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In addition to previous replies from governments concerning prisoners of war (reproduced in documents A/AC.46/1 and Add.1-7) the Becretary-General has received further replies from governments (A/AC.46/1/Add.8-15), since the Ad Hoc Commission on Prisoners of War went into recess on 15 August 1951. He has also received the following reply from the Permanent Mission of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations.

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In roply to lotter No. SOA 417/5/01 of 22 June 1951 from the Secretariat of the United Nations on the question of prisoners of war, the Permanent Mission of the USSR to the United Nations hereby states that the repatriation of German, Japanese and Italian prisoners of war from the Soviet Union has been completed, with the exception of persons who have been sontenced or are being prosecuted for war crimes they have committed, as already announced in TASS communications of 4 January 1949, 22 April, 5 May and 9 June 1950 and also in a statement made on 18 March 1947 by the Phonipotentiary Council of Ministers of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on questions of repatriation.