## CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT

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## LETTER DATED 29 MAY 2007 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF ITALY TO THE CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE CONFERENCE TRANSMITTING A LETTER ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT

I have the pleasure of sending, hereby attached, a copy of a letter addressed to the President of the Conference on Disarmament.

I would appreciate it if this letter could be circulated as an official document of the CD.

(Signed:)

Carlo Trezza Ambassador Permanent Representative to the Conference on Disarmament

## Annex

Geneva, May 29, 2007

I refer to the letter n. 55/2007/JAM/it of 5 March 2007 addressed to me, by which Ambassador Juan Antonio March, in his quality as President of the Conference on Disarmament, indicated that "the members of the 2007 P6 (Spain, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Sweden Syria and South Africa) would very much appreciate and request your continued personal involvement as Coordinator for the remainder of the 2007 session of the CD. In accepting to become a coordinator you had indicated to the P6 that your tenure as CD Ambassador in Geneva will come to an end before the conclusion of the present session of the Conference. However, we would be grateful if you could please convey a request to your authorities with a view to examining whether it might perhaps be possible for you to complete the 2007 session as one of the CD's Coordinators".

I have communicated this request to the competent Italian authorities. I am now pleased to inform you that the Italian Council of Ministers has decided the extension of my mandate in order to allow me to complete the 2007 session as one of the CD's Coordinators.

I send copy of this letter to the Secretary General of the CD asking to circulate it as an official document of the Conference.

(<u>Signed</u>:) Carlo Trezza