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LETTER DATED 20 JANUARY 1986 ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE CONFERENCE ON DISARMAMENT BY THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS TRANSMITTING THE STATEMENT OF THE GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE, MIKHAIL GORBACHEV, MADE ON 15 JANUARY 1986

I enclose herewith a statement by the General Secretary of the CPSU Central Committee, Mikhail Gorbachev, dated 15 January 1986. I should be grateful if you would make the necessary arrangements to have the statement circulated as an official document of the Conference on Disarmament.

(Signed) V. Issraelyan Member of the Collegium of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of the USSR, Representative of the USSR to the Conference on Disarmament