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ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBERS TO THE UNITED NATIONS

Letter dated 12 September 1991 from the President of the
Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to request you to transmit to the General Assembly at its forty-sixth session the following resolutions concerning the admission to membership in the United Nations of the Republic of Estonia, the Republic of Latvia and the Republic of Lithuania which the Security Council adopted without a vote at its 3007th meeting on 12 September 1991:

A. Resolution 709 (1991):

"The Security Council,

Having examined the application of the Republic of Estonia for admission to the United Nations (A/46/411-S/23002),

Recommends to the General Assembly that the Republic of Estonia be admitted to membership in the United Nations."

B. Resolution 710 (1991):

"The Security Council,

Having examined the application of the Republic of Latvia for admission to the United Nations (A/46/412-S/23003),

Recommends to the General Assembly that the Republic of Latvia be admitted to membership in the United Nations."

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C. Resolution 711 (1991):

"The Security Council,

Having examined the application of the Republic of Lithuania for admission to the United Nations (A/46/413-S/23004),

Recommends to the General Assembly that the Republic of Lithuania be admitted to membership in the United Nations."

I should like to recall that, when it adopted the above-mentioned resolutions, the Security Council decided to invoke the provisions of the last paragraph of rule 60 of its provisional rules of procedure in order to make its recommendation to the General Assembly at its forty-sixth session.

In accordance with the second paragraph of rule 60 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure, I also request you to transmit to the General Assembly at its forty-sixth session, for information, the verbatim records of the 3006th and 3007th meetings of the Security Council, at which the applications for membership submitted by the Republic of Estonia, the Republic of Latvia and the Republic of Lithuania were examined.

(Signed) Jean-Bernard MERIMEE
President of the Security Council
