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Letter dated 13 August 1987 from the Permanent Representative of
Denmark to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith the text of a declaration by the 12 States members of the European Community, of which Denmark is currently the President, concerning the outcome of the summit meeting of the five Central American Heads of State, held at Guatemala, on 6 and 7 August 1987 (see annex).

I would appreciate that the text of this letter and its annex be circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under item 34 of the provisional agenda, and of the Security Council.

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ANNEX

Declaration by the twelve States members of the European
Community, concerning the outcome of the Guatemala
summit, held on 6 and 7 August 1987

The Twelve have taken note with great satisfaction that the five Central American Presidents at their recent meeting in Guatemala have reached agreement on a plan for peace and democracy in Central America, in accordance with the aims of the Contadora-process.

They believe that the outcome of the summit meeting constitutes a very important step towards establishment of a climate of mutual trust necessary for a peaceful development of that region, with respect for political freedom and social justice.

The Twelve fully support these efforts in conformity with their long-standing objectives of the political dialogue, in which they participated at San José, Luxembourg and Guatemala City.

The Twelve urge the five Central American countries, as well as all countries with links and interests in the region, to co-operate constructively in translating the agreement reached into lasting peace and true democracy in Central America.
