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Report of the Secretary-General concerning the credentials of the deputy representative and the alternate representative of Japan on the Security Council

Pursuant to rule 15 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General wishes to report that he has received a letter dated 27 February 2017 from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Japan stating that Mr. Yasuhisa Kawamura has been appointed deputy representative of Japan and Mr. Wataru Otsuka has been appointed alternate representative of Japan on the Security Council.

In the opinion of the Secretary-General, that letter constitutes adequate provisional credentials.

