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Note by the Secretary-General

The Secretary-General has the honour to transmit to the Members of the General Assembly the enclosed communication, dated 14 October 1966, from the Permanent Mission of Greece to the United Nations.

PERMANENT MISSION OF GREECE  
TO THE UNITED NATIONS

The Permanent Representative of Greece to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and has the honour to inform him that the Royal Government of Greece had decided to offer Athens as the site for the location of the headquarters of the United Nations Organization for Industrial Development.

The geographic position of Greece at the crossroads of Europe, Asia and Africa, and especially her proximity to the developing regions of Asia and Africa - the continents which include most of the developing world - as well as the fact that she herself is still a developing country, would constitute added reasons for the selection of Athens as the headquarters of this important new specialized agency of the United Nations.

The Permanent Representative of Greece avails himself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretary-General of the United Nations the assurances of his highest consideration.

New York, 14 October 1966

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