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Letter dated 22 March 1994 from the Permanent Representative
of Kyrgyzstan to the United Nations addressed to the
Secretary-General

It is a great honour for me to have this opportunity, as instructed by my Government, to respectfully bring to your attention the following request.

In accordance with rule 12 of the rules of procedure of the Economic and Social Council, the Government of the Kyrgyz Republic would like to propose a supplementary agenda item for the 1994 substantive session of the Council, entitled "Question of declaring 1995 International Year of the Manas Epic", concerning the first thousand years of the Kyrgyz language.

The Manas Epic is a unique historic, philosophical and linguistic masterpiece and the background of the Kyrgyz nation. It also symbolizes the present Kyrgyz society with its aspirations for independence, democracy, respect for human rights and economic and social development.

The Kyrgyz Republic would greatly appreciate it if Your Excellency would circulate this letter as an official document of the Economic and Social Council at its resumed organizational session of 1994.

(Signed) Djoumakadyr A. ATABEKOV
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of the Kyrgyz Republic to
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