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Note verbale dated 30 April 2008 from the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1737 (2006) and has the honour to submit the interim report on the steps taken by the Russian Federation to implement resolution 1803 (2008) (see annex).



Annex to the note verbale dated 30 April 2008 from the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

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Interim report of the Russian Federation on the steps taken to implement Security Council resolution 1803 (2006)

The Russian Federation is conscientiously implementing Security Council resolution 1803 (2008), as well as the previous Security Council resolutions on the Iranian nuclear programme, resolutions 1737 (2006) and 1747 (2007).

A draft decree of the President of the Russian Federation on the implementation of Security Council resolution 1803 (2008), which was drawn up and agreed upon with the ministries and departments concerned, will be submitted for the President's approval in the near future.

We believe that the main objective of Security Council resolution 1803 (2008), and of resolutions 1737 (2006) and 1747 (2008), is a political solution of the issue of the Islamic Republic of Iran's nuclear programme. In this regard the Russian representatives, both at the bilateral level and in conjunction with other partners, are continuing to work actively with the Iranians to promote the launching of a negotiating process between the group of six and Tehran to resolve the Iranian nuclear problem on the basis of the requirements of the Security Council and of the International Atomic Energy Agency.
