

It is the belief of the Government of USA that the future of the Agency may be seriously jeopardized if bilateral controls compatible with those of the Agency are not repeat not adopted by the member states and particularly if any member state of the Agency were to sell natural uranium or other nuclear materials or equipment for peaceful purposes under criteria more liberal than those provisionally adopted by the IAEA. In such event the Agency may not repeat not be able to occupy the role of either a supplier of nuclear fuel and facilities or as an effective international control organization. The Government of USA hopes that the Agency will receive the necessary support of all its members in achieving these objectives.

This communication is being addressed to the Government of UK, South Africa, France, Portugal, Australia and Belgium. Text Ends.