

# COMMITTEE ON DISARMAMENT

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LETTER DATED 11 JULY 1983 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF FINLAND  
ADDRESSED TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISARMAMENT, TRANSMITTING  
A DOCUMENT ENTITLED "SYSTEMATIC IDENTIFICATION OF CHEMICAL WARFARE  
AGENTS: IDENTIFICATION OF PRECURSORS OF WARFARE AGENTS, DEGRADATION  
PRODUCTS OF NON-PHOSPHORUS AGENTS, AND SOME POTENTIAL AGENTS"

I have the honour to transmit to you a document entitled "Systematic  
Identification of Chemical Warfare Agents: Identification of Precursors of Warfare  
Agents, Degradation Products of Non-Phosphorus Agents, and some Potential Agents".  
This study represents a further contribution of the Government of Finland to the  
Work of the Committee on Disarmament on chemical weapons.

I would appreciate if the study would be circulated as an official CD document.

(Signed) Paavo Rantanen  
Ambassador  
Permanent Representative  
of Finland

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the members of the Committee on Disarmament. Additional copies are available from  
the Ministry for Foreign Affairs in Helsinki.