

Distr.: General 3 June 2003

Original: English

Letter dated 21 May 2003 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism addressed to the President of the Security Council

I refer to my letter of 21 August 2002 (S/2002/949) transmitting a supplementary report from Romania submitted to the Counter-Terrorism Committee pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 1373 (2001).

The Counter-Terrorism Committee has considered the report carefully with the assistance of its experts and has written to the Permanent Representative of Romania to the United Nations to set out its preliminary comments. Romania has been requested to provide a response in the form of a third report by 15 August 2003.

I should be grateful if you could arrange for the present letter to be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Inocencio F. Arias Chairman Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

03-38411 (E) 100603 * **03384111***