE PERMANENT MISSION OF IRELAND TO THE UNITED NATIONS  
ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

The Charge d'affaires a.i. of Ireland to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations, and with reference to his Note SCPC/7/91/4-1 of 3 July 1991, has the honour to transmit to the Secretary-General the following information on the implementation of paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 700 (1991).

1. The export from Ireland of arms and other military equipment, and related material as outlined in paragraph 24 (a) of resolution 687 is prohibited under the control of Exports Act 1983 and the Nuclear Energy Order 1977 save under licence issued by the Minister for Industry and Commerce. The Government of Ireland has determined that no such licence will be issued in respect of the export of arms and other military equipment and related "material" to Iraq. The Customs and Excise Service is responsible for ensuring that the prohibition on the exportation of these items to Iraq is fully enforced.

2. The prohibition of the supply of non-financial services outlined in paragraph 24 (d) of resolution 687, is covered in Ireland by Statutory Instrument No. 262 of 1990 which gives full effect to Council Regulation (EEC) No. 3155/90 of 29 October 1990 which extended and amended Council Regulation (EEC) No. 2340/90 of 8 August 1990 on the prohibition of trade with Iraq, and provides penalties for infringement.

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