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Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia**Note verbale dated 20 May 2004 from the Permanent Mission of Mexico to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee**

The Permanent Mission of Mexico to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia and, with reference to note SCA/1/04(03) of 23 February 2004, has the honour to communicate that the Government of Mexico fully and effectively implements the embargo on arms and military equipment called for in Security Council resolutions 733 (1992), 1356 (2001) and 1519 (2003).

The Government of Mexico maintains no commercial, military or other ties with Somalia, and the competent agencies and entities of the Federal Government have taken the necessary steps to strengthen monitoring at the Mexican borders to prevent any type of trafficking in arms and military equipment through enforcement of the Federal Act on Firearms and Explosives and its implementing regulations.