

4. The Ad Hoc Committee held 17 meetings between 26 February and 20 August 1991.

5. At their request, the Conference on Disarmament decided to invite the representatives of the following States not members of the Conference to participate in the meetings of the Ad Hoc Committee: Austria, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Denmark, Finland, Greece, Ireland, Malaysia, New Zealand, Norway, Oman, Portugal, Senegal, Spain, Switzerland, Syria, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, Uruguay, Viet Nam and Zimbabwe.

6. In addition to the documents of the previous sessions ^{1/}, the Ad Hoc Committee had before it the following documents relating to the agenda item submitted to the Conference on Disarmament during the 1991 session:

- CD/1059 Mandate for an Ad Hoc Committee under item 5 of the agenda of the Conference on Disarmament entitled "Prevention of an Arms Race in Outer Space".
- CD/1073 Letter dated 12 March 1991 addressed to the Secretary-General of the Conference on Disarmament from the Permanent Representative of Canada, transmitting compendia on Outer Space comprising plenary statements and working papers from the 1990 session of the Conference on Disarmament.
- CD/1087 Letter dated 8 July 1991 addressed to the President of the Conference on Disarmament from the Deputy Representative of the United States to the Conference on Disarmament transmitting a statement delivered on 25 June 1991 by Ambassador David J. Smith, Chief United States Negotiator for the Defence and Space Talks in the Ad Hoc Committee on Prevention of an Arms Race in Outer Space of the Conference on Disarmament.
- CD/1088 Letter dated 27 June 1991 addressed to the Secretary-General of the Conference on Disarmament from the Permanent Representative of Canada, transmitting the Arms Control Verification occasional paper No. 7, entitled "Satellites Harming Other Satellites."
- CD/1095 Letter dated 5 August 1991 addressed to the Secretary-General of the Conference on Disarmament from the Permanent Representative of Canada, transmitting the Arms Control Verification Occasional Paper No. 6, entitled "Overhead Imaging for Verification and Peacekeeping: Three Studies".
- CD/OS/WP.43 Programme of Work.

^{1/} The list of documents of the previous sessions may be found in the 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989 and 1990 reports of the Ad Hoc Committee, and in the special report to the third special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament (CD/642, CD/732, CD/787, CD/870, CD/834, CD/956 and CD/1039, respectively).