COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

A DRAFT STRUCTURAL OUTLINE

For the purposes of developing a better basis for discussions under the Chairman's 10 August mandate of how the initial phase of the negotiation of a CTBT might be organised, it might be useful to conceptualise the structure of a CTBT as follows:

Preamble

Article I - Basic Obligations

Article II - Declarations

Article III - The Organization

Article IV - National Implementation Measures and Assistance

Article V - Verification

Article VI - Settlement of Disputes

Article VII - Non-compliance

Article VIII - Privileges and Immunities

Article IX - Status of Protocols

Article X - Entry into Force

Article XI - Reservations

Article XII - Duration and Withdrawal

Article XII - Review of the Treaty

Article XIV - Amendments

Article XV - Depositary

Article XVI - Authentic Texts

Protocol I - The Organization

Protocol II - Global Monitoring and Verification System

Part I - Seismic Monitoring

Part II - Surveillance of Radionuclides in the Atmosphere

Part III - Use of Satellite Data

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Protocol III - Procedures for On-Site Inspections and Monitoring

Part I - Procedures for International On-Site Inspections

Part II - Procedures for On-Site Monitoring of Large

Non-Nuclear Explosions

The Text on the Preparatory Commission

2. On the basis of acceptance that the negotiating structure for the Nuclear Test Ban Ad Hoc Committee in 1994 will consist of at least two subsidiary bodies, working respectively in verification and compliance on the one hand, and legal and institutional issues on the other, the following tentative division of