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ITEM[Adoption of the agenda]

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Note verbale dated 12 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the Chairman

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ITEM[Adoption of the agenda]

TXT[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
The agenda was adopted.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Note verbale dated 12 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the Chairman
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.552)]

TXT[Drew attention to document S/AC.25/1993/COMM.552, in which the Permanent Representative of Jordan transmitted a report on the traffic of food and medical supplies to Iraq through the Reweished border point for the period from 11 to 28 February 1993. He took it that the Committee, in accordance with its usual practice, wished to take note of the report. It was so decided.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 17 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Sweden addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.583)]

TXT[Drew attention to the letter contained in document S/AC.25/1993/COMM.583, in which the Permanent Representative of Sweden informed the Committee about the suggested procedure regarding guarantees and payments for three Swedish projects to be exported to Iraq with the authorization of the Committee.]

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SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 17 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Sweden addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.583)]

TXT[The financial arrangements referred to in the letter were not in accordance with Security Council resolution 778 (1992), according to which any freeing of Iraqi frozen assets should be carried out through a transfer to the escrow account of the United Nations. Even before the adoption of resolution 778 (1992), the Bank for International Settlements had decided that Iraq's non-frozen assets would be transferred to a sub-account of the escrow account. The letter from Sweden did not mention the escrow account and it would be appropriate to reply to the relevant authorities, explaining to them the procedures relating to the decision by the Bank for International Settlements and resolution 778 (1992).]

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SPKR[Bonnavant] MS[France] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 17 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Sweden addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.583)]

TXT[Shared the view expressed by the representative of the United Kingdom and felt that it would be appropriate to remind the Swedish authorities about the existence of the mechanisms set up by the Security Council to release Iraqi assets.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 17 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Sweden addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.583)]

TXT[Took it that the Committee wished to proceed in accordance with the proposal by the United Kingdom and send a letter to the Ambassador of Sweden informing him about the procedures in question.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Note verbale dated 15 March 1993 from the Chargé d'affaires of Yemen addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.573)]

TXT[Drew attention to the communication in document S/AC.25/1993/COMM.573, in which the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Yemen informed the Committee that the Government of Yemen would ship by air a variety of foodstuffs to Iraq. The communication had been circulated pursuant to paragraphs 4 and 5 of the decision taken by the Committee at its thirty-sixth meeting, held on 22 March 1991 (S/22400), and referred to in paragraph 20 of Security Council resolution 687 (1991) of 3 April 1991.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Note verbale dated 15 March 1993 from the Chargé d'affaires of Yemen addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.573)]

TXT[After reading out paragraph 5 of the decision, he said that the Committee had approved similar flights on several occasions in the past. Such approval had been granted, subject to prior notification to the Committee, on the understanding that the flight in question did not engage in any activities contrary to the provisions of

Security Council resolutions 661 (1990) and 670 (1990) and should be certified by the authorities concerned before departure for Iraq and upon return from that country. The approval had been granted on the understanding that the flight would be carried out by a non-Iraqi aircraft, which did not have to land for inspection by the countries through whose airspace the flight would pass, as provided for in paragraph 4 (b) of Security Council resolution 670 (1990).]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Note verbale dated 15 March 1993 from the Chargé d'affaires of Yemen addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.573)]

TXT[In accordance with established practice, he would send a letter to the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Yemen and, at the same time, request him to furnish more detailed information concerning the intended flight and notify the Committee of such flights in advance.]

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SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Note verbale dated 15 March 1993 from the Chargé d'affaires of Yemen addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.573)]

TXT[If the flights were made, they would be carried out by the company Yemen Airways and would be inspected by the United Nations before leaving Yemen and upon their return in order to ensure that the provisions of resolution 661 (1990) were not violated.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Note verbale dated 15 March 1993 from the Chargé d'affaires of Yemen addressed to the Chairman (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.573)]

TXT[Took it that the Committee wished, in accordance with the proposal by the United Kingdom, to send a letter to the representative of Yemen pointing out what had been stated above and requesting more detailed information concerning the flight in question. It was so decided.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 10 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.611)]

TXT[Drew attention to the letter, which informed the Secretary-General that since August 1990, Iraq had been subjected to a blockade and a comprehensive economic boycott, which were not restricted to the import of various types of weapons, but also included food and medicine. The letter had been transmitted by the Office of the Secretary-General to the Committee, which had the necessary mandate in matters relating to the sanctions.

As the members of the Committee were well aware, the sending of medicine to Iraq had never been a problem since the sanctions did not include medicine. In the case of foodstuffs, initial research by the Secretariat showed that, in the course of the previous two years, foodstuff notifications which had been acknowledged by the Committee as having been duly received involved at least 15 million

tonnes of foodstuffs with a value of roughly \$5.5 billion.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 10 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.611)]

TXT[As far as the Committee was concerned, and in the view of the Chair, the Iraqi statement that food and medicine were included in the sanctions was totally unfounded. The Chairman, therefore, had decided to have the Iraqi letter circulated as a Committee document.]

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SPKR[Bonnafont] MS[France] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 10 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.611)]

TXT[A letter should be sent to the Secretary-General recalling the conditions under which foodstuffs and medicine could be imported into Iraq. He believed that if no response was made to the communication under consideration there was a danger that it could be used in another context.]

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SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 10 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.611)]

TXT[Supported the representative of France.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 10 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.611)]

TXT[With the Committee's approval, he would send a letter to the Secretary-General clarifying the question. It was so decided.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 25 March 1993 from the Commissioner-General of the UNRWA addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.658)]

TXT[Drew attention to document S/AC.25/1993/COMM.658 in which the Commissioner-General transmitted a letter from Mr. Yasser Arafat and referred the matter in question to the Secretary-General for his consideration. It should be recalled that the Committee had considered a similar offer by Iraq at its 22nd meeting on 20 December 1990. The Committee was of the view that even a donation would constitute a violation of paragraph 3 (a) of resolution 661 (1990). At the time, the Committee had taken note of the Iraqi offer and informed the Secretary-General that the United Nations was not in a position to accept it. The current offer was different from the previous one in that Iraq would allow the United Nations to pump and sell 50 million dollars' worth of Iraqi oil under the Organization's own supervision and credit the proceeds to

UNRWA to cover its 1993 financial deficit.]

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SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 25 March 1993 from the Commissioner-General of the UNRWA addressed to the Secretary-General

(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.658)]

TXT[The British Ambassador in Tunis had gone over the matter referred to in the communication with Mr. Arafat in detail. His Government believed that even if the United Nations supervised the oil exports, the situation would still be the same as in 1990 from the legal point of view. The only possibility Iraq currently had of exporting oil was that provided for in Security Council resolutions 706 (1991) and 712 (1991); but Iraq had not taken advantage of that opportunity. Those resolutions established unequivocally that the purpose of sales of Iraqi oil must be to satisfy the needs of the Iraqi people and the various United Nations operations in Iraq. Neither of the resolutions made provision for using income from Iraqi oil sales for purposes not connected directly with Iraq. In order to approve the request before the Committee, the relevant Security Council resolutions would have to be amended.]

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SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 25 March 1993 from the Commissioner-General of the UNRWA addressed to the Secretary-General

(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.658)]

TXT[The Committee was not empowered under its mandate to authorize the export of Iraqi oil for the purpose stated in the communication. His delegation was aware of the financial difficulties UNRWA was experiencing and had supported the work of the General Assembly Working Group on the Financing of UNRWA; but it believed that those difficulties would not be resolved by acceding to the Iraqi proposal, which was above all a propaganda manoeuvre by the Baghdad Government.]

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SPKR[Bonafont] MS[France] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 25 March 1993 from the Commissioner-General of the UNRWA addressed to the Secretary-General

(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.658)]

TXT[The Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) had addressed itself also to his Government concerning the proposal under consideration. Despite France's sympathy for the work of UNRWA, his delegation agreed with the United Kingdom representative's analysis of the conditions for the sale of Iraqi oil. The term "propaganda manoeuvre" used by that representative was no exaggeration. He proposed that the Committee should respond to the current request as it had done in the case of the earlier proposal submitted in 1990.]

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SPKR[van Bohemen] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 25 March 1993 from the Commissioner-General of

the UNRWA addressed to the Secretary-General
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.658)]

TXT[Pointed out that although his Government had found the idea put forward in the communication under consideration interesting and creative, the Committee could not accept the specific proposal made in the communication unless the Security Council amended resolutions 661 (1990), 706 (1991) and 712 (1991).]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 25 March 1993 from the Commissioner-General of the UNRWA addressed to the Secretary-General
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.658)]

TXT[Took it that the Committee decided to inform the Secretary-General that the proposal had been rejected, for reasons similar to those given in 1990. It was so decided.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[Drew attention to two letters from Iraq (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1) to which were attached separate letters from the country's Minister for Foreign Affairs regarding the need for a campaign in Iraq to combat crop pests and diseases. He recalled that the Committee had considered similar requests from Iraq in the past. As background information on those requests, the members of the Committee had before them documents S/AC.25/1992/COMM.1561, 206, 417 and Add.1, and 670, containing other letters from Iraq or communications from the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO).]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[At the 82nd meeting of the Committee on 30 November 1992, in response to an Iraqi request to use its own agricultural aircraft in a pesticide campaign (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.1561), the Chairman had been authorized to seek further information on the matter from the Government of Iraq and from FAO. The FAO reply was contained in document S/AC.25/1992/COMM.417, in which it recognized the need to take pest-control action in Iraq; but to date no response to the Committee's request had been received from Iraq. Subsequently, at its 87th meeting, the Committee had considered another letter from Iraq (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.206) requesting permission to use Iraqi agricultural aircraft to combat desert locusts in its border zones with Kuwait and Saudi Arabia and with Iran.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative

of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[In view of the sensitivity of the area in which the activities were to take place, the Committee had decided to seek the views of FAO and the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission (UNIKOM). The Committee had considered those views (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.417) at its 89th meeting on 5 March 1993, and had authorized the Chairman to contact the representatives of Kuwait, Saudi Arabia and Iran for comments by their Governments on the matter. The Committee had received an oral reply from the Government of Kuwait stating that it had no objection to the campaign proposed by Iraq provided that it was carried out under United Nations supervision. The Saudi Arabian authorities had not yet taken a final decision on the matter and the position of the Government of Iran was still not known.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[In its two most recent communications (S/AC.25/1993/659 and Add.1), Iraq renewed its earlier requests for authorization and submitted an extensive pest-control programme, including aerial spraying over the northern and southern parts of Iraq that were within the "no-fly zones" and along its border areas. In connection with that most recent request, the Committee had before it two communications from FAO (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.417/Add.1 and 670), in which the Director-General suggested that the Committee might wish to give urgent consideration to the possibility of granting, under the "no-objection" procedure, the permission to utilize agricultural aircraft for the control of pests, including desert locusts if such an upsurge should occur.]

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SPKR[Zahid] MS[Morocco] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[Since the situation was urgent, his delegation favoured authorizing Iraq to conduct the pest-control campaign. Morocco was encouraged by the response from Kuwait. The fact that Iran and Saudi Arabia had not replied should be taken to mean that those two countries had no objection to the campaign.]

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SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[Pointed out that FAO, in its most recent communication on the matter, affirmed that it was ready to take charge of supervising the campaign and could use Polish pilots rather than Iraqi pilots. On condition that strict supervision was exercised by FAO, his delegation endorsed the position taken by Morocco. In view of the

fact that the operation would take place in no-fly zones and in border areas, it was imperative for FAO to notify the Committee, specifically and at least 48, and if possible 72, hours in advance, regarding the date on which the operations would begin in each different zone covered by the campaign. That information would have to be transmitted to the authorities of all countries concerned, but especially in specific terms to the Saudi Arabian and Iranian authorities.]

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SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[His delegation concurred with the representatives of Morocco and the United Kingdom. The Committee should in its communications mention sunn-pest control as well, so that in future the Committee would not have to consider further requests regarding that particular crop disease.]

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SPKR[Bonnafont] MS[France] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[His country also agreed that the pest-control campaign should be carried out as soon as possible, with the safeguards indicated by the United Kingdom delegation.]

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SPKR[Hussain] MS[Pakistan] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[His Government endorsed the position taken by the representatives of Morocco, the United Kingdom and the United States.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Letter dated 20 March 1993 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq addressed to the Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.659 and Add.1)]

TXT[In the light of the statements made, the Bureau of the Committee would officially confirm the position of Iran and Saudi Arabia on the matter. He took it that the Committee decided to authorize Iraq to carry out the pest-control campaign, provided that the safeguards indicated by the United Kingdom were observed and the Committee was notified in advance of the operations. Also, in accordance with the comment made by the United States delegation, the Committee would in its communications on the matter mention also sunn-pest. It was so decided.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General
of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]

TXT[Drew the Committee's attention to a letter from the Assistant
Director-General of UNESCO (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635) sent in reply to
an inquiry made at the Committee's request regarding three exports
to Iraq of stationery glue for bookbinding by Jordanian and Turkish
companies (S/AC.25/1992/COMM.1728, 284 and 295). The Committee had
considered those requests on 5 March 1993 and decided to place them
on hold until it had received the information from UNESCO. As
indicated in the technical report attached to the UNESCO letter,
although bookbinding glue was an essential material, the quantity
of glue intended for export to Iraq in each case, as indicated in
the requests under consideration, should be carefully evaluated.]

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SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General
of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]

TXT[The UNESCO report confirmed his delegation's comment at an
earlier meeting that the excessive quantity of bookbinding glue
requested in the communications was a motive for concern. The
quantity of glue obviously exceeded Iraq's educational needs and
the glue might be used for other industrial purposes. The UNESCO
report indicated that 150 tons of stationery glue exceeded Iraq's
needs. His delegation was in favour of the authorization by the
Committee of the export to Iraq of a reasonable quantity of
bookbinding glue for educational purposes. However, it should be
determined whether other shipments of bookbinding glue had
previously been made to Iraq and what quantity of bookbinding glue
Iraq needed for exclusively educational purposes.]

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ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General
of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]

TXT[If the quantity that would be reasonable for such purposes was
determined in coordination with UNESCO, his delegation would be
prepared to reconsider the matter.]

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SPKR[Zahid] MS[Morocco] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General
of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]

TXT[The quantity of glue should be evaluated according to the
requirements of the country concerned. Iraq was a country with a
considerable surface area and its need for bookbinding was not
limited to education alone; the needs of other readers, the
publication of documents and other materials should be taken into
account. The Iraqi Government should decide what quantity of glue

was required by the country. In view of the fact that bookbinding glue could be used only for civilian purposes, he hoped that the Committee would favourably consider the request to export that product to Iraq.]

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SPKR[Badri] MS[Djibouti] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]
TXT[Noted that the right to culture and education was a right of all human beings, including the Iraqi people, and supported the stand taken by the representative of Morocco.]

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SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]
TXT[150 tons of bookbinding glue was an excessive amount and it was not clear what it would be used for. His delegation did not wish to see the industrial infrastructure of Iraq strengthened and it was possible that the glue could be used in infrastructure projects. He therefore suggested that the Committee should take note of the UNESCO communication and that the communication should be borne in mind whenever applications were made to import such of products. The Committee had already authorized the shipment of a considerable quantity of bookbinding glue and the new application cast doubts on the veracity of some of the applications the Committee had before it which declared that the product would be used for educational purposes.]

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SPKR[Bonafont] MS[France] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]
TXT[The UNESCO document had indicated very clearly that the quantity of glue exceeded Iraq's needs. If the exporter wished to export that quantity, he must indicate what it would be used for. The Committee could then reconsider the matter. He understood that the reply had been given in the UNESCO communication.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]
TXT[Summing up, the Committee would have to decide whether it was going to lift the sanctions, reject the request, object to it, whether the matter would remain open. It would also have to decide whether to adopt the United States suggestion or that of Morocco.]

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SPKR[Zahid] MS[Morocco] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General
of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]

TXT[As the representative of France had noted, the report submitted
by UNESCO referred to the quantity and not to the end-use of the
product, in connection with which other factors would have to be
considered. With respect to the excessive quantity, he understood
that the country could use it as a reserve, and it was difficult to
express an opinion as to what constituted an excessive amount of
glue, especially since Iraq was one of the Arab countries that
produced a very considerable volume of books. He understood that
the Committee was in a position to adopt a decision in that regard,
although his country did not agree that the request should be
rejected.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Barbosa] MS[Cape Verde] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General
of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]

TXT[Supported the proposal made by the United States representative, since
it
was aimed at improving the Committee's work. It was important to
ensure that, on the basis of the information provided by UNESCO,
Iraq's essential needs were met, while also ensuring that Iraq
would not violate the decisions adopted by the international
community.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Letter dated 22 March 1993 from the Assistant Director-General
of UNESCO addressed to the Assistant Secretary-General
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.635)]

TXT[If the Committee agreed, he would approach UNESCO in order to
seek clarification as to what it considered constituted a
reasonable quantity, for which purpose UNESCO would in turn have to
contact the Jordanian and Turkish companies that wished to export
the glue.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.345, 348, 351 and 352)]

TXT[Drew the attention of the Committee to four requests from
Turkey concerning the export of 10 tons of polyester fabric, 100
tons of stationery glue, 100 tons of glue for furniture and 200
tons of household paint (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.345, 348, 351 and
352).]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure

(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.345, 348, 351 and 352)]
TXT[Objected to the export of those products as he considered them
an industrial input.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.345, 348, 351 and 352)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Turkey.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.360)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.360) for the export to Iraq of plastic covers
for tail lights to be used in agricultural vehicles.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.360)]
TXT[While his country did not usually object to the export of
articles for use in agricultural vehicles, he considered that
plastic covers for tail lights were not essential articles and
therefore objected to their export.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.360)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Jordan.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.361)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.361) for the export to Iraq of polyester
fabric.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.361)]
TXT[His delegation objected to the export of polyester fabric,
since it considered that product to be an industrial input.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]

SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.361)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Jordan.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.362)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.362) for the export to Iraq of industrial
alcohol.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Sumi] MS[Japan] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.362)]
TXT[Objected to the export of the product although he was unsure of
the purpose for which it would be used, since Japan could not
approve the export of products for the alcohol industry.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.362)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Jordan.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.364)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.364) for the export to Iraq of cotton fabric.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.364)]
TXT[His delegation objected to the export of that product, since it
could be used as an industrial input.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Zahib] MS[Morocco] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.364)]
TXT[Since the list of communications before the Committee to be
considered under the "no-objection" procedure contained articles
which were rejected or authorized by the Committee, and the
delegations which authorized or rejected the requests gave no
reasons for doing so, he saw no need for the Committee to continue

its consideration of the requests. In the specific case of the request in question, he failed to see how cotton fabric could be used for purposes other than the purpose stated.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.364)]

TXT[His country would continue to object to the export of any product which could be used as an industrial input, as provided for in the resolutions of the Security Council. Moreover, he considered that a factory which today produced children's clothing, could tomorrow produce clothing for young people and later uniforms for the army. His delegation was open to any recommendation concerning a simpler procedure.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.364)]

TXT[A standard procedure had been used previously to approve requests for the export of articles which were clearly within the category of humanitarian assistance. However, when the Committee had 81 communications to consider, as it currently did, it ran the risk of overlooking products which could be used as industrial inputs if it relied on such a procedure.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Badri] MS[Djibouti] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.364)]

TXT[Supported the Chairman's observation and suggested that the Committee should therefore continue its consideration of the document.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.364)]

TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent Representative of Jordan.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.366)]

TXT[Drew attention to the request from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.366) for the export to Iraq of five tons of paint for domestic use.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.366)]
TXT[His delegation objected to the export of the item, since it
could be considered an industrial input.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.366)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Jordan.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.368)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from a private Jordanian
enterprise (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.368) for the export to Iraq of
aluminium profiles.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.368)]
TXT[Would place a hold on the request pending receipt of more
detailed information.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.368)]
TXT[Would place a hold on the request pending receipt of more
detailed information.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.368)]
TXT[Pending further information, the request would be placed on
hold.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.371 and 373)]
TXT[Drew attention to two requests from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.371 and COMM.373) for the export to Iraq of oil
filters for cars.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.371 and 373)]

TXT[His delegation objected to the export of the oil filters, since there was no evidence that they were intended for vehicles to be used for providing humanitarian assistance, but rather for private vehicles.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]

SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.371 and 373)]

TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent Representative of Jordan.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]

SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372)]

TXT[Drew attention to a request from Jordan (S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372) for the export to Iraq of raw yarn for making women's clothes and clothes for the dead.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]

SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372)]

TXT[His delegation wished to place a hold on the request until it could gather more information on other possible uses of the product.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]

SPKR[Hussain] MS[Pakistan] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372)]

TXT[Noted that the product met an essential humanitarian need and appealed to the United States delegation for flexibility in order to authorize its export.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]

SPKR[Badri] MS[Djibouti] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372)]

TXT[Noted that the product met an essential humanitarian need and appealed to the United States delegation for flexibility in order to authorize its export.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]

CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]

SPKR[Zahid] MS[Morocco] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372)]

TXT[Asked the United States representative to authorize the export of the item.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Barbosa] MS[Cape Verde] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372)]
TXT[Asked the United States representative to authorize the export
of the item.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Castillo] MS[Venezuela] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372)]
TXT[The end-use of the item was clearly stated on page 3 of the
document concerned; therefore there should be no problem in
authorizing the export.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372)]
TXT[The end-use of the item had initially not been clear but that
in the light of the explanations made he would withdraw his
delegation's objections.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.372)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's approval to the Permanent
Representative of Jordan.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.374)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.374) for the export to Iraq of galvanized iron
wire.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.374)]
TXT[His delegation would maintain its hold on the item while it
sought further information on its use.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.374)]
TXT[His delegation objected to the request.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.374)]
TXT[Pending further information, the request would be placed on
hold.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.391)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Turkey
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.391) for to the export to Iraq of 70,000 square
metres of glass and 13,600 units of glass for cars.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Bonnafont] MS[France] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.391)]
TXT[His delegation objected to the request.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.391)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Turkey.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.392)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Turkey
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.392) for the export to Iraq of 300 tons of
sodium sulphide for leather processing.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Sumi] MS[Japan] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.392)]
TXT[His delegation objected to the request since his Government
supported only the export of hides.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.392)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Turkey.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.409)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Turkey
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.409) for the export to Iraq of some 11,500 tyres
of various kinds.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Sumi] MS[Japan] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.409)]
TXT[His delegation objected to the export of tyres for passenger
cars.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.409)]
TXT[His delegation also objected to the export of tyres for light
trucks and four-wheel drive vehicles.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.409)]
TXT[Would convey to the Permanent Representative of Turkey the
Committee's views on the export of tyres for passenger cars and
light trucks and four-wheel drive vehicles and its approval of the
export of a total of 2,000 tyres for normal passenger buses and for
agricultural vehicles.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.411)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from the Netherlands
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.411) for the export to Iraq of a complete
demineralized water treatment plant for the manufacture of
fertilizer.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.411)]
TXT[Objected to the request, since the product was a major input to
industry.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure

(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.411)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of the Netherlands.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.415)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Turkey
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.415) for the export to Iraq of 50 tons of
knitted or crocheted fabrics of cotton for the manufacture of
underwear.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.415)]
TXT[Objected to the request, since the item was an industrial
input.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.415)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Turkey.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.416)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Poland
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.416) for the export to Iraq of prefabricated
steel storage tanks for water and oil for domestic use.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.416)]
TXT[His delegation objected to the request, because it considered
the items to be inputs to the oil industry.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Zahid] MS[Morocco] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.416)]
TXT[The items did not appear to be for industrial use and appealed
to the United States delegation to reconsider its position.]

ISSUE[IRAQ/KUWAIT]
CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.416)]

TXT[His delegation had placed the matter on hold while it sought confirmation that the items would be used for domestic purposes. However, the importer was the State oil company; oil was an extremely sensitive issue, since Iraq had not been complying with Security Council resolutions 706 (1991) and 712 (1991). Therefore, his delegation was not in a position to approve the application.]

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SPKR[Cardoso] MS[Brazil] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.416)]

TXT[Asked through the Chairman whether the representative of the United States would be willing to allow consideration of the matter to be deferred until the clarifications requested by the United Kingdom were available.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]

SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.416)]

TXT[Would like to accede to the request by the representative of Brazil, but, in view of the fact that the State oil company was involved, his delegation's position remained unchanged, and it maintained its objection.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.416)]

TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent Representative of Poland.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]

SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.420)]

TXT[Drew attention to the request from France
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.420) for the export to Iraq of 12,000 kilograms of nylon cloth for filtering flour and 2 cubic metres of liquid anti-foam for making beer.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]

SPKR[Sumi] MS[Japan] FCT[Member] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.420)]

TXT[Could accept the export of the nylon cloth, but objected to the export of liquids of any kind.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]

SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]

ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.420)]
TXT[Took note of the approval and the objection and said that he
would convey those views to the Permanent Representative of
France.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.421)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from France
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.421) for the export of 1,500 tons of brewery
barley malt.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Sumi] MS[Japan] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.421)]
TXT[Objected for the same reasons as for the previous request.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.421)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of France.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.425)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Turkey
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.425) for the export of 4 tons of polycarbonate
for the manufacture of feeding bottles and 20 tons of urea
formaldehyde moulding grade for the manufacture of protective
covering for feeding bottles.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.425)]
TXT[The case was a good example of the failure by the Permanent
Mission of Turkey to provide adequate information. Urea was a
chemical product with many uses, some harmless and others very
dangerous. He therefore opposed the request.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.425)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Turkey.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.426)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Turkey
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.426) for the export of various types of
polyethylene for the manufacture of plastic bags and plastic
bottles for use in food packaging.]

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SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.426)]
TXT[The request posed the same problems as the previous one. He
would not object to the import of the finished products, but the
product in question would be an industrial input to the Iraqi
plastics industry.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.426)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Turkey.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.434)]
TXT[Drew attention to the request from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.434) for the export of spare parts for hair
dryers.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Bonnafont] MS[France] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.434)]
TXT[Despite the reasons given, he objected to the request.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.434)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Jordan.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Procedure]
SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.435)]

TXT[Drew attention to the request from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.435) for the export of rock wool felt with
aluminium foil for the insulation of houses and hospitals.]

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CAT [661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Cliff] MS[United Kingdom] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.435)]
TXT[His delegation wished to place a hold on the request until
the final use of the product could be ascertained.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.435)]
TXT[His delegation was opposed to the export, but for the moment
the question should be placed on hold.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.435)]
TXT[Pending further information, the request would be placed on
hold.]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.436 and 437)]
TXT[Drew attention to two requests from Jordan
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.436 and 437) for the export of cotton/polyester
pieces for making clothes and bedspreads. The fabrics were not
suitable for military usage.]

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SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.436 and 437)]
TXT[Objected to the export on the grounds that it was an industrial
input.]

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CAT[661] MTG[90] DATE[4/5/93] TYPE[Intervention]
SPKR[Cardoso] MS[Brazil] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.436 and 437)]
TXT[Pointed out that, according to the request, the goods were to
be sold retail. Generally, in the developing countries, articles of
that nature were made in the home rather than bought in shops.
Perhaps the Committee should reconsider the request, in order to
help the Iraqi people.]

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SPKR[Rose] MS[United States] FCT[Member] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.436 and 437)]
TXT[It would help the Iraqi people much more if the Iraqi
Government were to comply with all the relevant resolutions,
including Security Council resolutions 706 (1991) and 712 (1991).]

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SPKR[O'Brien] MS[New Zealand] FCT[Chairman] LANG[1]
ITEM[Communications under the "no-objection" procedure
(S/AC.25/1993/COMM.436 and 437)]
TXT[Would convey the Committee's views to the Permanent
Representative of Jordan.]