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Subject: Closing of entrance to Le Bocage compound from Route de Pregny

1. As we are all aware, UNOG has undertaken a thorough review of its security strategy. This has entailed the launching of a far-reaching access control project, including the construction of new access gates, the installation of modern security equipment and the review and update of internal procedures.
2. Consistent with this strategy is the need to limit the number of access gates to UNOG grounds. Therefore you are hereby informed that the existing entrance to Le Bocage compound (Villa and Annex) from the Route de Pregny will close as of 14 November 2005.
3. Staff members in possession of a magnetic card will be welcome to enter UNOG grounds on foot through the Pregny Gate, Nations Gate and Chemin de Fer Gate. Students who are not in possession of a magnetic card will have to enter the grounds of the Palais des Nations through the Pregny gate only.
4. Authorized vehicles can enter the grounds of the Palais des Nations through the Chemin de Fer Gate or the Pregny Gate. The parking area in front of Annex Bocage #1 and #2 will remain accessible through these gates. Delivery vehicles and other services will use the Chemin de Fer Gate, as per internal security regulations.
5. While we understand the inconveniences that this measure may generate, we count on your understanding and cooperation for the benefit of all.

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