invite, if necessary and appropriate, the Government of the United States of America to this committee.

4. It is understood that the provisions of paragraphs 1 and 2 of Article III of the Agreement as amended shall be applied only to ensure that the items specified in the said provisions will not be used for the manufacture of any nuclear weapon, the furtherance of any other military purposes or the manufacture of any other nuclear explosive device.

I should be grateful if Your Excellency would be good enough to confirm the understanding contained in this Note, which is authentic in both English and French, on behalf of the Government of Japan.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

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