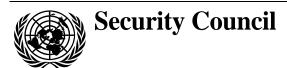
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The Permanent Mission of Turkey to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Committee and referring to paragraph 31 of Security Council resolution 1929 (2010), has the honour to inform the Committee of the following:

Following the adoption of Security Council resolution 1929 (2010), all relevant ministries as well as institutions were duly notified about the resolution and its provisions. They were also provided with the Turkish translation of the resolution, including its annexes. In addition, Turkish private sector companies, upon their request, have also been informed of resolution 1929 (2010). In accordance with Article 41, Chapter VII, of the Charter of the United Nations, Turkey will fulfil its obligations under the provisions of resolution 1929 (2010), as is the case with previous Security Council resolutions 1737 (2006), 1747 (2007) and 1802 (2008). Turkey also reaffirms its adherence to the provisions of resolution 1887 (2009).

The Permanent Mission would like to further inform the Committee that Turkey, as a party to all relevant international non-proliferation instruments and export control regimes, already has in place all the necessary tools to control the supply, sale and transfer of sensitive dual-use items and technologies associated with nuclear and other weapons of mass destruction and their delivery means. The mechanisms in place are also applicable in the context of the implementation of the provisions of resolution 1929 (2010), including the inspections of the transfer of material prohibited by the resolution.

Detailed information with regard to Turkey's national implementation in relation to arms control and disarmament and the prevention of proliferation of all weapons of mass destruction can be found in the national reports of Turkey contained in documents S/AC.44/2004/(02)/63 dated 6 December 2004, S/AC.44/2004/(02)/63/Add.1 dated 15 March 2006 and the updated matrix dated 30 January 2008 which were submitted to the Security Council, in accordance with resolution 1540 (2004), as well as resolution 1673 (2006).



