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The Permanent Mission of Denmark to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and has the honour to inform him of the measures taken by the Kingdom of Denmark to implement Security Council resolution 841 (1993) of 16 June 1993.

The provisions contained in Security Council resolution 841 (1993) have been implemented in Denmark by Royal Ordinance No. 530, which was signed by Her Majesty the Queen on 30 June 1993 and entered into force on 1 July 1993.

As a member State of the European Community, Denmark has implemented the measures which have been adopted by the Community and of which you will be informed by the Community's current presidency. Consequently trade and provision of non-financial services as regards Haiti and any actions with the purpose of promoting such activities are prohibited in accordance with the provisions of EC regulation 1608/93 of 26 June 1993. The regulation is enclosed as an appendix to the Royal Danish Ordinance.

The Royal Ordinance imposes an embargo on the sale and supply of arms to Haiti, including related material of all types and any assistance and spare parts related thereto.

The ordinance commands that Haitian funds, including securities and liquid funds, shall be credited to blocked accounts or safe-keeping depots in Danish financial institutions.

The ordinance also establishes the penalties for violating the prohibitions set forth in the ordinance and in the European Community regulation.

Any person, including members of boards of directors of businesses, infringing the provisions of the ordinance or the European Community regulation is liable to a penalty in the form of a fine, mitigated imprisonment or, in case of aggravating circumstances, regular imprisonment not exceeding four years. Any proceeds liable to a penalty shall be confiscated.

The Danish authorities will monitor the embargo closely and maintain very strict export controls for as long as it remains in force.

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In conclusion, all the provisions of Security Council resolution 841 (1993) are thus fully implemented and in force in Denmark.
